# THE FRONTIER.

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# OVER THE STATE.

A CITIZEN's relief committee has been organized at Arapahoe.

Freen's grocery store at Osborn has been closed on a chattel mortgage. THE new Baptist church at Nebraska City will be dedicated January 6th.

NEBRASKA CITY will hold a mass meeting in behalf of western sufferers.

Tux Deuel County Teachers' associa-tion will meet at Big Springs January 12.

THERE are exactly nineteen applicants for the wardenship of the penitentiary.

About thirty Russians are at work on the ballasting gang a few miles from Halgler.

As Odd Fellows lodge is to be organized at Dodge early in the new year, with a large membership.

THE Union Pacific has given orders for closing down of the shops at Cheyenne for an indefinite period.

NUMEROUS cases of hay stealing are reported from around Norfolk. One man has already lost twenty-five tons.

MRS. MUNSON, an old lady of Bladen, slipped on a doorstep and fell, breaking both bones of the leg just above the ankle.

HIGHWAYMEN have of late been doing a thriving business in South Omaha. One—and only one—of the rascals has been captured.

PRISONERS in the Nebraska penitentiary were given the usual feast on Christmas. Among other good things Christmas. 400 turkeys were devoured.

WORK on the Burwell irrigation ditch is progressing rapidly. Teams are working the entire length of the ditch up to the Sioux creek canyon.

EACH needy families in Nebraska City received twenty pounds of beef and a bushel of potatoes, a Christmas gift from General and Mrs. Van Wyck.

THE Congregational church will ship four carloads of supplies to the drouth afferers in Frontier county on Thursday, amounting to several hundred doilars in value.

WILLIAM A. MORRILL, of Osceola, who was convicted of the crime of forgery, was sentenced to a term of three years at hard labor in the penitentiary, and to pay a fine of \$100 and costs.

At the international poultry show at Kansas City Cashier Dice of Roca, Neb., won first premium on light brahmas. The winning bird was eight months old and weighed fourteen pounds.

MARTHIMES SANDS of Otoe county was adjudged insane and will be taken to the Lincoln asylum. He imagines that he is possessed of large sums of money which people are trying to steal from him.

Two TRAMPS entered Souder Bro.'s department store at Falls City where they tried their hand at shoplifting. but were detected in the act by one of the clerks. The marshal took them to the calaboose.

THE residence of L. P. Hanson of Fremont was robbed during the ab-sence of the family at a neighbor's. Forty dollars, a gold watch and chain, two necklaces and a lot of other lewelry were taken.

C. F. HUMPREY of Gretna recovered a saddle which was stolen from him two months ago. He located the thief in Missouri after some skillful detective work and had him brought back to Gretna and placed behind the bars.

A woman at Areadia gave birth to a child, but, having no food or clothing in the house, she died within a few

Some of the people of Keya Paha county are hard up from losing their but most of them will last season. crops be able to pull through with a little aid from the county. It may be when spring comes some of the farmers will have to be helped to feed and seed.

In many happy homes in Omaha yes-terday, says the World-Herald, it was felt that the happiest were those from which gifts had gone out to the drouth sufferers and other needy ones. In contrast with this was the example of a well-to-do family which had a Christmas tree and valuable presents for its pet dog. There are no children in that family.

W. O. JAMISON, county commissioner of Keith county, who has been in the east for ten days as a representative of the county to solicit aid for the drouth stricken farmers, returned to Ogalalla last week. Mr. Jamison said that he succeeded in getting nine carloads of coal, one-half car of wheat and forty boxes of clothing from the residents of southern lowa.

THE electric light plant of York, owned by the York Gas and Electric Light company, was sold a public anction by the sheriff of York county. It was sold as a result of a mortgage foreclosure, The plant was first sold to George B. France for \$5,210, but as that gentleman refused to take it, it was sold to the next lowest bidder, a Mr. Metcalf, for \$5,205.

AT Newman Grove Mrs. Carrie Moon went out to milk a fractious cow. As she did not return as soon as usual, the children went out and found her lying under the cow dead, the cow hav kicked and stamped her to death ng Death was immediate, as the frontial bone was broken and crushed into the brain. She was a widow, leaving five children, the oldest 10 years old.

THERE are no new developments in the Goldgraber failure, says the Fre-mont Tribune, except that the liabilities keep creeping up gradually as new claims come to light one after another. The amount of the known liabilities now exceed \$25,000 for the Fremont store alone and in all probability when all are in it will reach nearly \$30,000. The appraisers are still at work and will not finish their task for several days.

REV. L. P. LUDDEN desires to state that no one is authorized to collect sup-plies for drouth sufferers on behalf of the Nebraska relief commission. All supplies have been voluntary so far and no one. in the state or out, has been made an authorized collector. The supplies collected by anyone will be gladly accepted if allowed to be distributed in the prescribed way. Free railroad transportation will be obtain Free ed for all such.

THE Stockham postoffice was robbed last week by unknown parties. About \$250, partly in stamps and partly in cash, was stolen. An entrance was ef focted by breaking in a large front win dow. A hole was drilled into the safe the door blown clear off the door and hinges, shattering the front windows and exposing the entire contents of the The books containing the stamp safe. and cash accounts were also taken, so that the amount taken is not definitely known.

GOVERNOR CROUNSE last week issued in unconditional pardon to James E. Murphy, a former resident of Seward county. Murphy is a man about fifty years of age and was sentenced to eighteen months in the penitentiary at the January term of the Seward county district court for assault with intent to do bodily injury upon an old man and a neighbor. He has never been in the penitentiary, but has lain in jail since his conviction. The application was backed by lengthy petitions from Seward's most prominent citizens. T. M. MARQUETTE, of Lincoln, died

last week in Tampa, Fla. He was a native of Springfield, O., and at the



THE PRESIDENT MAY BE OBLIGED TO CALL ONE. TO MEET EARLY IN THE SPRING.

Hill and Onay Said to Be All Ready to Block the Income Tax Collection Appropriation \_ The Financial Measure Also in Peril-Both Are Likely to Be Defeated at This Session.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.-The talk of an early extra session of the Fiftyfourth congress has been revived at the capitol by the contingencies which may arise growing out of the failure of necessary legislation at the present session. Upon two pending bills, it is generally believed, hinges the question of whether Mr. Cleveland will convoke the new congress soon after the death of the Fifty-third, March 4. These two are the urgent deficiency appropriation bill, which contains the appropriation for carrying the income tax into effect and which is pending in the senate, and the Carlisle currency bill, which is under debate in the house, and the fate of which will be decided soon after the house convenes January 3.

The opponents of the income tax, led, it is understood, by Senators Hill and Quay, will make a desperate fight in the senate and will exhaust every parliamentary expedient to defeat it. Mr. Quay, it is said, has added largely to the accumulated speech with which he proposed talking the tariff bill to death at the last session, unless certain changes were made in the wool sched-ule, and is prepared for a long siege. He has already enough manusiege. He has already enough manu-script, it is said, to consume a month's time of the senate, and with proper support he believes the efforts of the supporters of the income tax will not be successful. The New York members of the senate affect to believe in the ultimate defeat of the bill.

CORRUPTION IN ST. JOSEPH. The Police Charged With Standing in

With Gamblers and Bad Classes.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 31.-City Attorney James Mytton has made formal charges against the police force and the police judge that, if proved, will not only call for a public investigation, but may cause Governor Stone to haul Police Commissioners Van Natta, Ryan and Trice over the coals. He charges that gambling houses run wide open all over the city; that the police visit them and watch the playing at the same time accepting drinks and cigars from the proprietors, and when compelled to make arrests take into custody only the keeper, letting the players continue the game and re-leasing the proprietor on his own recognizance; that the police judge and captain of police hold star chamber sessions of the police court, admitting no one but arrested gamblers and keeping the city attorney in ignor-ance of the trial and imposing the lowest possible fine on the gamblers. without compelling them to appear.

NEW YORK FIREMEN KILLED.

## THE NEW DIPHTHERIA CURE.

Dr. Kinyoun's Report on His Researches -Dangers From Spurious Anti-Toxine. WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.-The officials

of the United States Marine Hospital service are watching with interest the results obtained from the new diphtheria cure. They have just made public the report made by Dr. J.\* J. Kinyoun of his visit to the Children's hospital at Berlin where the larger portion of cases suffering from diphtheria are treated. There were about thirty-five cases in the hospital at the time of his visit and their ages were The usually from three to five years. death rate was slightly lower than in the Paris hospitals for the reason that the patients were sent to the hospital sooner and the children received better care than was accorded them in like institutions in Paris. Dr. Kinyoun elaborately describes the methods and practices employed in the hospitals in treatment of the disease.

The matter of the control or supervision of the use of anti-toxine was engaging the attention of the Berlin authorities. While Dr. Kinyoun was there, November 4, Professor Koch convened a meeting of the Prussian board of health for determining what should be taken. Professor action Koch had expressed the opinion that there should be some government supervision of the serum so that it could always be relied upon. there was no such supervision, it would not be long before spurious articles would be put on the market and not only would a good remedy be brought into disrepute, but lives might be sacrificed when they might be saved. It was decided at the meeting of the board that all serum intended for use in Prussia should be inspected and tested for its purity and strength before it would be allowed to be used. This was satisfac tory to all the parties concerned and be the means of insuring a good article of standard strength at all times for Prussia.

In this connection Dr. Kinyoun calls attention to what he says will evidently occur in this country. Many persons, will during the coming year, prepare the serum as a business enterprise, and there will, with-out doubt, be many worthless articles called anti-toxine thrown upon the market. All of the serum intended for sale, he believes, should be made or tested by competent persons. The testing, in fact, should be done by disinterested parties. The anti-toxine, he says, will never work miracles. having its limits like any other agents, and like a perfect piece of machinery, will not accomplish the full result unless directed by a skillful hand. "Some persons affected with this dread disease," he declares, "Some persons affected will succomb, it matters not how soon we apply the remedy. The majority will, however, I am sure, recover if the anti-toxine is given early and properly.'

In closing, the report expresses the hope that soon every state and munic-ipality will take the proper steps to provide facilities for supplying the remedy to the people.

### A Kansas Law Overthrown

WELLINGTON, Kan., Dec. 31.-District Judge Burnett yesterday decided that the Double day fee and salary law, passed by the last legislature unconstitutional. Register of was Deeds Newbold was arrested on charge of misdemeanor for failure to comply with the requirements of the law and a motion to quash proceed-ings was sustained. The law was was made to take effect at different times and on this ground it was contested.

#### Shortage Getting Bigger.

# A NOBLE FIGHT. AN EMINENT SOUTHERN LAW-

sity and Suffering. - The Great Vic-tory Won by Science Over a Stubborn Disease.

[From the Atlanta, Ga., Constitution.] [From the Atlanta, Ga., Constitution.] Foremost among the best known lawyers and farmers of North Carolina stands Col. Isaac A. Sogg of Greenville. Mr. Sugg has resided in Greenville twenty-two years. While nearly every one in Pitt county knows Mr. S.'s history, perhaps all do not know of his return to business again after an iliness of sixteen years. No man has gone through more than he and lived. It was a case of the entire breaking down of gone through more than he and lived. It was a case of the entire breaking down of was a case of the entire breaking down of the nervous system, attended by exeruciat-ing, agonizing, mendurable pain. Opiates and stimulants only quieted temporarily, and all treatments failed him. Only his love of family and friends prevented suicide. He told a reporter the following interesting

story: "I kept at my work as long as I could, but nature gave way at last and I suc-cumbed to the inevitable. My entire nervenmbed to the inevitable. My entire nerv-ous system had been shattered by the stimulants and opiates I had taken, my blood had actually turned to water, my weight had dropped from 173 pounds to 123 and it seemed to everybody that the end was in sight. Why, I could not bear the gen-tle hand of my wife to bathe my limbs with tepi I water. I was simply living from hour to hour. I had made my will, settled my business and waited for the last strand of life to snap.

life to snap. It was at this time that a somewhat similar case as my own was brought to my notice. This man had suffered very much as I had, his life had been despaired of as Think what that little word meant to me-CURED. The report stated that the work had been accomplished by a medicine known as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I investigated the report thoroughly and found that it was true in detail oughly and found that it was true in detail. Then I procured some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and began taking them and began to get better. I began to sleep like a health-ful child, sound, calm and peaceful. My appetite came back and my nerves were soothed and restored to their normal condi-tion and I felt like a new man. But the constant blocking was the mental immerse greatest blessing was the mental improve ment. I began to read and digest, to formu-late new plans, to take an interest in my law practice, which began to come back to law practice, which began to come back to me as soon as my clients realized that I was again myself. After a lapse of ten years I ride horseback every day without fatigue. "That Dr. Williams' Pink Pills saved my

Let is beyond doubt, and I am spreading their praises far and wide."

cheir praises far and wide." Inquiry about the town of Greenville sub-stantiated the above facts of Col. Sugg's case, and that many others are being bene-fited by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are for sale by

all druggists, or may be had by mail from Dr Williams' Medicine company, Schenee-tady, N. Y., for 50 cents per box, or six boxes for \$2.5).

#### THE CURRENCY BILL.

Mr. Springer Gives Another Explanation of Its I rovisions.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.-Representative Springer said to-day in partial explanation of the currency bill as modified by the Carlisie amendments: "In the first place the Carlisle bill proposes a radical change in the manner of securing the bond note circulation. The rapid payment of the public debt, the limited number of bonds now outstanding and the further fact that many of them are held in trust ca-pacities in this country and as permanent investments by persons re-siding abroad, have rendered the kind of security now required impracticable. The Carlisle bill propose for security for the circulating notes of the national banks, instead of United States bonds a guarantee fund con-sisting of legal tender notes or currency certificates to the amount of 30 per cent of the circulatio association, which began to night also a safety fund to be raised by a continues until Friday. tax of one-half of 1 per cent per an-num upon the circulating notes until LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARK it reach 5 per cent of the whole circulation, and as a further security a first Quotations from New York, Chicago lien upon all the assets of the bank and upon the amount which may be realized by the double liability feature the national banking law. The guarantee fund of thirty per cent, the assets of the bank and the personal liability of the stockholders can only go to the payment of the circulating notes of the bank, which is the custom; but the five per cent guarantee fund raised by a tax upon all the eirculation of the country is a common fund out of which the notes of any failed bank may be paid, if the guar antee fund, the assets and personal liabilities of the stockholders are not sufficient. Thus, on a circulation of 200 million dollars, the present national bank circulation, the safety fund would amount to \$10,000,000, and this whole fund could be drawn upon to pay the notes of any bank that failed. This security is considered ample by the safest financiers and bankers of the country. The currency

ested in education are gathering the city to-day to attend the thir second annual meeting of the s

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THE LEXOW COUNCILS.

Captain Stephenson Will Go to Prison Awhile.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.-Ex-Police YER'S LONG CONFLICT WITH DISEASE. tain John L. Stephenson, the fire

the police officials tried and convi as an outcome of the expos Twenty-five Years of Prosperity, Adverbrought about by the Lexow com tee, was sentenced by Judge raham in the court of over and the iner to-day to three years and

months imprisonment in Sing s and to pay \$1,000 fine. December after a trial which lasted three d he was found guilty of bribery, h ing, while in charge of the Fifth cinct, received four baskets of peac from Martin N. Edwards, a prod and dealer at 153 Duane street.

When Stephenson was called ton bar he stood erect looking Justice graham squarely in the face. As if he had anything to say why a tence should not be passed upon h he held a whispered conference his lawyer for a few seconds, but i not reply.

Justice Ingraham then quietly, dressed the convicted exotin "Stephenson, you have been a "Stephenson, you have been a victed of bribery by a jury one dence that was absolutely convince and no man, after hearing could come to any other could sion. The amount you got worth of peaches) is of no a sequence in the fixing of the pena for your crime. You were a put officer invested with great powers you used them for your own benefit you used them for your own beat The law gives to me great discret The law gives to me great discrete in fixing your punishment. Innee people—namely your wife and d dren—will suffer from your be punished and I deeply regret it punished and I deeply regret it consider yours to be a most se ous offense. But I have a ceived a recommendation for some of the jurymen to who I must give great weight. I he also received several letters for merchants who know you and the near that you never attempted to say that you never attempted to tort money from them or accept bribe. On the other hand I have ceived communications which is that the complaint on way you were convicted was an isolated case. I will endea to fix a punishment not excessive severe, but which to my mind show that this offense is a serious and that public officials must perfet their duties without being influen one way or the other by brile The sentence of the court is that be confined in state's prison for the years and nine months, and to pr tine of \$1,000."

The ex-captain took his senter very coolly, and as he was cross the street to the Tombs prison, be spared the ignominy of going over new "bridge of sighs," he said to of his friends: "I may as well gut and begin serving my term at on as I deem it useless to fight then in the courts."

For good behavior Stephenson carn a commutation of eleven mon thus making the actual time of prisonment two years and ten mon

Miners Reject Arbitrators' Awards MASSILLON, Ohio, Dec. 27.-The ers employed at the Anderson m have declined the rate of sixty of per ton fixed by the arbitration a mittee and are idle to-day is thought that all the miners in Massillon district will soon a work.

#### Kansas Teachers Gather-TOPEKA, Kas., Dec. 27.-Sch teachers, professors and others in

days. The neighbors made an effort to save her life, but the aid came too late. The woman leaves six young children.

Buy home-made goods and build up home industries, is a good policy: Farrell & Co's brand of syrups, jellies, pre-serves and mince meat; Morse-Coe boots and shocs for men, women and children; American Biscuit & Manufacturing Co., Omaha,

THE twenty-third session of the Nebraska Press association will be held in York on Thursday and Friday, January 24 and 25. A strong musical pro-gram has been arranged. Papers on various subjects will be read during the session, which promises to be very interesting.

A COMMITTEE of the Women's Christian temperance union of David City have been busy soliciting contributions of clething, bedding and provisions for the needy in the drouth-stricken portions of the state. As a result, there was shipped fifteen barrels and fourteen gunny sacks of clothing and five boxes of groceries and provisions.

ANNIE ANDREWS, a young lady of Lincoln, was seriously burned while celebrating Christmas evening. She was engaged decorating a tree with presents, when it caught fire from one of the numerous candles, and was instantly ablaze. The clothing of Miss Andrews was burned off, and she is in serious condition and suffering terribly.

A FULL grown bear story is afloat in this region, says a Ragan dispatch. Several parties report having seen a bear running through the fields. Quite wonderful to relate. Mr. Bruin is said by some who have seen him to have a very long tail. A party of brave young will scour the country and settle his identity, if they don't settle his hash.

THE company from Iowa who have a contract with Gene Wright of York to put down a well to the depth of 2,000 feet, if they don't strike flowing water before that time, have their machinery all ready and will push the work. Burr & Co., of that place, are also at work on the same place. They are They are down 410 feet, having struck nothing of note.

W. W. LILLIE, one of the best known and most highly esteemed traveling men in northern Nebraska, died suddenly of inflammation of the bowels at his home in Norfolk last week. Mr. Lillie represented May Bros., wholesale grocers of Fremont, and had made his home in Norfolk for many years.

THREE weeks ago Isaac Miller, a well-to-do farmer three miles east of Oakland, had thirty bushels of wheat stolen from his granary. He at once offered a reward of \$10 for the apprehension of the thief, and was rewarded by finding his man, who gladly com-promised by paying all the costs. The part church man

time of his death was 63 years old. Soon after attaining his majority he was admitted to the practice of law in Iowa in 1856, and came west, remaining for some time in Kansas. he removed to Plattsmouth in this state and soon took a prominent position as one of the ablest lawyers of the state. When the Burlington lines were extended west of the Missouri river he was made the general attorney of the sys-tem in Nebraska. This position he held up to the time of his death.

A BALTIMORE dispatch says: In view of the great distress reported from Nebraska because of the almost total loss of the corn crop, which according to the United States agricultural depart-ment, averaged this year only six bushels per acre for the entire state, the Manufacturers' Record suggests that a solid train of corn and meat be contributed by the south and shipped to Nebraska. Mr. Edmunds, the editor of the Manufacturers' Record, says that the south has been blessed with an enormous corn crop this year and that its meat houses are filled to overflowing. Out of this abundance the south should gladly avail the opportunity of sending Christmas greeting to those who are in dire distress in the northwest.

AFTER next week, says a Lincoln correspondent, there will be considerable changing in the offices at the state house between the present incumbents of the clerical positions and the numerous candidates for these places. In the governor's office, the place of private ccretary having been filled, there remains those of a stenographer and record clerk, this is assuming that there will be no messenger. If these two places are to be filled at once there has been no authoritative announcement of the lucky ones. It is currently rumored that the stenographer in the gover-nor's office will be Miss Birdie Johnson of Lexington and Jule Schonheit, an attorney of Falls City, is credited with a strong pull on one of the positions. Miss Johnson was employed in the last campaign as stenographer for the chairman of the independent state central committee. The place of chief oil inspector is conceded to J. H. Edmiston, the chairman of the state central committee.

A RELIEF committee was organized in Papillion last week to solicit aid for the drouth sufferers in western Nebraska, with branches at Gretna and at Springfield. At the committee meeting it was found that subscriptions had been coming in wonderfully, as each of the towns mentioned will be able to load a car of provisions, which will be shipped to different destinations and be distributed under the direction of committeemen from Sarpy county, who will accompany each car. Negotiations are now under way for the free, tierrons and James Burns, miners, transportation of provisions, which were killed to-day by falling 550 feet consist of flour, wheat, rye, oath, corn, in the Union shaft.

Battalion Chief and Another Man Buried Under Falling Floors.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31 .-- While Battalion Fire Chief John J. Breslin and Fireman John L. Rooney of truck 12 were working with other firemen on a fire which started this morning on the fifth floor of the gas and electric fixtures factory of Cassidy & Son manu-facturing company, the two upper floors were carried down by the fall of a heavy water tank on the roof. The whole mass of blazing debris fell on the firemen, pinning Breslin and Rooney under the girders burning them to death.

## Ruined by Grain Speculation.

TORONTO, Ontario, Dec. 3 1.-W. H. Howland & Co., one of the largest firms of grain dealers in Canada, have decided to go into liquidation on account of heavy losses. Two years ago the firm had a surplus of over \$200, Now it is stated that it has nothing.

### Elevator and Grain Burned.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Dec. 31 .- The Dayton and Michigan elevator "B" was burned in an hour at 9 o'clock this morning. About 625,000 bushels of wheat and 40,000 bushels of corn were store, the loss on which will be \$416,800. Chris. Dandelion, an employe, was burned to death.

### Two Coloradoans Lose Their Feet.

DENVER, Col. Dec. 31.-Frank Miller and William Mahler, two young men of this city, tramped to Sedalia this week in search of work. The feet of both were so badly frozen that their legs have been amputated as the only chance of saving their lives.

#### i ewis Not Gulity.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 31.-The jury in the case of Montgomery H. ewis charged with obtaining \$6,500 from the Lombard Investment company by forgery brought in a verdict of not guilty. The verdict was a surprise.

#### Bus Luckey in Jail.

MUSKOGEE, Ind. Ter., Dec. 31.-Bus Luckey, the half-breed Creek Indian member of the Bill Cook gang, was brought into town by three of Mar-shal McAlester's deputies and lodged in jail.

### Lochren Booked for a Judgeship

WASHINGTON Dec. 31. - United States District Judge Nelson of Minnesota is soon to retire and it is said Pension Commissioner Lochren will be appointed to succeed him.

## Terrible Fall of Two Miners.

TELLURIDE, Col., Dec. 31 .- Nicholas

ROME, N. Y., Dec. 31.-The shortages of Cashier Bielby and Teller Gillett of the Central Natiotal bank increases as the experts continue their investigation. It has now reached an aggregate of \$70,000.

#### A St. Joseph Ban' to Pay Out.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 31.-The Commercial bank, which failed recently, will begin paying its depositors in full next Wednesday. The only losers will be the stockholders.

## NEWS IN BRIEF.

Prominent Arizona Democrats are trying to have the adminstration remove Governor Hughes from office.

Attorney General Olney has decided that export duties cannot be figured as costs, charges and expenses.

Congressman Baldwin of Minnesota, who will not be in the next house, is trying to get the job recently let go by General Armstrong-assistant commissioner of Indian affairs.

Fritz Ruhle, bachelor, misanthrope and wealthy, hanged himself at Davenport Iowa.

Colonel Breckenridge lectured to less than fifty people at Terre Haute,

Governor Lewelling and Governor elect Morrill are both writing messages to the Kansas legislature.

Postmaster J. S. Jobe of Bennettstown, Kv., aged 50, eloped with Miss Bettie Carter, aged 20 years.

William Leavitt and Misses Mary Mitchell and Susie Maple got lost and drove thirty miles from Shelbyvile Ind., in Thursday's snow storm. young ladies may die.

Postmaster Schnelle of Golden City, Mo., has resigned to become manager of a threshing machine company.

William Robb, a miner, was crushed to death near Randolph, No.

Sterling Ballew, a young man of Columbus, Mo., committed suicide by taking two ounces of laudanum because Farmer Ellis' daughter refused to marry him.

The Chickasaw legislature has passed a bill to prohibit the dis posal of timber, rock and gravel in the nation without special permit and the payment of a royalty.

The Alba place on the bay shell road near Mobile, Ala., one of the finest mansions in the South, was de stroyed by fire yesterday. Loss \$50,-000, insurance \$3,000. A number of cattle, hogs, etc., were roasted to death.

William L. Wilcoxen has been appointed receiver of the Union Building and Savings association of Des The concern has been Moines, Iowa. in the hands of a committee of stockholders for two weeks. Its liabilities are about \$150,000, and its assets are valued at \$100,000.

OMAHA Butter-Creamery print. Butter-Fair to good country. Eggs-Fresh Honey-ter b. Chickens-Spring, per b. Chickens-Spring, per b. Chickens-Spring, per b. Chickens-Spring, per b. Chickens-Per lb. Ducks-Per lb. Cheese-Neb. & Ia. full cream Ducks-Per lb. Cheese-Neb. & Ia. full cream Cranges-Messing, per box Hay-Upland, per ton... Garrots-Per bol Carrots-Per bol Carrots-Per bol Carrots-Per bol Carrots-Per bol Carrots-Per bol Carrots-Per bol Cranberries-Cane Cod Turnips— er bu.... Cranberrries—Cape Cod ... Apples – Per bbl Hogs-Mixed packing. Hogs-Heavy weights Beeves-Prime steers. Beeves-Stockers and feeders. Bulls. bill as amended does not compel na-Bulls. aives steers—Fair to good ... tional banks to enter into the new 000 0 0 0 0 15 4 5 5 5 5 1 1 1 4 5 5 5 5 system. They may continue under the old law, but it is thought that sheep-Lambs sheep-lair to good natives. CHICAGO. banking officials will soon see the ad vantage of the new plan and adopt Wheat-No.2. spring..... Corn-Per bu.... Oats-: er bu.... BRECKINRIDGE LECTURES. A Constable Secures \$60 of the Box Lard... Hogs—Packers and mixed... Cattle—Com. steers to extra-sheep—Lambs Office Receipts for Pollard Depositions. 8015 8015 CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 29.-Colonel W. C. P. Breckinridge delivered his Wheat, No. 2, red winter. Corn-No. 2. York. Lard. ST. LOUIS. Wheat-No. 2 red. each lecture last night at Pike's opera house on "Eras of American Develop-12 3 ments and Their Great Men." The night was stormy. The attendance did not exceed 300. It was intelligent audience, many Wheat-No 2 red, cash ..... Corn-Per bu Oats-Per bu Hogs-Mixed packing. Cattle-Native steers. Sheep-Mixed natives. KANSAS CITY.

of whom were women. A constable secured \$60 of the box money before the lecture on an alleged claim of Attorney Gustav A. tion in this city a year ago of wit-nesses for the defense in the suit of Wheat-No. 2 hard ..... Vicen-No. 2 Oats-No. 2 Hogs-Mixed packers and feeders sheep-Choice western. Miss Pollard against him.

Missouri Funding Bonds Called In. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Dec. 29.-State

Ex-I leutenant Dodge Drowned.

(Abigail Dodge.)

Plowing on Christmas. Treasurer Lon V. Stephens has for-OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 2. - Var warded a check for \$409,000 to the points in the state along the north American Exchange National bank of border report a heavy snowfall New York to take up a similar amount of Missouri 6 per cent funding bonds subject to call January 1. night. The farmers are wer men need of moisture. For the first years plowing is going Nebraska at Christmas.

## An Ohlo Convict Shot Desd

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Dec. 29 .-News has been received here that ex-COLUMBUS, Ohio., D.c. Lieutenant James E. Dodge, once no-Temple of Columbiana county. torious in Missouri and Kansas, was in the penitentiary, shot and Joseph O'Day, a forger of Clerk who, with two other convict saulted him because he reported accidentally drowned while yachting. He was a consin of "Gal Hamilton" for an infraction of the rules