

No. 17e departs (Wed.) .. 6:30 A. M. Sleeping, dining and reclining chair cars (seats free) on through trains. Tickets sold and baggage checked to any point in the United States or

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### RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.

Mrs. C. F. Heber, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, is very much improved.

Dispatcher and Mrs. W. L. Bass

are visiting relatives in Marshall, Texas, until January 1st. Mrs. L. E. Reed went to St. Jo-

seph, Mo., Monday evening, to visit relatives for a few days. W. S. Perry, chief of buildings and

bridges west of the river, was out from Lincoln, last Friday, in the line of duty. Engine 2013, which was in the

Brush wreck, is receiving heavy machinery and boiler repairs. She is about ready to go out. J. W. Trimble, who resigned his

position in the local telegraph office, recently, has accepted a position as dispatcher for the Santa Fe in Ari-

Henry Henckle, Henry Probst and John Hoffman were let out of the service, this week. They left the city, last night, to seek work else-

An air hoist has been placed over the big wheel lathe, together with a traveling crane attachment. The boys can now handle the largest en- Russian, to whom Mr. Chaloner asgine drivers with ease.

It is a source of satisfaction to General Foreman McArthur to know that the power on the McCook division is in absolutely excellent shape for the fall and winter.

On account of slack business since the new time card went into effect, Extra Dispatcher Will Lyon was returned to the telegraph office, relieving Operator J. C. Trimble.

A Wymore division engine, the 1355, is in for a general overhauling. Heavy machinery and boiler repairs, including a set of new flues were given the 1976, this month.

Mrs. Hugh Wilson, the ailing wife of Switchman Wilson of the local yard, was taken to Fort Worth, Texas. Tuesday night, by her husband in the hope of aiding in her recovery by taking her to her homefolks.

George W. Kern, roundhouse foreman, is visiting over in Peru, Indiana, and Sam Pickard is filling his place actively and efficiently meanwhile. Mac states that he does not think Kern is going to be married-

Changes in time card, Sunday, the 18th, and the taking off of trains Nos. 9 and 10, have temporarily reduced a few of the passenger conductors to freight: Conductor Baker of the Republican City-Oberlin run has gone to Denver. Conductors Herman Hegenberger and Tom Malen will return to freight for the pres-

# One Week to Christmas



And WISE ONES Surely Won't Delay Christmas Shopping Another founding of the first permanent mu-\_ Day

### CHAMPION STAR FINDER.

Astonishing Record of Mrs. Fleming, Harvard's Famous Astronomer.

It is a curious fact that, although men have had the field of astronomy to themselves for ages, the world's champion discoverer of stars is a woman. This very considerable distinction belongs to Mrs. Williamina P. Fleming, curator of photographs at the Harvard observatory, who has just 3 ..... 11:42 P. M. discovered a new star. It is the fifteenth to be found in the last twentyfive years, and nine of these were discovered by Mrs. Fleming from photo-

Mrs. Fleming is the only woman No. 175 departs . . . . 6:45 A. M. catalogue of Harvard university. In



this record, with the names of former President Eliot, Professor Edward C. Pickering, director of the Harvard astronomical observatory, and many other names that stand for high attainment along various lines, that of Mrs. Fleming is written as curator of astronomical photographs.

### "Who's Loony Now?"

One of the attractions at the recent Virginia state fair was John Armstrong Chaloner's pig. Prince Dolgorouki, that he has named after the royal



cribes the marital differences between brother. Sher-Bob Chanler. and his wife, Lina Cavalieri. In teli-

ing recently why he named his pig Dolgorouki Mr. Chaloner said: "I gave him that name in order to insult the prince, I have lived five years in Paris, and there and elsewhere on the continent to call a man a pig is to give him the deadliest insult known to the continental tongue. I desire to fasten a deadly insult upon this swaggering, haughty, self sufficient noble for having the audacity to disregard the dignity of my father's name by breaking up his son's home."

All of which makes pertinent that famous question, "Who's loony now?"

## JERSEY'S CELEBRATION.

Two Hundred and Fiftieth Anniversary of State's First Settlement.

Too much cannot be said in praise of New Jersey's celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of Bergen village, the first settlement on Jersey soil, for probably no better plan could have been devised for keeping alive the past and to awaken patriotism in the present generation by dwelling on the heroism and achievements of the state's pioneers.

Two hundred and fifty years ago a handful of Dutch settlers established themselves in a little stockaded village



NEW JERSEY'S FIRST CHURCH.

they called Bergen just behind, ( munipaw. Today the site of the d permanent settlement in New ers is part of Jersey City, the to diet center of a city of lim out to tack Almost every vestige of the orig settlement has been swept away, or a few old buildings and parts of other being left.

It was arranged for four separate important events to be commemorated in the celebration, for it marks not only the anniversary of the founding of Bergen, but also the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the organization of the first church in the state of New Jersey, the establishment of the first school in the state and the nicipal organization in Jersey.



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The boys are feeling pretty good over the fact that for the past twelve days there has not been an engine failure on the McCoook divison.

Engine 1748 went out of the shop this month with heavy repairs to boiler and machinery.

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Reid McKenna is home from school for the Christmas holidays.

her son Emerson Hanson.

Mrs. T. L. Dedman was a Lincoln visitor, close of last week.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

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George Neill is now living in Lin-

H. H. Humphreys of Humboldt is The Tribune's new foreman. Mrs. J. J. Strunk of Indianola was

a Christmas shopper, Saturday. Miss Ruth Malone is up from Lincoln, guest of Miss Adaline Koller for the holidays.

Cook. He has been living in Fair -Lincoln Journal. bury for a while.

Will T. Gathercole now guards the city by night, succeeding T. Marsh the homefolks during the Christmas

Ed O'Rourke of the Nebraska university and Frank O'Rourke of Creighton university are home for the hol-Mrs. Roland R. Reed is visiting

her parents in Lincoln for over the Christmas holidays. The doctor expects to join her Saturday. J. W. Wolf of Bartley, who spent e little while in Mississippi, has re-

turned to Nebraska and is making his home at Schuyler now. A. G. Bump celebrates his return nome from his visit to Texas by the

remark that Nebraska looks good to him-better than does Texas. B. H. Stewart and H. D. Strunk have retired from The Tribune's mechanical department and force to en-

gage in business for themselves. Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Fahnestock will spend part of the Christmas tide with his sister in St. Louis, leaving for there, latter part of this

Mary's for the holidays.

Miss Margaret Thompson is home from the university for the holidays. Mrs. Hanson is again the guest of

Mrs. J. Raymond McCarl entertained a company of lady friends, Wednesday afternoon, at whist, in honor of her guest Mrs. Hardesty.

W. Mart Nutt came in from Colorado-south of Akron-Saturday morn ing, and from here went over to Danbury, where he will visit his son, who is in the bank there, for a while.

Miss Esther Bailey returned, yesterday from McCook, where she has been teaching in the high school, to sp.nd the holiday season with her O. T. Kelly has returned to Mc- parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bailey.

> Miss Deborah Heckman left, this week, for Cleveland, Ohio, to be with holidays. She will be absent a few weeks and will also visit at the old home in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Lloyd R. Hileman of Denver who has been the guest of her daughter Mrs. Chester A. Rodgers, was summoned Sunday night to Los Angeles, Calif., by a telegram announcing the serious illness of her aged mother Mrs. Lee.

## ADDITIONAL RAILROAD.

Heavy machinery repairs are being given the 1960.

Heavy machinery repairs were given the 1904 this month.

Machinery and boiler repairs of a this month.

The 1942 is in the shop for heavy machinery and boiler repairs-new flues being on the list.

Engine 1539 was sent out of the local shops, this month, with a general overhauling to machinery.

## Bernard Elbert is home from St. FOR SALE, FOR RENT, ETC.

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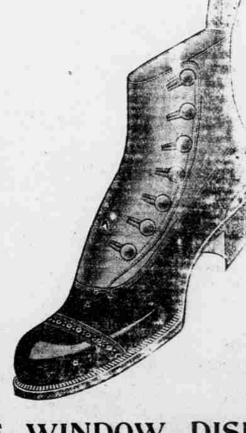
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