in-Law in His House and is Fined.

police magistrate he giggled and received

giggled and received a stiff fine, just as

Judge Bryce Crawford was about to dis-

miss the case against the alleged humorist

with us, my mother-in-law," he repeated.

alleged humorist.

with us," he said,

ishness."

### NEWS OF THE BUSY HOME BUILDERS COSTS TO LAUGH IN COURT CHEMISTRY BUREAU IN CITY

WINDOW AND DOOR COVERINGS

Important Item in the Artistic Furnishing of a Home.

SATH FIXTURES IN ONE PIECE

New Method of Manufacture Does Away with Objections Formerly Found in Porcelain Equipment for Lavatories.

"The selection of the proper coverings ward the comfortable and the artistic fin-ishing of a home. Yet most people im-A desire to be alw.

as curtains or other draperies festooned or | furnisher of a house. looped is in very bad tasts. Simplicity is the keynote of style in this regard.

white being the correct color. Renaissance persons using it. and Brussels lace are much in demand now and Cluny and Arabian laces are cor- thinks more of a comfortable chair than the such of the window that is quite suf- other usable furniture of the house.

good in apartment houses, while in dwell- grandeur. ings of more .fberal dimensions the housevelours or monk's cloths."

It is not of that style which was formerly of it. bundle showing the buyer how to set it up, of things which are really wanted.

The eight-story warehouse of the Willow Springs Brewing company has just been wired by the American Electric company.

son-Rowe-Daly Plumbing company. "And the air.

this class of goods in recent years. One gether were not altogether proof against water and sooner or later the thing would come apart. Now this is changed, for everything is made in one piece of pure for curios. white goods with no narrew corners for

and bacilli this is the ideal, for upon its pacillus would be as helpless as a fish in the desert. There is 'nothing doing' for Mr. Germ on that enamel ware."

At Twentieth and Burt streets a large flat is being erected and the builder is proceeding upon the principal, novel among builders but old and tried among wise housewives, namely, that a job of work can be done just as well without making a lot of "mess and litter" as by doing so. In excavating for this building the greatest care was taken not to spoil the green sod which surrounds the place. The lines were carefully marked out and then the workmen went in with spades and shovels and with the injunction in mind to "keep off the

A six foot excavation was made and is now walled up with brick and scarcely so much as a clod of dirt or a piece of brick has laid its weight upon the greensward. So close to the excavation was the grass left intact that the masons had to push back the green blades with their trowels to keep thom from getting into the mortar. 'It's just as easy to build this way as

any other way," said the contractor, "There's a fine yard of grass and when the house is done there won't be any grading to do and no sodding or grass sowing. It'll be right there and the tenant can get busy right off with the lawn-

Charles Mallinson's new residence at 1401 Spencer street has been wired by the American Electric company. The same company will install a complete line of up-

R. C. Strehlow has begun work on the construction of a three-story apartment house south of his Majestic on Sherman fest in the presence of half a dozen speavenue. The floors of this house are to be of solid reinforced concrete and the walls are to be so built as to make every allowance for the maximum amount of available room. To this end the walls will be made thin at certain places to admit of folding beds being placed in these niches. This can be done without materially affecting the strength of thes tructure. There will also be modern sanitary provisions in the way of chutes for garbage running from the kitchen of each apartment to a central garbage vault.

A new home on the west side is being beautified in its surroundings by its owner the planting of trees. The house is large and built for light. No tree is nearer | Goss. than seventy feet to the house. The trees nearest the house are evergreens, while those further away are of a deciduous cies. The owner says the effect produced, in winter by the leafless deciduous trees with their rich background of overgreens is extremely beautiful. Also this arrangement is wise from the double fact that the evrgreens act as a protection to the dwelling and require less sunlight than the other trees.

New electric fixtures have been installed in the two new cottages of F. M. Schlasier Johnson as to whether criminal proceed be wasn't willing to own up to his friends American Electric company secured the packers for alleged violations of the pure who asked why he had come back that Ne

calling for an increased number of open the commissioner has information that the hat up against the side of the house tellence of the fireplace for ventilating on the outside of the package. The law low's getting \$16 a month on the old Pennpurposes have made it popular. In Engiand, where every house has its grate in shall be the actual weight of the goods, active and daily use both for heating and not including the wrappings. Mr. Johnson

#### Concerning Dwelling Place Needs

These are two questions which a very labor to clean well, because things remain rich man advised all persons to ask them- clean much longer than when they are police magistrate of Omaha Saturday he selves when they think of going into a done in a sloventy, careless way: store. According to him, no one should Whatever may be thought of a person keeper should have set times for doing her whose one aim in life is that of saving extra work. Besides the ordinary daily

A person who seems to think only of parts. for windows and the proper furnishings saving and has no idea of the many little for portieres and open doorways in the extra comforts of life is one to be pitied; requires day by day must be regulated by house is an important branch of home fur- but any one of limited means who spends the extent to which it is used. As a rule nishing," said an Omaha furniture man, every cent he earns simply to appear to the things which require daily attention "These are things which go very far to- be as grand as other people is a person to in most houses are the sweeping and

agine that anything will do and it is safe be as grand as every one else is the ruin dusting of the various passages and the to say that only a small percentage of of thousands, both rich and poor. There cleaning of the doorsteps. Besides this, them ever dream that curtains should be can be no doubt that a comfortable house there is the daily work of the kitchen. made to match anything else in the room. Is not made the less comfortable by its . In cleaning a kitchen the range should "The latest style in this line advocates furniture being of the best and artistic, receive the first attention. It is necessary only light curtains. It used to be the thing but where a person has not an unlimited if we are to get good results and ful to have heavy hangings at the windows income comfort and utility should stand value for the fuel consumed that the lange and the thicker they were and the deeper before the artistic and the ornamental. their pleats and drapings the richer they | Buy what you want, and buy it of the stated that the kitchen fire ought to be were supposed to look. Now such a thing best if you can, is good advice for the the household refuse destructor, with ad-

That which is cheap is not often good and is therefore generally dear in the end, is "Curtains for windows in ordinary Everything that is brought into a house houses should be of some sort of lace | for use should add to the comfort of the A man, after the worries of daily life,

rect for dining or living rooms. They of all the most gorgeous suites in exist- should be applied but sparingly, and only should not hang low. If they just touch ence. And it is the same with all the after the parts have been well washed Chairs and beds and couches should be "For portieres slike or heavy madras are for comfort instead of for show and for

Those who are starting in life and beholders may use to advantage brocades, ginning housekeeping will do well to be steady and thrifty. They should buy nothing they cannot afford; they should buy Following the passion for mission style nothing until they have the money to pay furniture has come furniture which any for it. But when they have once bought man can put together in his own home. that which they want they should take care

advocated by Bill Nye, who gave minute | Everything should be kept in its place. A piece of old blanket or old flannel garinstructions in his household department and it would be well in most houses if ment does very well for the former; an to have been closed and a meeting of the "how to make a chair out of tomato cans." there were not so many things for this old kitchen towel for the latter. It is wise The parts of the furniture are made to one place. When a thing is not wanted also to have a small kneeling mat. fit into each other at the factory and it should be got rid of and not stowed on screws and full directions go with each shelves or cupboards, taking up the room

wanted are generally in the way and cause much trouble. In bedrooms there are, as like end of the brush for the corners, "There is an enormous demand in Omaha a rule, far more things than are wanted. ent," said a representative of the John- the more furniture the less the room for

in many others that the best is the cheap- of illness everything that can be removed the floor is left after scrubbing the better sat. A great change has taken place in is taken out of the room. Curtains and it will look when finished. pillows and carpets have to go, but they of its drawbacks used to be that the ce- are brought back directly the doctor is ment by which the pieces were held to- gone. Pictures and images and knickplace, but the walls of ordinary houses should not be looked on as picture galleries, nor the sitting rooms as museums the color of the boards.

place, and it is a pleasure to clean such and tear of daily home life has to be room. a utensil, besides being a pleasure to provided for. Cleanliness affects the Before sweeping a carpet sprinkle on it ash in it.

health, because dirt on the walls or the some well washed tea leaves; or, if these "One of these bowls as now made has floors or the furniture of a house de- are not at hand, any leaves from the the slab, bowl, overflow, apron, back and composes and throws off gases and vapors garden, washed and left damp, do almost ends all in one piece. There is nothing which taint the air and make it impure equally well. In strewing the leaves over and unfit to breathe. Cleanliness also the carpet begin at the window end of the For such as fear the onslaught of germs affects the comfort of the family, for there room and walk backward to the door. are very few people who do not feel more they do in dirty ones.

lasts longer in good condition when it is again. kept clean, and very plain things can be made to look equal to more expensive ones by a little expenditure of time and trouble

in their cleaning and polishing. As cleaning is such a necessary part of the routine of every well conducted house, a due amount of time should be devoted to it, and it should be done in proper Division of time and labor is a great help. Too much should not be attempted in one day. It interferes with the comfort of the inmates and wears out the bodies and demetimes the tempers of all concerned in Philadelphia North American.

Do I really want it? Can I do without it? the work. It is a saving of time and was about to dismiss the case against the

In order to ensure that no part of the buy anything which is not really useful. housecleaning is overlooked every housemoney, there can be no doubt that many work which must be done in every housepeople squander their income in the most hold, special days should be set aside for foolish way.

pressed the police judge, and as he looked to man before him be remarked: "Cir-

dusting of rooms, the removal of ashes, A desire to be always in the fashion and the making of beds, the sweeping and should be kept clean. It might here be vantage to health and a saving to the coal bill. To clean the bright work friction necessary, but finely powdered bath brick will be found useful.

It should also be remembered that if rust and other marks are removed at once much hard rubbing will be avoided. Stove polish and similar compounds with water when the range is cool. The inside of the oven requires to be washed out occasionally and a coating of thin limewash at intervals will be found an

advantage. All cooking utensils should be cleaned after being used, before they are put away. Before beginning to scrub a floor it should be well swept and the following a piece of soap, a scrubbing brush, a woolen floor cloth and a coarse linen one.

In kitchens and sculleries and living the scrubbing brush and scrub as hard as connecting link for the Gould lines between thur Norcott for breaking into and robbing rooms there are generally twice as many you can. Brush in the direction of the Denver and the Western Pacific at Salt the postoffice at Broken Bow in August

scrubbed and be careful to use the fan-When this is done, remove the dirty for porcelain bath room fixtures at pres- There the great object should be air, and water from the floor with the flannel, making the boards as clean as you can. Then, with the drying cloth, well rub the they all want the best quality, too. It is And in addition to this space there is spot, washing and wringing the rubber all my ambitions, because it will do more against Ellis was caused by the fact that true in this style of goods even more than the matter of dust and disease. In times as often as may be required. The dryer

> If the floor be very dirty the water will require to be frequently changed; in which case it is a good plan to use two pailsknacks of all kinds are very well in their one in which to wash the woolen floor cloth and another for the drying one. Soda should never be used, as it spoils

It is very desirable that, in scrubbing New articles do not remain always new, a floor, one should begin at the window dirt to hide in. Dirt can't find a lodging nor clean things always clean. The wear end and move backward to the door of the

Then, with the long-hundled broom, bewhite, nonporous surface a germ or a comfortable in clean surroundings than gin at the door and sweep. Hold the broom firmly in front of you, keep it close Dirt is degrading and demoralizing; to the carpet and brush as lightly as you cleanliness is elevating. A woman who can. If the bristles of the broom are keeps her house clean and is never strongly pressed on the carpet the broom ashamed to allow any part of it to be seen will be spoiled and the dust will not be is conscious of a feeling of self-respect removed. Sweep a small part of the carpet which no dirty housekeeper could ever feel, at a time, as it is better to do the work Cleanliness is economical. Furniture at once than have to go over the carpet

Having gone over the room with the broom, take the band brush and well brush the dust from the edges and corners into the dust pan.

If the carpet is old or faded get a bucket of cold water and put into it one tablespoonful of ammonia; wet a clean towel in this, wring it out as dry as you order and not in a haphazard sort of way, can and rub lightly all over the carpet, paying particular attention to the most faded parts.

The towel will need to be washed in the bucket several times during the process .-

is said to save # per cent of the coal bill. commissioner does not direct the county Omaha builders are putting into their attorney to bring prosecutions, but merely homes a great variety of grates, from the calls attention in general terms to alleged rough structure, built on the stern lines of violations. rude stone and bare brick, to the handsomely finished ones of varicolored enam- Attorney English, "and ask him to furnish cled tile.

lovernment Will Push Prosecutions law provides for a fine." for Violating Safety Appliance

and Loading Laws.

That the Department of Justice is in dead earnest in the matter of the prosecutions of the various railroads of this section for the violation of the safety appliance and twenty-eight-hour laws is manicial agents and inspectors of the bureau States district court and the trial of them Platte valley are immense this year. will begin early next week. The special ,

two others are expected to arrive in Omaha Assistant Attorney General L. M. Walter. the special attorney for the Interstate Comperce commission from Washington, will lave charge of the trial of the cases, assted by United States District Attorney

The cases will be tried before a jury and robably will be the first of the cases brought for trial Monday morning, at which time the federal petit jury is ordered o appear.

JOHNSON IS THE ARBITER State Food Inspector Must Decide as to Prosecution of the

food law.

socking, they have invented a new amoke is of the opinion the law is being violated benefitted by at once addressing M. H. P. administration to be added to the grate, which in this respect by most of the packers. The

"I will write to the commissioner," said me with specific instances of law violations. If he comes up with the evidence I will UNCLE SAM AFTER ROADS begin prosecutions against any packers who are shown to have violated the law. The

ABUNDANT CHOP OF WHEAT

Harvest that Threatens to Overflow the Granaries Out Around Octavia.

Abe F. Eberly, postmaster of Octavia, Neb., and one of its leading merchants, of labor and commerce from Washington was in Omaha Saturday on business and to who have been summoned to Omaha as see the Ak-Sar-Ben carnival. Mr. Eberl, witnesses in these cases. Twelve of these has lived in Nebraska ten years and came cases are now pending in the United from Pennsylvania. He said crops in the

"We gathered in a wheat crop there that aspectors now here are: W. R. Wright, threatened to overflow our granaries," he 1. H. Strickland, C. F. Merrill, George E said. "When the crop was ready to be Starbird and John F. Ensign, and one or harvested the scriptural saying was truly exemplified, for 'the harvest truly was plenteous, but the reapers were few.' I am proud to say that I was one of the harves. hands. The business men just went out from the town and pitched right in helping the farmers to save the heavy grain crop which meant wealth alike to them and to is. They paid us well for it, too. I got \$3.50 a day and my board for the few days I was one of the harvesters.

"We will also have a bumper crop of corn. We have already had a slight frost but the corn was all safe before this came Mr. Eberly has no patience with people who do not stick up for Nebraska.

"A young fellow came out to Octavia from where I used to live in Pennsylvania, he said. "He got a good place on a farm but I think he became homesick. At any It is up to State Food Commissioner rate he went back to Pennsylvania. There Fighteenth and Lake streets. The ings are filed against the South Omaha that he was homesick. He told the people braska was too windy to suit him. 'Why,' County Attorney English has received a he said, 'all you have to do when you come Architects report that home builders are letter from Commissioner Johnson stating in from the field for dinner is to lay your grates in modern houses. The beauty of packers are violating the law by failing to wind is always strong enough to keep ( the open grate fire, together with the ex- place the net weight of hams and bacon there. Don't need any hat pegs.' That followed the pegs of the pegs

A. O. U. W. members will be greatly

New Department to Be Established in

Federal Building. When S. A. Myers, 2010 Dodge street, thought of living in the same house with WILL BRING A LARGE FORCE his mother-in-law, as he stood before the

stiff fine, just as Judge Bryce Crawford Secretary of Agriculture Wilson Asks Trensury to Allow Him Room in Omaha for Permanent Staff.

Indications point to the probability that Myers appeared in police court charged another important federal department headwith drunkenness and abusing his wife, He told a straightforward story which imquarters is to be added to the federal building force of Omaha, which will bring a large number of officials and clerks here comstances sometimes after cases in this as permanent residents.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson has ad-Then Myers made the mistake of his life. dressed a letter to the secretary of the "My mother-in-law and sister-in-law live treasury asking for quarters in the federal building at Omaha for the use of a branch But he could not control his mirth. He laboratory of the Bureau of Chemistry. snickered in his sleeve and then in his These laboratories are installed in many of handkerchief. "My mother-in-law lives the leading cities of the country for the purpose of testing all food products which Judge Crawford looked up slowly as come under the provision of the pure food Myers struggled to control his mirth. He law, and the regulations governing the sale simply could not stand it. The idea of and manufacture of drugs and chemicals. being charged with abusing his wife with It is possible that a considerable clerical his sister-in-law and his mother-in-law force will be employed. Secretary Wilson living in the same house, touched the prisintimates that it is desirable to have the ener's funny bone and he was all "foollaboratory located near the offices of the "Yes, my mother-in-law," was there, he explained once more, as his un- appraisers.

Custodian Barrows in replying to the reshaven gill grew red with laughter. It was just too funny, telling the court that his quest on him for rooms has answered his mother-in-law was around all the time, and department that only one suite of rooms he giggled and giggled, as he buried his are now available in the big building under his charge, those being the suite on the sec-Magistrate Crawford and the court offi- ond floor formerly occupied by the railway cials did not appreciate the humor of the mail service. It is possible that further inquiry will situation as Myers did and the prisoner

CONNECTING LINK FOR HILL Such is What Moffat Admits His New Line West of Denver to Be

It is announced from Denver and verified by Mr. Moffat that the new line which he things be at hand: A pail of warm water, is building west from Denver is to form a necting the Burlington at Denver with the Clark line at Salt Lake. The deal is said stockholders of the Burlington is called gave this interview to the Denver Times: 345 in postal funds.

done before.

"Just now Denver is a side station. Mr. drug store in South Omaha. Harriman has a monopoly on business and he sends everything on through lines that come no nearer to Denver than Chevenne. least half of it going through Denver.

In any case it means another governmental department added to the constantly increasing army of Uncle Sam's service sta tioned in Omaha.

made for quarters in South Omaha, as the laboratory people would naturally have a

large amount of business coming before

COUPLE MORE INDICTMENTS

Bills Returned Against John Williams

them from the various packing houses.

and Arthur Norcott, Grand Island and Broken Bow. In addition to the indictments returned

for November 6 in St. Louis to ratify the by the federal grand jury Friday and not With the woolen floor cloth wet as much agreement. This is a change in the pro- heretofore announced are indictments of the floor as you can comfortably reach, gram, for it was announced some days against John Wilson of Grand Island for using plenty of water. Put some soap on ago that the Moffat line was to be the mailing an obscene letter, and against Arthings as are necessary, and things not grain of the wood, leave no space un- Lake. In confirming this story Mr. Moffat last, obtaining as a result of his robbery

"My road, as far as the state line, will No true bills were found in the cases of remain in my control, but the traffic W. F. Barada, T. A. Felix, Albert Lamson agreement with Mr. Hill and the Burling- and Charles Ellis, who were charged with ton will put Denver on the shortest direct selling liquer without procuring the governline from Chicago to the coast and satisfy ment license. The dismissal of the case for Denver than any one man has ever he is now under sentence of three years in the Nebraska penitentiary for holding up a

Satisfactory help can be obtained upon short notice by the use of The Bee's want When the combination of the Hill in- columns. There are plenty of competent terests with my line and the Utah and people to be found if you use this best of Clark lines is complete the business from all mediums. But you'll wait a long time Chicago to the coast will be divided and if you wait for voluntary applications from there will be active competition, with at competent people. The incompetent are the ones that go from door to door looking for "The Rock Island will also be an ally work. The competent ones read The Bee of this route, and Denver will profit more want ads and don't have to make a perthan by any other move that can be made." sonal canvass for work.



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