

appointment of a house committee to establish whether the persons men-

delivery to Presid commission's report on its wheat inquiry, completed more than a week porting to the president. Three members, including Vice Chairman Culbertson, hold that the report should embody definite contogether with the commission's observations. Chairman Marvin and should present only cost of production figures on Canadian and Ameriends. can wheat and upon three varying bases. President Coolidge has indicated he is prepared to order an increase in the wheat tariff as soon as the commission formally presents its report but despite daily White House inquiry at the commission offices the report is being held up by the controversy. Vice Chairman Culbertson after a call at the White House today said he could not say when it would be presented. house members had no relation what Maupin Speaks at

Certain eastern senators objected t

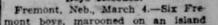
lished, for the night. Boys Rescued. Fremont, Neb., March 4.-Six Fre

in the Platte river east of Fremont

connecting link with the mainland.

The boys are Arthur Mason, Vir

day afternoon. The boys



in the tariff commission has held up river to river. The controversy has divided the tee for this, at least. Furthering this clusions arried at during the inquirx the work is done, results are accom servations. Chairman Marvin and two other commissioners believe it the only thing expended by the com large sums of money, because the thing is got at the proper time. do, which the committee does.

were members of the house whether there was any ground for charges against them.

The resolution went to the rules committee of which Garrett is a member. He announced he would press for action on it, although he lid not desire to embarrass any investigation that might be conducted months.

#### here by a grand jury. Information Conflicting.

In a statement issued after he had introduced his resolution, Garrett said:

"It is felt that if those referred to are members of the house, it is the first duty of the house to ascertain the facts and take whatever action in the way of house cleaning is necessary to preserve the confidence of the people in that body."

In announcing the decision of the senate veterans' committee not to go into the charges involving the two house members, Chairman Reed declared that information furnished him showed the matter was one for prompt prosecution, not investigation. He made this statement after a with conference John W. H. Crim. government counsel in the veterans bureau case, who is understood to have informed the committee chairman that the activities of the two

ever to affairs of the bureau.

# David City Man, 80,

David City, Neb., March 4 .-- C. El Eller fl Son of David City, celebrated his 19th birthday anniversary on Friday, February 29, at his home when his friends gave him a congratulation and flower shower as a token of the 80 years he has lived. Mr. Eller is able to be at his place of business each day. A family din ner was served at the home on Friday night, at which Troy Eller and family, Julian Buckley and family and Mrs. E. G. Sherburne of Cambridge were present.

## Governor Bryan in Hot Water as Leaks **Develop** in Plumbing

Lincoln, March 4 .- Governor Char ley Bryan has been in "hot water." for some time, it was learned offic fally today.

The venerable plumbing in the gov ernor's mansion is going to pieces all at once, like O. W. Holmes' "one hoss shay."

The governor said that in one night he had to deal with hot water spouts climbed to the root of his house to In five different places throughout fix the chimney and fell. He lay for some time in the cold and never rethe mansion, and that at present the covered from the exposure. iron distribution pipes are giving an indoor geyser exhibition in his base

ment.

Pots and pans have been used to Pots and pans have been used to A class of or women and as which Ray Johnson, Persia, la.... the parlor and reception hall have met last week for the first time in had to be replastered.

ing replaced so far has been in short tion of Mrs. Frank Mizera, wife of Eleanor Behrers, Omaha tions, and he fears that unusual the county attorney. The officers Ben Balley, Blair, Neb. pressure will break the old pipes and of the organization are Ada Newans, William Noves, Council Bluffs and Mrs. F. K. Hansen, treasurer. bath emporium.

Dad-Lad Banquet is never larger than 30 members, at its regular Monday session. Hartington, Neb., March 4 .-- One Has 19th Birthday Hartington, Neb., March 4.-One of the largest and most successful here as yet."

father and son banquets ever held in northeast Nebraska was held in this ler, senior member of the firm of city this evening. It was held under the auspices of the business men of who have lookd into the plan. Hartington. W. H. Steinbach, super intendent of schools, officiated as **Oshkosh Village Officer** master of ceremonies. Will M. Maupin of The Omaha Bee editorial staff, was the principal speaker. Mr Maupin interspersed his talk with recitations of his poems dealing with the boys and illustrated his points

with apt stories. **Fall From Roof Causes** 

Death of Madison Pioneer Madison, Neb., March 3 .- Gustave Teske, 62, an old resident of Madison county, died at his home here Saturday. Mr. Teske was born in Germany and came to this county soon He married Miss Sadie after. Schmedecke at Columbus in 1891 and The following persons obtained mat riage licenses in Council Bluffs yesterday three children survive the death of

their father, Carl, who lives in Lulu Richardson, Cmaha. Oregon; Herman in Norfolk and Wal- Holger Larsen, Omaha... ter in Platte Center. His wife also survives him as does a sister. Mrs.

Mischel Culton, Omaha. Francis Henner, Nebraska City, Neb. Cecelia Brust, Nebraska City, Neb. C. C. McAllister of this city. His death came as the result of

a fall a short time ago when he Alice Benfield, Prosser, Neb. Joseph Harazin, Greina, Neb. Helen Bartz, Greina, Neb.... Joseph Rehor, Wilbur, Neb... Clara Slepicka, Milligan, Neb.

Joseph Svarc, Wilbur, Neb..... Emma Slepicka, Wilbur, Neb. Loren Menney, Omaha ... Lucille Sullivan, Omaha . Women's Gym Class Formed A class of 60 women and girls are Arthur DeLaterre. Omaha ....

the high school building in David Lloyd Campbell, Loveland, Ia,

Harry Finch, Randolph, Ia Minnie Hartman, Sidney, Ia

the bill on the ground that furtherin "Good roads is one of the pets of of the dairy industry in the north his committee. Omaha men would west by government ald furnished un

do well to pattern after this commit- fair competition for eastern dairymen Gooding of Idaho announced oppocommission on the same basis as movement would do away with the sition because he believed the pending have the various differences which present experience of traveling on a McNary-Haugen measure would give have stirred that body for several good road through one county only to the necessary relief.

drop off into a mud hole at the coun Norris opened his address by re It revolves about the method of re- ty line. Objections to extensive road viewing the growth of diversified building in the state have been overfarming in the northwest from 1911 come by systematic campaigning. to 1917. He produced charts to show

"There is practically no overhea how wheat farmers had learned of diversification and had gone into diverexpense to this committee. The way sified crop raising to a large extent. the president came from the Tenth Responded to War Cry. plished with a minimum of expense

"Then," said Norris, "the war came They were importuned to beon. patriotic. They read placards come mittee or the city in attaining thei The state benefits, the city and heard speeches the keynote of that Iowa put its support behind the benefits, but is not required to spend all being:

"'Help win the war. Raise more wheat.' "His story discloses that no man

Aid to Chamber. did the wheat farmer in doing his referring to the criticism that might "Instead of disrupting the Chamber of Commerce, this committee strengthened it. There are many ment, dropped diversified farming things which the chamber can not

dropped doing everything on the Rawson of Des Moines for national "A half dozen of us got to talking about Omaha at lunch a few weeks farm except raise wheat. ago and naturally the talk veered

around to the Greater Des Moines around to the Greater Des Moines which was to make a minimum price Selection of the Iowa delegation to committee. Correspondence began for wheat in order to further stimubetween the cities and the visit re- late wheat growing. What hapsulted. We saw the committee which pened?

Would Ban 'Howler' Radio

Lincoln, March 4 .-- Village Trustee

A. D. Riddell of Oshkosh has written

"The agency which handled all of our wheat transformed the minimum price of wheat into the maximum Four Farms Bring Over "We have not formally organized price. In other words while wheat This organization probably will fol, was being sold by the farmer for

low in a short time, according to \$2.20 a bushel it was sold in Italy hints dropped by several of the men and other countries for \$4 and \$5 per who were on the trip and by others bushel,

United States Makes \$60,000,000. "The corporation set up by the

government to handle wheat made a for cash. profit of \$60,000,000 from the wheat old, by farmers. Not a cent of this est farm sold for \$275 an acre. money was returned to the farmers. The profit which should be the farm. Britain Plans to Link

the state legal department inquiring ers' profit during the war is less whether an ordinance prohibiting the than the amount we are asking. sale of "howler sets" for radio ap-"After the war the farmer, induced paratus would be legal. Assistant to drop diversification, found himself Attorney General Dort has answered

unable to return to it. Thousands that villages have the right to pro of them are broke. They can't even hibit nuisances, but the question buy a cow. We are asking for whether the sale or use of "howler money to loan them to start diversisets" constitutes a nuisance would fication again. have to be decided in the courts.

"For this reason the wheat farmer entitled to this relief through the Married in Council Bluffs. government which at its own reuest induced him to stop diversification and start extensive wheat growing. Other section do not suffer as a result of a like condition urged by the government and we have no District Attorney Edwin A. Olson to right to make an omnibus measure day delivered to Marshal Robert Levy of this bill."

Senator Capper pointed out that the amount of wheat necessary to of the Eigin Ice and Beverage comproduce a barrel of flour in 1913 cost pany. The plant is valued at more no more than the same amount of than \$200,000. Similar orders against wheat produced in 1923.

"Yet the consumer is paying \$7.50 per barrel more for flour," Capper sought, Olson announced. sold.

Community Club at Callaway. Callaway, Neb., March 4 .-- The annual meeting of the Callaway from Clay Cepter in their arguments

last year will be served.

declamatory contest, April 3

port Present Incumbent. By Associated Press

here this afternoon.

most Unanimously to Sup-

The house began consideration of the bill to lease Muscle Shoals to Des Moines, March 4 .-- Iowa's dele Henry Ford.

A dispute in the tariff commis-sion held up the commission's regation to the republican national con vention will go to Cleveland with in port on wheat duties. President Coolidge reaffirmed his structions to support President Calvin Coolidge under an almost unanimou

adherence to principles of the Melvote of the state delegate convention lon tax plan. Joseph C. Grew, minister to Swit-zerland, was nominated to be un-dersecretary of state.

William J. Burns told the senate

Senator Walsh, democrat, Mon-

tion of the shipping board.

The only opposition to a proposa that the delegation be instructed for The text of the ship liquor treaty between the United States and congressional district.

Great Britain was made public. The exservice men's anti-bonus league was attacked during hear-The vote to instruct followed ad dresses by Joseph Frailey, who moved ings on a soldiers' bonus bill in president, and by Robert Healy of

the house. Modification of the I. C. C. or-Fort Dodge, who declared the state republican organization should now der for automatic train control dedeclare itself a fighting organization vices was asked by 89 first class esponded more whole heartedly than take the lead in re-electing Coolidge railroads.

An investigation of charges that bit. He went against his best judg-ment. dropped diversified farming affairs in Washington. two members of congress had accepted money in connection with and went pell mell into the wheat The convention then endorsed for paroles and pardons was asked by business. He sold his cattle, he mer United States Senator Charles A Representative Garrett, Tennessee, the democratic leader.

committeeman from Iowa to succee Attorney General Daugherty's "We passed a bill the spirit of John T. Adams of Dubuque. counsel were furnished a letter by Selection of the Iowa delegation t the senate investigating commit-tee outlining their privileges in the pleted early this afternoon without a

Daugherty inquiry. Samuel Knight, San Francisco, contest from the floor on any of the was nuominated as special govern-ment counsel to test Standard Oilcandidates. company of California, oil land titles.



Newman Grove were sold last week The lowest priced farm tana, laid before the oil comm brought \$225 per acre and the high correspondence showing that E. L.

venture that might make him ap-**All Possessions Together** pear in a wrong light in view of his official position. London, March 4.-Great Britain is going to build wireless station an lay down cable lines in the near fu

**Hebron Adopts Uniform** ture in its possessions fringing the Caribbean sea in order to link them

together and with the mother coun Hebron, Neb., try to prevent the imperial combina tions from falling into the hands of foreigners in case the private Ameri can negotiations for purchasing the house. About \$0 business men have present French cables in the West In dies are consummated.

Brewery Ordered Destroyed. Chicago, March 4 .-- United States

a court order for the destruction of the equipment, machinery and plant 14 other breweries in northern Illi-

Geneva Debaters Win.

and John Gewacks.

Geneva, Neb., March 4 .- The local high school debaters won a decision

liams, reside in Geneva. Community club will be held Friday, for the negative of the question: Beatrice-Mrs. Mabel Langley, 49. A banquet similar to the one held "Resolved. That the Immigration a resident of Beatrice, passed away wolves were shot in a wolf-drive Laws Should Be Further Restricted." at Minneapolis. Minn., where she had in the Leigh -neighborhood. At The pupils of the Callaway High Members of the Geneva team are some for treatment. school are practicing for the annual Howard Hamilton. Roland Propet by her husband, O. D. Langley, and ing in lines four and five miles

four children.

Graven Image.

Ardle Slaying Sits Like

bills were introduced in the house While Mrs. William Welter wept since Sunday afternoon, were safely diently into her handkerchief, closing brought back to the mainland yester arguments were made Tuesday morning to the jury in district court at the obliged to spend the night on the isrial of her husband for the murder land when a heavy ite floe carried of Henry McArdle, whose charred off a small wagon bridge, the only body was found in a strawstack in ; Sarpy county the morning of November 24. The case was submitted to

gin Miller, Alvin Miller, Jack Menthe jury at 12:15. denhall, Lloyd Wiltse and Byron Welter has sat like a graven image Pepers, Val Rosengreen, farm hand all through the week of trial, scarceon Sheriff Condit's island farm. y moving a muscle. He was not put brought the boys to the mainland by on the stand. boat, making two trips.

**Griffin Twisted** 

When the boys discovered Principal witness in his favor was plight they made their way to the S. James Griffin, found guilty of man- Taylor island farm where they teleslaughter two weeks ago after trial phoned to their parents and allayed for the murder of McArdle. Griffin's fears of anxious mothers. All retestimony differed in several places mained at the Boy Scout camp on from his story given at his own the island during the night. trial Platte on Rampage.

The Platte went on a real rampage

lost 20 hogs by drowning when the

river first went over its banks Sun-

The ice gorge that has threatened

ne-tenth of a foot at North Platte by

It was reported at Schuyler that ico

was being carried away in a stream

100 feet wide that had opened in the

north channel of the Platte, with the

result that flood waters on the north

railroad property near Schuyler i

The Weather

The Burlington and Union Pacific

iver lands were rapidly receding.

said to be in no immediate danger

Maple

"Griffin's story is impossible in a undred places." exclaimed County in Dodge county yesterday, with the Attorney Henry Beal in his argument, water rushing along the Union Pa referring to a statement by counsel cific railroad tracks near North for the defense that "Griffin's story Bend and farmers were forced to is not improbable." take their stock off the lowlands,

"That statement by the defense is The first farmer to suffer serious an insult to your intelligence," de loss thus far was Albert Nelson, who lared Beal.

"Boy" Defense "And," he continued, pointing at day night. Appeals for help re-Welter, "don't be taken in by the ceived in Fremont brought aid in the

boy' stuff defense attorneys have moving of stock to safe ground. been pulling. Welter is no boy. He For one mile west of North Bend has arrived at the age when he must the Lincoln highway is inundated stand responsible. The defense would and traffic is completely blocked on have you believe he was a mere coun- that road. A drainage ditch near try lad, trimmed by city slickers. But the Charles Hurich farm, two miles t was Welter who, according to the east of Ames, diverted the flood. evidence, helped get together this waters back into the river.

The Platte was reported bank fu Judge Fihzgerald, in his instrucat Schuyler and Rogers today, with tions, pointed out again that the jury no serious damage as yet. an bring in a verdict of murder in Creek tore loose Sunday and went the first or second degree or man- over its banks near Hoeper. slaughter or acquittal. Ice Gorge Shifts.

Doheny sought last December to interest him in an oil enterprise and that he refused to enter any Legislative Candidates

gang.'

littee

farm lands near Schuyler for the last File in Two Districts few weeks shifted slightly yesterday and forced flood waters into Butler Lincoln, March 4 .- The following county, but did not greatly increase legislative filings, all for the lowe the danger to Butler county property. house, were made Tuesday: Both the North and South Platte

John S. Wise, Hamlet, Elchty Flag Decoration System eighth district, republican, refiled: rivers were reported to have fallen March 4.-Hebron S. Μ. Kinsinger, Hayes Center, Meteorologist M. V. Robins of Omaha. business men have completed arrange- Eighty eighth district, democrat; W This might indicate an ice jam furments for uniform flag decorations to V. Votaw. Maywood, Sighty-sixth be placed in front of each business district, republican. ther up the river, he said, but it would not interfere with the flow of the James H. H. Hewett of Alliance

adopted the new system and it is ex. filed for district judge in the Sixwater. which began breaking up late Monday

Students Invite Gage

### **County to Attend Play** Wymore, Neb., March 4-The Y. W. C. A. student body of the Wymore High school will give a play entitled.

"Springtime." at the Lyrio theater Thursday and Friday. Twenty-two of the high school students make up the cast. A booster motor trop to al ltowns in southern Gage county

She is survived 300 men took part in the drive for

length. One animal escaped.

in the interest of attendance to the He is survived by six sons and two play has been made by students. daughters. One daughter, Mrs. Ar-villa Brundage, and a son, Fred Wil-

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Temperature-Righest, 40; lowest, 21; mean, 36; normal, 31; total excess can, 35; norman, 31; total extension ice January 1, 6. Precipitation, Inches and Hundredthein Drive Near Leigh total since January 1, Columbus, Neb., March 4 .-- F

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## pected to be installed within a month. teenth district. The flags are 4x6 feet, mounted on a 12-foot wooden staffs. The Hebron American Legion post has been active securing the system. Shickley Pioneer Buried. Geneva, Neb., March 4 .- The funer-

al of John L. Williams, 85, was held at the Methodist church. Mr. Willlams resided on a farm near Shickley from 1872 until 1902, when he came pois now closed by injunction will be te Geneva. His wife died here in

1914