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& World's Fair  
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is under a new management. Give  
me a trial and if you have any-  
thing good to say, say it to  
others; if you have  
any complaint, make it to  
me. Others can't right my  
mistakes, but I can and will. Respt.  
PHONE, 4 on 9.  
**T. E. Gilbert, Prop.**

## THE NORTHWESTERN

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The house passed the child labor bill Tuesday, but as the present legisla-  
ture is contracting the habit of doing  
and then undoing things, there is no  
chance on their not giggling back on  
this.

The senate last week killed the anti-lobby bill. Evidently the senate  
has not the effeminacy ascribed to the  
house and thinks its members strong  
enough to escape the over-persuasive  
arguments of lobbyists.

Bro. Brown was home from his legisla-  
tive duties over last Sunday, returning  
to Lincoln Monday morning. He is  
having the experience of his years, but  
we'll wager money, marbles or chalk that he is not in-  
fatuated with legislative life.

Missouri is spelling reform with a  
mighty big "G," and is "showing"  
the rest of the states, by passing a  
law fine any one for taking "tips." Now,  
how do the Missouri lawmakers expect  
the conductors and porters on sleeping  
cars and waiters at hotels to live?

We'll have to take it back. Last  
week we stated the joint railroad  
committee of both houses had decided  
against a 2-cent per mile passenger  
rate, but later reports seem to have  
it that the jointers have decided on a  
2-cent fare, which will probably be  
enacted into law.

All the members of the state lumber  
dealers' association are subpoenaed  
to appear before the court in Lincoln,  
Feb. 21st as witnesses in the case of the  
state against the association. A. B.  
Outhouse, of the Keystone com-  
pany of Loup City, is one of the lucky  
ones for a free ride at the state's  
expense.

The house did one good thing last  
week in refusing to spend several  
hundreds of dollars in having a printed  
report of the previous days' doings  
laid on members desks each morning.  
It would have been a good thing for  
the printers, but a useless outlay of  
money to the state. The senate, how-  
ever did not see out of the same  
goggles and decided to get rid of some  
of the state's money in the way  
spoken of.

The legislature has evidently heard  
of Mayor Jim Dahliman's famous defy  
of law in his issue of an order to his  
chief of police in Omaha to allow the  
saloons of that city to run wide open  
on Sundays, as a bill has been intro-  
duced to remove any officer who fails  
to see that laws are enforced. The  
trouble with Cowboy Jim was that  
after his election to the mayoralty  
of the state of Omaha, he imagined  
himself bigger than the whole official  
push of Nebraska.

The fellows in the legislature who  
want to gain name and fame by in-  
troducing measures along anti-rail-  
road lines are hostile in their feelings  
against a joint committee of both  
houses on questions pertaining to  
above. But fortunately this feeling  
is confined mostly to the fusion ele-  
ment, who can not bear to see the re-  
publican party promulgate the neces-  
sary rate laws, of which they would  
have the people believe they are the  
prophets, sages and seers. Poor dying  
political powers.

Among the successful contestants  
in the cow judging contest at the  
Nebraska Dairymen's Association at  
Lincoln last week, two Sherman coun-  
ty men were among those who re-  
ceived a percentage of the awards.  
The contest was the placing of three  
Jerseys, two Holsteins, one Shorthorn  
and one grade Red-Polled in the re-  
lative order in which they should  
stand as producers of butter. A cow  
correctly placed counted seven points  
and the highest possible score was  
forty-nine. A. J. Johnson of Loup  
City scored 43 points and J. L. Pray  
of Logan township scored 45 points.

The Woman's Club of this city last  
week sent the following memorial to  
Representative Brown and Senator  
Thomson, accompanied by a largely  
signed petition, favoring House Roll  
No. 9, the child labor bill, and Senate  
File No. 50, favoring compulsory  
education. Here it is: "Believing  
that the Child Labor Law affords in-  
sufficient protection for children, and  
that Nebraska should adopt a mea-  
sure similar to those enforced in  
Illinois and other states, which have  
recently considered this question, we  
the undersigned, hereby endorse  
House Roll, No. 9 and also believing  
that one of the most effective means  
of preventing child labor is a strong  
compulsory education law, we hereby  
endorse Senate File No. 50, and  
earnestly request your support of these  
two measures."

## Improve the Cemetery.

Some time ago, a number of our  
citizens met together for the purpose  
of bettering the at present shameful  
condition of our cemetery grounds.  
C. J. Tracy was elected chairman and  
R. H. Mathew secretary of the meet-  
ing.

A committee of three, consisting of  
the chairman, secretary and Bird  
Draper, was elected to audit the ac-  
counts of the association and to as-  
certain its real financial condition.  
The report of the committee, which  
thoroughly overhauled the books and  
accounts of the association, shows  
the original cost of the grounds, their  
survey and organizing to be \$907.57,  
of which amount \$410 was covered by  
the sale of lots, thus leaving in the  
year 1885 an indebtedness of \$497.57  
which has for twenty-two years borne  
interest at 10 per cent. The books,  
which are open to the public inspec-  
tion, show that the sale of lots has  
scarcely more than paid the interest,  
there being \$53.34 now on hand, which  
applied on the debt reduces it to  
\$443.66. The committee could find no  
misappropriation, nor that the present  
management had accepted any-  
thing for salaries or services.

Some of our public spirited citizens  
have started a move to pay off this in-  
debtedness by public subscription and  
the sale of lots at the regular price of  
\$15.00 each. Among others who have  
offered to subscribe is A. P. Culley,  
who pledged \$50. Many have offered  
to buy lots, as an investment, if  
nothing else.

As soon as the indebtedness is re-  
moved the cemetery may be taken  
under village control, and all future  
receipts will then be applied to the  
improvement of the grounds. At  
present, horses, cattle, and hogs may  
be seen running at large through the  
cemetery, destroying improvements  
that have been placed there, a con-  
dition of affairs disgraceful to the  
fair name of the community.

It will not be difficult to, before  
the next Decoration Day, remove  
the indebtedness, place a substantial  
fence around the grounds, and make  
our cemetery an object of lasting  
beauty. Let us do so.

The Board of Managers for the  
State Fair, to be held the first week  
of next September, have made the  
following appointments of controlling  
officers:

- William Foster, Jamaica, General Superintendent.
  - C. J. Tracy, Loup City, Chief of Police.
  - Wm. James, Dorchester, Superintendent Agricultural Hall.
  - L. E. Emerson, Lincoln, Superintendent of Transportation.
  - E. M. Searle, Jr., Lincoln, Superintendent of Gates.
  - Dr. H. Pritchard, Wisner, Assistant Superintendent of Gates.
  - Jos. Roberts, Fremont, Superintendent Mercantile Hall.
  - Jno. F. McArdle, Elk City, Superintendent Amphitheater.
  - W. J. O'Brien, North Bend, Superintendent Fish Exhibit.
  - S. C. Bassett, Gibbon, Superintendent Premium Revision.
  - W. A. Apperson, Tecumseh, Superintendent Class "A," Horses.
  - O. E. Mickey, Osceola, Superintendent Class "B," Cattle.
  - L. W. Leonard, Pawnee City, Superintendent Class "C," Swine.
  - R. M. Wolcott, Palmer, superintendent Class "D," Sheep.
  - C. M. Lewelling, Beaver City, Superintendent Class "E," Poultry.
  - Wm. James, Dorchester, Superintendent Class "F," Farm Products.
  - Mrs. J. H. Haskinson, Benson, Superintendent Class "G," Textiles.
  - Mrs. F. M. Hall, Lincoln, Superintendent Class "H," Fine Arts.
  - V. Arnold, Verdon, Superintendent Class "I," Dairy.
  - Mrs. L. Friesacker, Lincoln, Superintendent Class "L," Lots 8 to 14.
  - E. C. Bishop, Lincoln, Superintendent Class "J," Educational.
  - W. C. Caley, Creighton, Superintendent Class "K," Bees and Honey.
  - L. W. Hays, Minden, Superintendent Class "M," Machinery.
  - Chas. Mann, Chadron, Superintendent Specials and Forage.
- All live stock entries are to be made to the respective Superintendents.

Dispatches in the daily papers an-  
nounce the suspension of the grocery  
department of the Sears Roebuck mail  
order concern "because its mainte-  
nance has become impracticable by  
the national pure food laws just pass-  
ed." What a confession it is. If you  
had to interpret the news item you  
conclude it is true that, compelled  
by law to sell pure food, the mail or-  
der house is driven out of business?  
Can it be that in the past and in the  
absence of a law forbidding under  
heavy penalties the sale of impure or  
adulterated food the mail order houses  
have made a practice of selling impure  
food? Is that the reason they have  
been able to undersell local competi-  
tion? That is the case with every  
article sold by the average mail order  
house. Grocery adulteration is for-  
bidden and so the grocery business of  
the mail order houses is abandoned.  
Were laws to be enacted making the  
sale of bum clothing unlawful, the  
clothing department would go out  
of business. Were it a crime to sell fur-  
niture cheaply constructed out of  
poor material their furniture depart-  
ments would go out of business. Trade  
where you know the goods you get a  
us represented.—Richland Center,  
(Wis.) Republican-Observer.

## Telephone Directory.

- NEW PHONES.
- 6 on 112 Foster, Frank, res
  - 5 on 22 Rowding, Harry, res
  - 7 on 16 Hinman, Harry, res
  - 5 on 5 Bradley, Mrs. res
- CHANGES.
- 3 on 112 Foster, Fred, res
  - 2 on 112 Foster, Frank, barber shop
  - 3 on 60 Daddow, Sam, res
  - 2 on 93 Adamson, D L, res
  - 8 on 60 Ver Valin, Ward, res
  - 8 on 48 Conger, J W, res
  - 2 on 71 Lorchich & Ignawski, store
  - 8 on 48 Udy, Harry (canceled)

**Alfalfa.**  
Those wanting alfalfa seed for  
spring sowing see T. M. Reed.

## Public Sale.

I will offer at public Auction on my  
farm on Section 25, Township 16,  
Range 14, 8 miles northeast of Loup  
City, and 3 1/2 miles north of Schaupps  
on Thursday, Feb. 7, 1907, commencing  
at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp, the fol-  
lowing described property to-wit: 3  
head of horses, 27 head of cattle and  
farm machinery in good condition.  
Free lunch at noon.  
Terms of Sale: All sums of \$10 and  
under, cash; on all sums over \$10, a  
credit of 9 months will be extended,  
purchaser giving bankable note, with  
approved security, drawing ten per  
cent from date of sale.

JOE KRIAFSKI,  
Owner.  
JACOB ALBERS, W. F. MASON,  
Auctioneer. Clerk.

## Public Sale.

I will offer at public auction on  
the old W. T. Draper, Jr., farm, on  
Section 1, Township 15, Range 16, 7  
miles west of Loup City, Neb., on  
Thursday, Feb. 7, 1907, commencing  
at 10 o'clock a. m., the following  
property to-wit: 19 head of horses,  
37 head of cattle, 50 head of hogs, 2  
dozen chickens, 75 bu of potatoes,  
household goods, farm machinery, etc.  
Free lunch at noon.  
Terms of sale: All sums of \$10 and  
under, cash; on all sums over \$10, a  
credit of 9 months will be extended,  
purchaser giving bankable note, with  
approved security, drawing 10 per cent  
interest from date of sale.

W. R. JACKSON,  
Owner.  
WM. PURCELL, W. F. MASON,  
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with lukewarm water while other machines are getting ready to start with  
boiling water.

Simple in construction—easy to clean. By raising the glass dome all the working parts  
are removed from the machine at one operation. No overflow, the boiling process  
is eliminated, and requires no watching after placing on the stove.

Made of pure aluminum and "Eli" enamel ware—different styles and sizes, \$2.50 up.

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Look over these prices—they will  
interest you:

BREAKFAST FOODS.		DRIED FRUITS.	
Dr. Price's Wheat Flake	25c	Prunes, Prunes, Prunes.	
Celery Food, 3 pkgs.	25c	25lb box French Dried	\$1.00
Red Cross Malted Flakes,	25c	Prunes	
3 pkgs.	25c	Good Dried Figs, per	5c
Egg-O-See, 3 pkgs.	25c	pound	
Mother's Oats, 15c size,	10c	Three Crown Raisins,	25c
per pkg.	10c	3 pounds	
5lb pkg Oatmeal	20c	Bleached Sultana Rais- ins, seedless, 2lbs.	25c
Advo Pancake Flour,	25c	CANNED GOODS.	
3 pkgs.	25c	Canned Peaches, best,	35c
Choice Smoked Halibut,	17c	2 cans	
per pound	17c	Canned Pears, best,	15c
		per can	
		Cremo Corn, 4 Cans	25c

Get acquainted with the  
**Wiggle-Stick**  
WASHING TRIPLETS.

1 Wiggle-Stick Wash Blue	5c
1 Wiggle-Stick Wonder Wax	5c
(For Washing Clothes)	
1 Wiggle-Stick Flatwax	5c
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At Factory Prices  
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