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LINCOLN NEWS AND COMMENT | States and it has played some or the finest theatres and dance halls in the

SECURES "DOWN TO

THE SEA IN SHIPS'

Mr. Dan Doughty, aged 63, died at country. It is an organization of 10 a local hospital last Monday after men and it was only through an enorsome days illness from Brights dis- mous expense that they were able to ease. Doughty had been a resident be brought to Omaha for this purpose. of Lincoln for a number of years; Negotiations are under way by the his wife leaving him some time ago, Diamond Theatre Company to secure and since which time, he has lived this same band to play at a dance in mostly obscure to our group-hence Dreamland Hall on Thursday night,

you knew nothing of him, only when March 27th, but it is not certain you saw him on the streets. The only whether they can be obtained. In adsurviver is a son, but his where- dition to the jazz band both theatres abouts was not learned at his death, will play their regular photoplay at-The funeral was held in Alba tractions so that the patrons will be

Brown's undertaking parlor last Wed- abe to see and hear two attractions nesday afternoon, preached by Rev. for the price of one. H. W. Botts. It was said to be a sad sight, to behold, not a single moura- DIAMOND THEATRE er followed the remains to its resting place. A number of acquaintances paid last respects.

Mr. Frank Christiman is recovering On Thursday and Friday, March 20 from some illness of the past week. and 21, the Diamond Theatre wil!

Mrs. Ella Reinhardt is confined with play "Down To The Sea in Ships." illness.

Mrs. C. W. Wilson was called to such a sensation down town when it her home in Kansas last week on played at the Sun theatre for two account of her husband's illness. weeks at a 50c admission price. In Mrs. J. J. Burden is recovering from this picture is shown the capture of a 98 ton bull whale in which three

recent illness. The Mission will meet with Helen men actually lost their lives. It is Owens next Tuesday night, March 25. by far the most thrilling scene ever

Mrs. Marie Patrick entertained the photographed and the manufacturers Utopian Art Club last Thursday night of this photoplay claim that it is the at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. only authentic picture of this kind Forbes, 2410 Holdrege Street, after ever produced. There is a reward of routine of business. Mrs. Nettie Mc- \$10,000.00 for anyone who can dis-Donald, one of our able musicians. prove the facts of this picture. On the same two days the Diamond rendered musical selections on the piano, which were greatly applauded Theatre will start running the fa- lic as well as the inventor. by the good crowd present. The en- mous second series of "Fighting tire meeting was a social and profit- Blood" stories. This is a continua-

able one. Mrs. May Morris is gradually gain- Blood" stories which were so popular ing in strength.

Mr. and Mrs. James Patrick are pictures are shown Thursday and Friremoving to a farm near Denton this day, and on Friday in addition all week, where he will engage in agri- patrons will have a chance to hear cultural pursuits. This is one of Mr. the famous Robinson Jazz Band. Patrick's Arts, and he will feel at On Saturday, March 22nd the Diamond Theatre announces "The Great

Rev. G. W. Carter conducted his Mail Robbery," a thrilling photoplay services on last Sunday and is pre- which is everything that the name paring to wind up business for the past implies and contains every conceivable year; and will leave for his Annual kind of thrill. Conference at Denver, Colo., about the first of April.

The play, Cherry Blossom, was repeated at McKinley School Auditorium last Friday night. It was said Franklin Theatre announces as its as before. A good and appreciative opening attraction "The Mask of Loaudience greeted them.

Mrs. Lew Holmes met with a pain- a new Western star is featured-Fred ful accident Sunday when she fell Thompson, whom all critics say will who runs a farm near here, in appealnear 13th and O Streets, fracturing soon be one of the leaders. The pic- ing to the state for a "snake hunter." the bones in one of her lower limbs. ture also stars Silver King, the fa-

Services at Mt. Zion Baptist Church mous' \$100,000.00 prize white stallion. tlesnakes have been killed on her farm Sunday was conducted by the pastor, This horse performs more tricks than during the last nine years. who preached two very instructive Tom Mix's Tony ever heard of, and sermons to his people. His words, the picture is one we are sure will promised to take action. if taken by the Christian, will aid meet with the approval of all the him to impress the world to have re- Franklin patrons.

spect for his Christian fellowship, one On Sunday, March 23rd, the Frankwith another. The Sunday School and lin Theatre announces a triple pro-B. Y. P. U. were greatly aided in gram. First the feature picture wil! their work by good instructions as to right living. The entertainments by ping story of the North woods abundthe different clubs are being had at ant with thrills and sensa opportune times; the proceeds of second will be a brand new comedy which will be reported at the big by Larry Semon entitled "Horse Shoes," being one of the best he has Sunday, March 16, was the Annual ever made, and the third will be a Woman's Day at Quinn Chapel, and new picture starring Leo Maloney, members of the Rosebud Club had called "Unsuspecting Strangers." All charge of the services. These ladies three of these pictures will be shown had prepared an all day program at one price.

fraction of this reaches the earth. The amount of heat we receive from the moon has been measured with very delicate instruments. It is so excessively minute that whatever effect it may have on our atmosphere must be completely swamped and obliterated by the enormously greater effects of solar energy.

Dry and Wet Moon Myth. "It is true that the pull of the moon and the sun upon the atmosphere pro duces a tide in the atmosphere much like a tide in the ocean. But this, too, has been measured and it is found to be insignificant compared with the alternate expanding and shrinking of the atmosphere due to heating by day and cooling by night-the 'heat tide,' so to speak. Hence it is of no prac-

tical interest. "The belief in 'dry' and 'wet' moons indicated by the position of the lunar crescent in the evening sky, and a **FISE IN YOUR NEWSPAPER**.

host of other notions associating the moon with the weather, are merely idle superstitions. Moonlight is sometimes said to be conducive to frosts. This is the photoplay which created The fact is that moonlight nights also are clear nights, and it is the absence of clouds, not the presence of the moon, that favors the occurrency of frosts by permitting a rapid loss of heat from the earth."

New Brazilian Law Safeguards Inventions

Rio de Janeiro .- A new law governing patents on inventions went into effect in Brazil recently. In the words of the minister of agriculture, commerce and industry, who proposed the change, it "will protect the pub-

Under the former law, patents were registered in each of the 21 Brazilian states and if the inventor failed to tion of the first series of "Fighting register his rights in any state he received no protection in that state. in this same theatre. Both of these The new law requires one registration with the federal government. The new law is expected to be of

special service to foreign manufacturers.

Urged to Grow Flax

St. Paul, Minn.-Manufacturers of flax products of the United States appealed to agricultural educators of the Northwest in a conference here to urge farmers to grow more flax. It was agreed that flax has a place in the system of crop rotation and that the present good market for the product makes it a crop worth raising.

Luck, Wyo .-- We have so many rattlesnakes that when I hear a hen cackle I have to race to her nest to get the egg before a snake gets there." Thus declared Mrs. Huston Sowers, Mrs. Sowers declares that 500 rat-The state biological survey has

Franklin Theatre **Under New Management**

Jap Police Adopt Pistole Tokyo .- The long saber of the Japnese policeman, an unwieldy weapon in a "rough and tumble," is to be replaced by a revolver and short sword. The regulations announce that the revolver shall be used only for purposes of self-defense or against pris oners attempting to escape.

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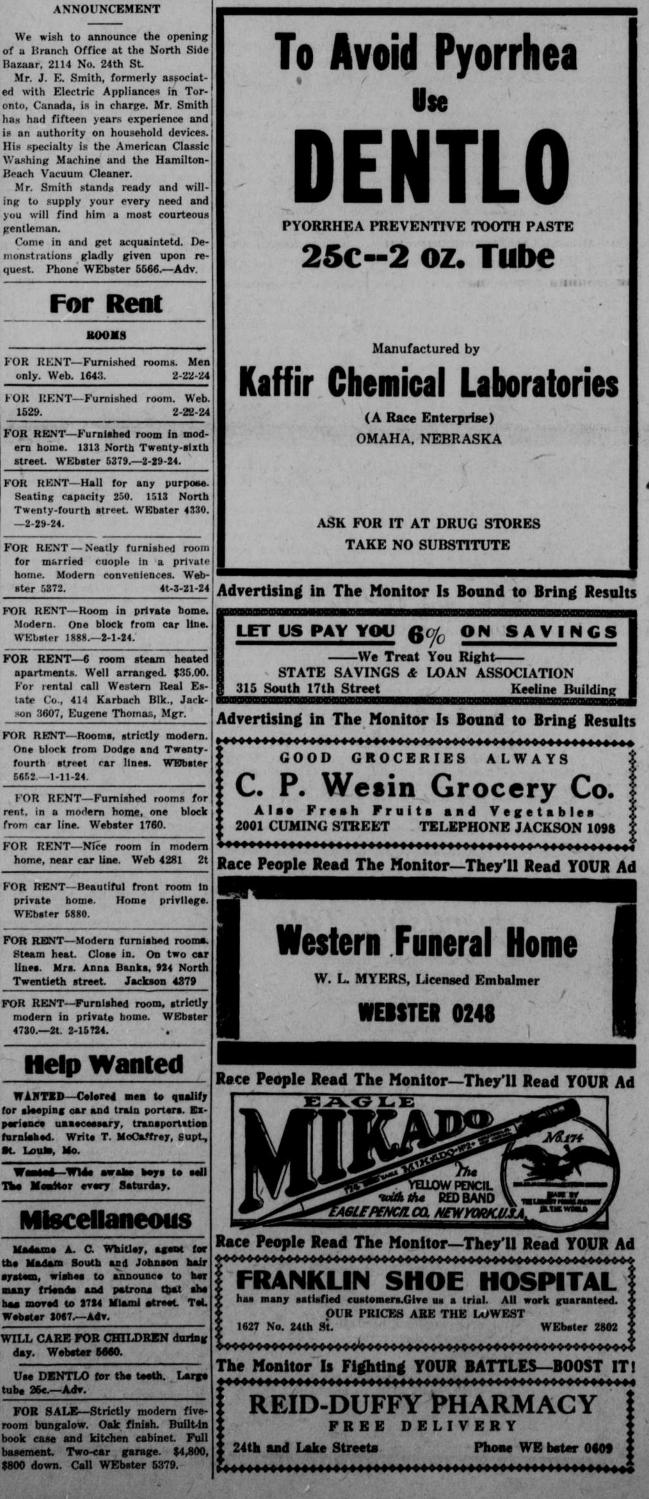


JOHN ADAMS, ATTORNEY



GEORGE NIBLO

of Niblo & Spencer in "Step On It" at the popular Gayety twice daily all next week. A most extraordinary added attraction is the world's master magician, Horace Goldin, in "Radio Film Telepathy".



OPENING ATTRACTION AT FRANKLIN THEATRE

On Saturday, March 22nd, the pez," direct from its downtown run at advance prices. In this photoplay,

financial rally in May.

which was very interesting as well as

inspiring. Financially, the members feel quite successful, although the EQUINOCTIAL STORMS

final reports have not been made. Friends of Mrs. Lewis Holmes received quite a shock Sunday evening when they learned that while returning home from the Church, she slipped U. S. Weather Bureau Says and fell, near the corner of Miller & Paine's store, breaking her leg just above the ankle. Castle, Roper & Matthews ambulance-was called and at Washington has just dispelled sevshe was immediately taken to St. eral common superstitions concerning Elizabeth's hospital, where treatment the weather. In both Europe and was given. She expects to return America there is an old belief that a home about the middle of the week; severe storm-the so-called "equinocalthough she will be confined indoors that storm" or "equinoctial gale"-is for a long time. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

A surprise party was given at the the autumnal or vernal equinox, says home of Mrs. Lewis Holmes, Sunday the New York Times. evening, by the Optimistic Set, complimentary to Mrs. Arthur Patrick, identifying any storm that occurs who with her family expects to reside within a week or several weeks of the in the near future near Denton, Ne- equinox as the equinoctial storm," braska. Refreshments were served by the club members.

The members of the Davis Woman's Club were very artistically entertained by Mrs. Fannie Young and Mrs. storms do occur about these dates, Margaret Williams at the home of just as they occur at all other times Mrs. Young Tuesday afternoon. Re- in the year. No reason why storms freshments were served after the pro- should be especially frequent around gramme, which was very interesting.

BOTH FRANKLIN AND DIAMOND THEATRES UNDER

The Diamond Theatre Company has leased the Diamond Theatry located on Lake street, just west of 24th and the Franklin theatre located at the corner of 24th and Franklin Streets. It is their intention to give the people residing in this neighborhood only the very finest motion pictures obtainas well as entirely new vaude nent, and a new company of musical comedy players. The Franklin theatre is closed and

will reopen Friday night, March 21st. It is now being retouched, repainted, returnished and newly equipped thru-

The Diamond Theatre is still running under the new policy and will be newly deported while it is in opera-

On Friday, March 21st for the gala pening event both theatres will play ning event both theatres will play inson's Plantation Band of New ann. This is without a doubt, the enjoyed fast band in the United

Belief Is Mythical.

Washington .- The weather bureau due about the date of either equinox. that is, March 21 or September 22, or more particularly about the date of

"The fallacy of this idea consists in

says the bureau. "Statistics show that there is no maximum of storm frequency either in this country or in Europe close to the date of either equinox. Of course, in the long run the equinoxes is known to meteorolo gists

"In the United States the belief in the equinoctial storm as an event of regular occurrence has perhaps been NEW MANAGEMENT fostered by the fact that West Indian hurricanes are most common in the late summer and early autumn,

> Called Equinoctial Anyway. Occasionally a severe storm of this racter sweeps up our Atlantic seaboard, doing a great deal of damage and attracting general attention. If it happens anywhere near September 22 the event is sure to be heralded as

> "the equinoctial storm." " Commenting on the moon's influence on the weather, the bureau says: "Modern science is unable to find

any evidence that the moon affects the weather to an appreciable extent, and on affects the able to co ceive of any reason why should. The movem ts of the at mosphere that give us different kinds of weather all involve the expenditure of an immense amount of ener the form of heat. Such energy to us from the sun, and its varying ef-fects depend mainly upon the varying positions of the earth as it revolves

