Flee in Stolen Truck

Three bandits entered the grocery

43, 2301 South Thirteenth street, short-

They flourished weapons and or-

dered the grocer to the rear of the

ly after 2 yesterday afternoon.

## **Railway Rates Probed by Eight** States' Experts

Lower Minimum Weight for Hogs and Cut in Express Tariff Urged at Omaha Meeting.

Members of state railway comissions and rate experts of eight states held a meeting yesterday at the Hotel Fontenelle to discuss the lowering of express rates and the minimum weight of carload shipments of hogs.

The meeting was called at the sugcestion of Dwight L. Lewis of Iowa. president of the National Association of Railway Commissi Would Benefit Farmers.

It was the opinion of the members present, that after a careful investication and considering the evidence n the Iowa case relative to carload ommission when it hears the case ometime in February in Kansas City

pound car to ship his hogs," said H. G. Taylor, chairman of the Nebraska ommission, "fhen he should only pay for 16,000 pounds, because our investigation discloses that farmers of today are not shipping fat hogs. They ship the so-called "bacon" hogs that are much lighter and therefore they find it hard to make up a 17,000 nd can

#### Confident of Reduction.

Mr. Taylor also expressed confia close late yesterday.

sides Taylor were rate experts, H. M. in Omaha. Slater of the Illinois commission, commissions were Dwight Lewis, ing stolen goods will be filed.

### Bandanna Bandits Hold Up

Two men, wearing red bandanna to dissuade her spouse, decided if it handkerchlefs as masks, held up and was safe for him it was safe for her, robbed Mitchell Blasser, 3702 North Sixteenth street, a grocer, at 8 p. m. While members of the s

Monday and obtained \$497.35. They got \$450 of the money from Blasser and the rest from the cash cal color" to their ruse they were register. Blasser told police he doesn't write checks, but pays cash for everything.

"Both of the men had revolvers," the cash register and the other forced me into a back room. me and found the \$450." Patrolman Rogers, who has the about closed and will file charges cipal officers. A half dozen petitions

North Sixteenth street "beat" reported a license number which he be lieves is of the machine used by the "red bandanna" bandits. He said the and tools. car was driven up and down Six-

enth street just before the holdup.

Mrs. David Jayne Hill. Hit by Auto Truck, Dies tion.

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William Klass, accused by detectives | who has confessed, according to Capt.

shipment of hogs, farmers throughout with being the "brains" of the auto Jack Pszanowski, to having gone out years have adopted this law. this territory will save thousands accessories theft gang for investiga- with the gang to act as innocent byof dollars if the meeting's findings are tion of which 12 persons have been stander while motor cars were being cers, as there is need to keep in touch upheld by the Interstate Commerce arrested, and Mrs. Beatrice Miller, 20, stripped.



Beatrice Miller, 20, yesterday morn- A resolution proposing that the traveled, 11,296. Mr. Taylor also expressed conti-dence that express rates would be in Lock Personality to choice Cap-tain address on Future Transporter The society will make the following tion" delivered before the Lions club lowered shortly. The meeting came to tain Jack Pzanowski, to a share in the erans of the world's war was in- recommendations to the legislature, at Hotel Fonenelle yesterday. As the operations of the largest automobile troduced at the meeting of the Doug- as proposed by Mr. Leavitt: That ap- owner of a string of garages in Iowa

Monday night in the city hall. She is the only woman among 12 Albert May, who introduced the required to furnish health certificates "A web of airways is being spun Slater of the lilinois commission, the is the thy woman allong is about any, who introduced the required to furnish health certificates "A web of airways is being spin prisoners new held by police, against mesota commission, and H. L. Ben-bila thefe and required to runnish nealth certificates "A web of airways is being spin about amount approximately bractize of the third degree be made ter of this web, however, is not in

Tonight.

Started in Kearney

Clyde M. Reed, Kansas; Frank Mil- She was caught with her husband, giving the boys a bontus," said May, authorized by the proper officials. hollan. North Dakota; John J. Mur- J. A. Miller, and William Klass, by "and it is no more than right that phy. South Dakota; C. A. Randall, detectives with a "bait car" Sunday Nebraska pass such a bill."

Grocer, Escape With \$497 Other raids followed, she is alleged other raids followed, she is alleged Municipal Campaign

> While members of the gang would Kearney, Neb., Jan. 17 .--- (Special.) strip automobiles, she is said to have -Kearneyites, politically ambitious, are beginning to polish up their dicers, preparitory to tossing them repairing the machine.

Confessed.

Detectives Heller, Vanous, Miklas and Murphy have recovered a large He searched different automobiles by the alleged In April, Kearney voters are booked gang. They believe they have the case cincl officers. A half dozen politional them to the police station, where they

Thursday.

the horizon, but plenty of The 12 held in the case are: William Klass, 307 South Twenty- promise to be in evidence befo is all over. fourth street: investigation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Miller, 1023 The city, as the result of a sp South Twenty-ninth street; investiga- election held last year, goes back

Accused in Auto Theft Ring Law to Be Sought Bandits Rob Grocer; Oil Lease Tangle to Stop Practice of Third Degree Store and meat market of J. Mattcka,

> Recommendations to Legislature Adopted by Society for store. There they forced him to, lie the Friendless-Parole System Upheld.

Judge Howard Kennedy, president till. society's annual meeting Monday night | bread. One of the bandits knocked in the city council chamber. him down with his fist, then took him

"I am convinced that the indeter- back to lie beside Maticka. minate sentence, with the parole fea- After looting the till of \$15 cash, ture, is a rational law," said the the trio fled in Chlupacek's delivery "It is a popular fallacy to at- truck, south on Thirteenth street. tribute many of the present ills to From South Omaha police headthe indeterminate sentence, notwith- quarters, Capt. James .Sheahan led standing that \$5 per cent have made a squad of detectives armed with riot good after having been paroled, guns to pursue the fleeing bandits.

Thirty-seven states during the last 50 The officers were in an emergency "We should have more parole offl-

with this class of people after they leave the penitentiaries. They need a helping hand. It is a real benefit to society to start one of them on a life of usefulness. There has been much misinformation broadcast concerning the indeterminate sentence."

The judge advocated speedy trials Owner of String of Iowa Ga-and urged that the board of pardons rages Urges Development of

by Air Predicted

Air at Lions Club. society, submitted the following report covering last year's activities.

Clothed, 896; fed, 684; assisted in mis-Airplane store deliveries from cities cellaneous ways, 413; addresses, 238 to country towns were predicted by to 24,150 persons; calls, 1,361; miles W. B. Swaney of Fort Dodge, Ia., in

Those present at the meeting be- accessories theft gang ever uncovered las county post of the American legion plicants for marriage should post or towns, he makes frequent trips among publish 10 day public notices and be them by airplane

a penal offense, and that the sale of America, where aviation had its start, "States throughout the country are revolvers be prohibited except when but in France. Few record making flights are attempted there, but com-Rev. J. P. Sullivan, superintendent mercial aviation has developed wonof Beulah mission, Lincoln, told a derfully. Regular schedules are kept Nebraska and Judge J. H. Henderson, counsel for the lowa state railway Klass appeared at her home Christ they can muster enough votes to pass they can muster enough votes to pass they can muster enough votes to pass the being the being to mas day, she is alleged to have told the bill in both houses of the legis-Pranowski, and coaxed her husband lature. Served 17 years in prisons and was known as "Missouri Pat." Judge A. L. Sutton also spoke on Paris to the Riviera, but one may take

the air route after luncheon and have dinner in Nice.' Mr. Swaney praised the United Woolly West Held Here States aerial mail, which has covered

2.500,000 miles without a fatality. The Two more youngsters have been army and navy aviation service, he declared, was doing its best in the face Bound for the wild and woolly west of conservative opposition. He urged to get their quota of redskins, Althe enactment of a national law es-

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into the ring, and soap box orators, Wren Waddell, 11, Lawton, Okla., phonse Kowalski, 14, Merrill, 1a., and Both of the men had revolvers," said Blasser. "One of them went to the cash register and the other forced which they claim was stolen from 16 their groomed preferences." Were found Monday night in the rail-road yards of South Omaha between were found Monday night in the rail-M and N streets.

have already been filled, as many wanderers were given into the care of Recovered loot included tires, auto more are in circulation, and it's a the detention home while police attops, motormeters, cushions, pumps long ways to election day. So far no the detention nome while police at-tempt to communicate with their parwomen candidates have appeared on ents.

the indeterminate sentence.

disillusioned.

Boys Bound for Wild and

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#### tablishing a code for aviation. The Lions club is already at work in preparation for the building fund campaign of the Nebraska Children's home in which it has taken a leading

part. Ralph A. Van Orsdel and Frank Myers spoke on this project. Next Tuesday night will be ladies' night. and the Lions will entertain with a dinner and dance at the University club.

company.

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in FEBRUARY

at newsstands

**Bungalow Burns Down.** 

Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed the five-room bunga-

Harry F. Sinclair Testifies in Teapot Dome Quiz by Senate Committee.

down behind a counter and, while one of them held the muzzle of a revolver pressed against his head and government lease of the Teapot sion. the second kicked him in the face, the third went to loot the money

to the Sinclair interests got before mittee, who has been one of the fore- bruises. The driver of the car was of the Society for the Friendless, vig- Just then Emil Chlupacek, 1709 the senate oil investigating committee most critics of the Teapot Dome leas- William Albers. brously defended the indeterminate South Fifteenth street, driver for the late today through presentation by ing, took no part in the early exami-

by him to the Mammoth Oil company Gilbert E. Roe, the committee attor for the leasing contract executed by ney. Secretary Fall Mr. Sinclair was questioned Secretary Fall.

pany in return for the lease he had

obtained from the federal government Washington, Jan. 16 .- The contro- through Secretary Fall. Questions by versial question centering about the the committee relative to the proposition were left for tomorrow's ses-

dome, naval oil reserve in Wyoming. Chairman La Follette of the com-

sentence law in an address at the Vak bakery, entered to deliver some Harry F. Sinclair, of the offer made nation of Mr. Sinclair, leaving that to Bee Want Ads bring results.

length about the activities of the sub-Before Probers The offer, which was put into the length about the activities of the sub-sidiaries. The Sinclair Pipe Line com ommittee record just before its ad- pany, he said, was organized in May, ournment for the day without spe- 1916, with 20,000 shares of stock, par cific reference by Mr. Sinclatr to the value \$100, covering physical proper-Teapot dome, provided that Mr. Sin- ties taken over from a number of con clair should be given virtually the cerns. The present capitalization of entire stock of the Mammoth Oil com- the company, he said, is \$28,084,000.

Boy Hit by Auto.

Beatrice, Jan. 16 .- (Special.)-Cleo Tuttle, a boy living in West Beatrice, was struck by an auto while playing in the street. He suffered from con cussion of the brain and severe body



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yesterday. Stepping from the curb J. D. Bowser, 4526 South Twelfth fire truck. Those then opposing the "I believe in raising nothing but just after leaving her home, Mrs. street; investigation.

driven by Guy C. Lee, who is being Farnam street; charged with receiv- the fire truck Las been purchased, ford cattle and Poland-China hogs for held by police. She was removed at ing stolen property. tion was seen to be critical. street; investigation.

Mrs. Hill, who, before her marriage in 1886, was Miss Juliette Lewis Pack- evard, merchant; receiving stolen Mayor D. Wort is expected to again er of Williamsport. Pa., was a promi- property.

Since his retirement they have lived stolen property. in Washington, where Mrs. Hill also

was prominent socially

#### Day by Day in Every Way, Country Getting Wetter, Stayton Says

Washington, Jan. 16 .- "Every day in every way" prospects for modification of the dry laws are becoming better and better." W. H. Stayton. founder and executive head of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, declared in a statement issued tonight on the eve of the birthday of "so-called prohibition in this country." After three years of unsteady reign, old king prohibition is fast tottering to a fall, he said, and there are most encouraging evidences of a change in sentiment.

Election figures in eight states. Captain Stayton declared, point to a voting majority of approximately 2,500,000 in the country in favor of the manufacture and sale of beer and light wines. In four states comprising 18 per cent of the population where the wet and dry issue was directly before the voters November he explained, a prohibition majority of 200,000 was returned in Ohio and of 50,000 in California, while Massachusetts voted wet by 113,000 majority and Illinois by 520,000, leaving a 'net wet majority" of 383,000. In the other four states, comprising another

18 per cent of the population, where prohibition was an indirect issue, he added, the wets won by 430,000 in New York, by 90,000 in New Jersey, by 20,000 in Maryland, and by 40,000 in Missouri. The latter group of states, he pointed out, have 77 repre-

sentatives in congress and the former group 76, of which the two states voting dry have 33.

**Road** Conditions

Furnished by the Omaha Auto Club. Furnished by the Omaha Auto Club. Lincoln highway, west: Roads good. Lincoln highway east: Roads good. O. L. D.: Roads good. Meridian highway: Roads good. Cornhusker highway: Roads good. Highland cutoff: Roads good. Black Hills trail: Roads good to Norfolk. Washington highway: Roads good to Norfolk. Washington highway: Roads good to Topeks. Omaha-Tulsa highway: Roads good to Somaha-Topeka bighway: Roads good to Siato line.

state line. King of Trails, north: Roads good. King of Trails, south: Roads good to Leavenworth. fair to Kansas City. River to River road: Roads good. White Way "7" highway: Roads good. J. O. A. Shortline: Roads good. Riue Grass road: Roads good. Weather reported clear at all points.

Just after leaving her home, Mrs. street; investigation. Hill was struck by a delivery wagon S. Hindman, used car dealer, 2032 aggressive and liberal. Now, that "I have been raising pure-bred Herethe general tone among voters is for

least three members of the present

be a candidate for mayor, with supnent hostess is Berlin, during Dr. John Libal, 1328 Eighth street, port of the fire department assured,

Hill's service as ambassador there, merchant, charged with receiving as he stood for purchase of the truck. Frank Grammer, commissioner, also Hans Johnson, Fifty-sixth and Q will make the race for mayor.

streets; investigation E. S. Lingo, 512 South Fifty-eighth Crippled Ex-Yank Heads

street, real estate man; charged with receiving stolen property.

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**Plow Beatrice Gardens.** 

Beatrice, Neb., Jan. 16 .- (Special.)-

During the past week, a number of

To meet the demand of monkey.

## 26 Nebraskans Put

on Pensions List Washington, Jan. 16.-(Special.)- of Victory post, American Legion, of them residents of Omaha, have upon him largely because of his havbeen awarded pensions varying in ing survived one of the most harrowamount from \$12 to \$30 a month, by ing ordeals of the world war.

the commissioner of pensions. Pawnee City. \$30: Philomena Neff, derwent operations for several months, Plattsmouth, \$30; Mary Clercke, Oma- which resulted in the sight of one of a bushel. ha, \$20; Ella Brown, Lyons, \$30; Mary his eyes being saved and his fea-E. Ruch, York, \$30; Elizabeth A. tures restored.

ha, \$20; Cora V. Custer, York, \$30; grew dim and his physicians advised for their corn by feeding it than sel-Abbie T. Geer, David City, \$30; Cath-him to stop. His sister, Mrs. C. A. ling it to the elevators. erine E. Kavanaugh, Crab Orchard, Tarbell, and Kenneth Wright, another \$30: Sarah Stoner, Omaha, \$30; Elton disabled veteran, saved the situation M. Bungardner, Creston, \$18; Louisa by volunteering to do the reading for Isaac, Pawnee City, \$30; Millie Wall, him. He expects to apply for admis-La Platte, \$30; Edith Power, Hum- sion to the California bar within a

boidt, \$30; minors of Charles W. Kimmel, Omaha, \$20; Kittie B. Harvey. Taylor, \$30; Frank Foster, Holdrege, \$15: Anna C. Miller, Omaha, \$20; Elizabeth T. Gaines, Omaha, \$20; Ella House, Fullerton, \$30; Mary J. Ebner, Beatrice residents have plowed their Beatrice, \$30; Gilbert Benson, Omaha, garden spots. The ground is in al \$15; George Jones, Falls City, \$12. Dr. E. B. Hamel has been appoint-

ed a member of the pensions board at Hastings, Neb., and Dr. James C. gland purchasers in Europe, a Lon-Kessler a member of the board at don concern has placed an order for lowa City, Ia.

#### Nebraskan Wins Honors at Denver Stock Exhibit

Denver, Jan. 16 .- Colorado Mixer, owned by George W. Baker of Little-

ton, Colo., was adjudged grand champion steer at the fat cattle competition at the seventeenth annual National Western Livestock show here vesterday. The Aberdeen-Angus prize winner previously had captured the championship at the Royal Stock show at Kansas City and reserved

honor at Chicago. In the junior yearling class, Dewitt & Lamont of Denver carried off first honors with Miss Chief Domino. In the senior calf class by Herefords, the University of Nebraska placed first with Lancaster Girl. White Model, owned by A. L. Klopping of Underwood, Ia., was adjudged grand champion in the Shorthorn class. The University of Nebraska placed first for herd of three in this division.

the councilmanic form of government, A load of pure-bred Poland-China the Lakoma Jayne Hill, 60, wife of the former garage owner; charged with receiv- form for six years. What dissatisfac-tion was lovied arguing the control of Clarks. The \$4500 and furniture at \$3,000, accordcommission hogs was brought to market yester- yesterday. The cottage was valued at tion was levied against the commisambassador to Germany, died here ing stolen property. early today from injuries received William Samuelson, 3711 S street: sion form centered chiefly on the fight for nurshare of an additional to the top price of the day, \$8.25 a is partially covered by insurance. animals averaged 276 pounds and sold ing to Van Amburg, who said the loss fight for purchase of an additional hundred.

Van Amburg spent the night downcommission wanted a group of men pure-bred livestock," said Mr. Martin. the city. He did not know of the fire until 8 this morning. He is an employe

some time and found that one always once to a hospital, where her condi- Dean Caphell, 508 South Twentieth a conservative administration. At gets a better price for registered stock. I am not feeding any cattle William Vasak, 2051 Deer Park boul- administration will get into the race. this season, but there are some cattle

in the feed lots around Clarks." One of the largest hogs brought

to the local market for some time was brought in yesterday by John Long of Norfolk. The animal was a stag and tipped the beam at a few ounces

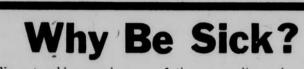
over 1,000 pounds. He was nearly three years old and moved around Los Angeles Legion Post like a young pig. Mr. Long received an even \$50 for the hog, which sold

Los Angeles, Cal.; Jan. 16.-Corporal at \$5 a hundred. LeRoy Dawson, late of the 117th Included in the shipment brought in

United States Engineers, Rainbow di- by Mr. Long was also a load of choice vision, was installed as commander young Durocs that averaged 270 Twenty-six Nebraskans, half a dozen here last night, a distinction bestowed They were fattened in an alfalfa field pounds and sold for \$8.20 a hundred. and finished on corn.

According to Edward Dreager of Corporal Dawson was carried from Venaugo who was in the local mar-Following is the list: Hannah Harp, a French battlefield with half his ket with a shipment of shortfed year-Belvidere, \$30; Elizabeth M. Prowant, face and one leg shot away. He unneighborhood and selling for 62 cents

Mr. Dreager said that feeding operations were quite heavy along the Swanson, Tamora, \$30; Bertha W. Da- Returning to Los Angeles, he be- western border of the state and that harsh, Mead, \$20; Rose C. Rich, Oma- gan studying law. But his eyesight farmers are getting a better market



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