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By Journal Field Representative

Charles Montgomery and family moved to Nebraska City Sunday. Miss Irene Finkle is visiting her

holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Harris of Omaha spent Christmas with Mr. and

Mrs. Con Watkins. Doran Bowman has moved his barber shop into the building vacated

by Charles Montgomery. Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Chilcott were guests at the home of Mr. and

Mrs. Elmer Withrow Sunday.

days at the L. R. Upton home. The latest victims of chicken pox Bauer. are Dorothy Applegate, Dorothy Clarence, Darryll Seefus and Patty Cream-

Mr. and Mrs. George Paulis, Sam evening.

Matt Midkiff and family of near Midkiff.

Another lot of ear corn was shelled the crib in order to provide room for Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ahl. future deliveries.

Guests at the W. B. Banning home and Mrs. R. A. Mapes.

Register of Deeds Ray Becker and the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. evening. A. L. Becker, last Sunday.

family of Syracuse were guests last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs W. A. Taylor, the birthday being D. Ray Frans and son, James,

Miss Dorothy Applegate is able to Mrs. Taylor more happy birthdays. be about again after an attack of the prevailing malady-chickenpox-that kept her confined to her bed for some

and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hatcliff of family and Curtis Dixon and family due to the fact that Governor-elect Lincoln were guests at the John of Omaha and Leo Roddy and family Griswold is a colonel in the reserve. Armstrong home over the Christmas of Blair. holidays.

A. L. Becker, accompanied by his

This Announcement

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ADDISONDERSONDERSONDERSONS

Mrs. Glen Hoback, were Plattsmouth versity of Nebraska Coliseum for trust with a large trucking concern. and offering to leave it for the decision, the local board obtained it visitors Monday afternoon. While in Governor and Mrs. Griswold and the Parites became an expensive bur-owner.

tal work done. few miles north of Union, when all his entire band have been secured fense, the court, taking into conside- the station, the jeweler said his store aunt, Mrs. Tillie Hargus, over the enjoyed watching the old year out for the gala function. and the new year in.

so called on her uncle, John Kropp, and participate in the festivities.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Whittemore Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nickel in Okla- co-operating to make it an evening Owen recovered his self-respect, railroad engineer, who found him a of Johnson spent the Christmas holi- homa. James Dysart looked after the of enjoyment for the several out- regained his standing in his home new position and persuaded him to

surprised last Sunday evening when reports that Gus Arnheim, the star- making payments on a home and now ings on a course in accounting. Six friends gathered for a birthday party favorite and star-finder, will bring has only twelve more monthly in- months later, when Mack's probain her honor. Those present were his famous orchestra to play for this stallments to meet before it is clear tion period expired, he asked that it Vanpool and Blair Porter were Ne- John Hoback and family, Leslie number-one state affair, Arnheim of encumbrance. braska City visitors last Sunday Everett and family and Wilbur S. was the favorite of the Duke of Eaton and family.

Union spent Surday at the home of Louisville Sunday for a visit at the during his phenomenal seven year to a penal institution at a cost of At the height of the economic dehis parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. run at the Cocoanut Grove in Holly- approximately \$450.00 a year to the pression, Mack departed for a west Greene. Mrs. L. G. Todd accompanied wood. them and visited at the homes of

Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. mouth, visited his friends Fred Parade. Davis, Mrs. Tillie Hargus and Mr. Schaeffer and B. Crawford Monday. He came down on a bus in the morning and accompanied the Journal be sold for \$1.10 in advance and ing a shiftless family, a task which bell-hops for Mack. wife of Plattsmouth were guests at scribe back to Plattsmouth in the \$1.35 at the door per person. Spec-

A belated Christmas dinner and a only 35c each. Mr. and Mrs. Rue H. Frans and birthday dinner were combined into one at the home of Rev. and Mrs. that of the latter, on Sunday, Decem-Mrs. A. L. Becker still has a very ber 29. Guests were Miss Betty Aussore foot, caused by burns which she tin of Falls City, who has been visitsuffered while frying eggs, when the ing here, and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. hot grease popped out of the skillet. Hoback and son Ivan. All wished

Christmas at James Roddy's

Christmas day was appropriately elebrate at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Merrit Dodson, who James C. Roddy, with all members of reside north of Nehawka were busi- the family living anywhere near in ness visitors in Union and also en- attendance to enjoy the fine dinner joyed meeting a number of their that was served. Those present in- of Foreign Wars. cluded Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wessell of Chas. Hatcliff and family of Julian near Nehawka, Robert Roddy and theme of the ball will be military.

Silver Wedding Anniversary

New Store Opened

ies in more quite manner.

pening was sent the Journal for Derry, Ogallala. publication in our Thursday semiweekly edition, but did not reach us until after the paper had been printed and mailed to the subscribers. A staple groceries and enjoyed a good in the state. patronage during opening days.

Celebrated New Years' Eve New Years Eve party and dance at government in Nebraska.

which was well attended.

H. Newell.

Plattsmouth, accompanied by Mrs. C. the removal of farm lands from high A. Rawls, sister of Mr. Holmes, who school districts. is residing at the Nebraska Masonic | Speakers include State Senator Ed-Home, were Sunday visitors in Union, win Schultz of Elgin, E. T. Winter, calling on their long-time friend, Mrs. secretary of the Nebraska Farm Bu-Jennie Frans. Mrs. Rawls was brides- reau Federation, W. H. Mengel, Linmaid at the time of the wedding of coln, member of the state planning Mrs. Frans, in 1886, which was per- board, and Paul Halpine, Lincoln,

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Inaugural Ball on January 9 at U of N Coliseum

Will Be One of the Outstanding Events of Year-Gus Arnheim and Orchestra to Play.

The Nebraska inaugural ball comthe city, Mrs. Hoback had some den- other constitutional state officers, den. While drunk and brooding over | Skeptical through years of experi-Miss Jane Christensen was hostess court, the speaker of the legislature mitted a burglary. to fellow members of the class of '38 and their ladies. Gus Arnheim, naof Union high school at her home a tionally famous orchestra leader and charge, and since it was his first of- in hope of a reward. When called to

The grand inaugural march prom- record, placed him on probation. Mrs. Henry H. Becker was a visi- ises to be most colorful and will be A civic organization provided a the watch, which he missed that tor in Nebraska City last Saturday the outstanding event of the eve- "big brother," who, while maintain- morning when he came to the store. Many Proposals to Be Offered Along defense needs. night, going to visit her aunt, Mrs. ning. All of the former governors ing the strictest supervision over his Anna Grossjohn. While there she al- of the state will be invited to attend ward, became Owen's close friend. No reason for coming to the police was

who is in a Nebraska City hospital. The dress will be formal or in- former companions-instead for more uncle's friend. The jeweler pleaded Frank Bauer and his sister, Miss formal and everyone is invited to than two years regular work and that no action be taken against Mack, Anna, arrived home last Wednesday attend. It is strictly non-political regular accounting to the "big as did the uncle. Mack was placed from a holiday visit at the home of and all civic leaders in Lincoln are brother" was the rule. business during the absence of Mr. state people that are expected to at- community; and, economic conditions save half his weekly earnings. tend.

Mrs. John Everett was pleasantly John B. Quinn, general chairman, gress financially. He commenced duced Mack to spend part of his sav-Windsor when he was at the Savoy retined in the community as an eco- But that was not necessary, as his Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Rihn went to Hotel in London, and of the stars nomic producer instead of being sent sponsor's interest never flagged.

His topflight band has been heard at the elevator Monday, clearing out Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cleghorn and on radio commercials with Bing Crosby (whom he discovered), with Phil out, has succeeded. About 80 per took a long vacation trip to the west, J. W. Browne, who resides at the Baker, for Lady Esther, on the Fitch cent of the offenders do make good among other places the city to which Nebraska Masonic Home in Platts- Bandwagon and the Lucky Strike Hit

> Tickets are on sale at any of the downtown hotels in Lincoln and will

> ninger will be marshal of the day. assisted by Colonel Leo Crosby, of Omaha, and Colonel Edward Wilber, of Lincoln. General Henninger will be assisted by members of the governor's military staff at the reception anad will be aided by Major Walter Gardner and Captain Palmer McGrew, of the U. S. Army State Commander Walter F. Roberts, of Wahoo, and State Adjutant R. C. Patterson, of Hartington, of the American Legion and State Commander Simon A. Simon, Omaha, Veterans

> Quinn stressed the fact that the and that National Defense is the theme of the day.

tury later, silver wedding anniversary Spencer, Lincoln; Mrs. M. N. Tucker, Greenburg. time has arrived for all three couples. Nehawka; H. E. Kuppinger, Omaha; Marsh had been in critical condi-John Riddell, York; Mrs. Ruby Cog- from 1901 to 1905. gins, Aurora; Melvin E. Rasdal, Marsh was elected to both state Five sisters and their 19-year-old

FAVOR COUNTY MANAGER

ing repeal of the weight and length Frank Marsh. The American Legion post and the provisions of the 1939 truck law and Surviving in addition to Mrs. Legion Auxiliary unit sponsored a advocating county manager form of Greenburg are two sons. Wayne of

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Holmes of low that for regular gasoline and Eurada.

formed by the then county judge, W. secretary of the Nebraska Commerial Truckers' association. President A. A. Misegadis of Talmage, pre-



A Big Brother Succeeds (many watches; he would not miss acter were not quite enough to pre- and slipped the watch into his pock- claiming any lower classification," vent fine-looking Owen from suc- et.

members of the Nebraska supreme his financial difficulties, Owen comence, the police arrested Mack and accused him of theft, believing that Schools of State "Guilty" was his plea to the he was delivering the watch to them

ration his family history and past had not been broken into and Mack

more parties, no association with that he could not face the owner, his

notwithstanding, he began to pro-

A worthwhile citizen. Owen was enjoy the guidance of his sponsor. taxpayers of the state. There are coast city, and for some years did thousands of cases like Owen's in not communicate with old friends. if properly supervised.

The Tale of a Watch

The three-year burden of support- engineer looked in vain among the tator's seats in the balcony will cost time went on, finally became too the gray-haired sponsor approached Brigadier General Guy N. Hen- lous to advance himself. He gave his Mack's whereabouts. The clerk, belast dollar to the family and hitch- lieving the aged man was seeking hiked to a Madison county town, employment, insisted on knowing his where a bachelor uncle was elated to errand. Railroad cards and passes have his companionship. The uncle cleared the path to a room in which

found him a job. One evening the two called on a men visited in the little office at the a pretty fair job now." rear, leaving Mack to wander in admiration among the cases of jewelry. ter in which lay a beautiful wrist- vise. I owe my success to you." watch, just such a watch as he long had wanted. His wages were sufficient for his ordinary needs, but they would not cover the price of this watch. Ah, well, the owner had

GEORGE W. MARSH DIES

LINCOLN, Dec. 31 (UP)-George Henninger today as he made public hitting speech." The statewide committee appoint- W. Marsh, 88, who served ten years the military department's budget re- Asked if he favored war against Twenty-five years ago last Sunday, ed to assist in the affair includes: as state auditor and four as sorre- quest for 1941-43. here were three weddings in this Paul V. Armstrong, Auburn; Mrs. tary of state, died today at the

One of the couples, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Nettie Kibbie, Omaha; Charles tion since he suffered a stroke last sponsor construction of an armory at pretty hard to stop when he is go-Henry H. Becker entertained friends S. Reed, Omaha; Mrs. Ralph Nicker- Friday and had been in failing health | Lincoln and one at Omaha, His plan | ing down for the last time." He at a card party at the Banning hall, son, Papillion. Earl J. Moyer, Madi- for the past two years. A Nebraska contemplated allotment of additional added, however, that he had great while the other two, Mr. and Mrs. son; Mrs. Nell Krause, Albion; Lyle resident for the past 75 years, Marsh funds by the two cities and by the faith Great Britain will survive. Earl Wolfe and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jackson. Neligh: Mrs. Margaret served as state auditor from 1919 Works Progress Administration. Clarence celebrated their anniversar- Mapes, Norfolk; C. E. Alter, Alma; to 1927 and again from 1931 to Mrs. Bruce Donald, Grand Island; 1933. He was secretary of state

The H. W. Griffin store was open- Ogallala; Mrs. A. T. Howard, Scotts- offices on the republican ticket and housekeeper perished early today d last week. An ad announcing the bluff; Chris Abbott, Hyannis; Zelma was active in state republican activ- when flames swept a 11/2-story woodities. Before entering public life, he en building containing a general was engaged in the realty and insur- store and an apartment. ance business.

Born in 1852 in Saline county, mother, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith. TALMAGE, Dec. 31 (UP)-Ne- Missouri, Marsh was a member of a and a brother, James, 11, escaped. further announcement concerning the braska's first congressional district pioneer Richardson county family. The dead were Doreen Smith, 10, store and listing prices is found in 'axayers' association voiced opposi- Before he was elected to state office Marie, 7, Carlene, 6, Irma, 4, Linda, this issue. Mr. Griffin has a stock of tion today to property tax limitation he served as Richardson county treas- 18 months, and Mrs. Vera Davenurer and was owner of the Falls port, 19. At its convention here yesterday, City Journal for five years. He was the association went on record favor- not related to Secretary of State-elect

Lincoln, and Benton of Denver. Mrs. the Banning hall Tuesday evening. The association also approved the Marsh died in 1916. Funeral sersubsidization of Agrol gasoline by vices will be held Thursday in Linreducing its state tax two cents be- coln with burial in the family lot at

> PROPOSE NEW ARMORIES LINCOLN, Dec. 30 (UP)-New

CONTROL CONTRO J. Howard Davis LAWYER

Plattsmouth, Nebr.

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until vou have a loss to

learn that your protec-

tion is not adequate. Call

Searl S. Davis

OFFICES: 2ND FLOOR Platts. State Bank Bidg.

this agency NOW!

Mack sat at a desk.

LINCOLN, Dec. 31 (UP)-Adjuant General Guy Henninger, state selective service director, today advised local draft boards that only registrants in class 1 could appeal for lower classifications.

RULES ON CLASSIFICATIONS

His many excellent traits of char- one. Mack gently opened the case for a registrant classified in class 2, he said. He pointed out the appeal cumbing to the lure of all-night | That night his conscience would was solely on the written record made mittee announced today that plans drinking parties with pleasure-seck- not let him sleep. He must not re- up at the local board. "No appearfor the inaugural ball is taking shape ing companions. A member of one of main a common thief. Early the next ances, pleadings, or added evidence lickes today described this nation's in such a way as to produce one of the best families in Nebraska, Owen morning he went to the police sta- are made or introduced before the the outstanding events of the year. had an average education, a loyal, tion, pretending that he had found appeal board," he said. "Where furgrandson Donald and granddaughter, A reception will be held at the Uni- helpful wife and held a position of the watch in an alley near the store ther evidence is needed to reach a pon request of the appeal."

Big Consideration had had access the night before to

the Lines of Reorganization of School System.

major battle grounds of the 1941 synthetic petroleum. on strict probation to an elderly legislative session.

After 18 months the sponsor inomy and efficiency.

But the suggested reforms already must do to avoid waste." be extended so that he might still grades from small high schools.

whether proposed changes would ef- facturing plants. Mack had gone. The boy's address fect economies and feared control of proved to be a beautiful, modernistic hotel, in the lobby of which the districts to state boards.

board of higher education to replace the existing university regents and heavy for Mack, now 17 and ambit- the desk and made inquiry as to the state normal board, and a state

SMITH PRAISES PRESIDENT

NEW YORK, Dec. 30 (UP)-Former Governor Alf E. Smith, who took a After they had greeted each other walk from the democratic party in tracts of land which the county board jeweler who whiled away his other- as old friends do, the sponsor com- 1936 and kept going in 1940, en- of equalization had valued at \$55,175. wise lonely hours in his store. The mented, "Well, Mack, you must have dorsed President Roosevelt's defense The district court reduced the value 'Yes, Sir. Being manager of this day and indicated he favored Amer- upheld the valuation of the other hotel entails a lot of responsibility, ican participation in the war if such four Soon Mack stopped behind a coun- There are 320 employees to super- action should be necessary to insure The second case involved a pork Adolf Hitler's defeat. He further de- packing plant, which the county asclared that he was ready at 67 to sessed at \$93,450. The company con-

"make my share of the sacrifices." democratic presidential nominee had and that the packing plant had been political foe he has been for nearly negotiated to wreck it. armories at Lincoln and Omaha were eight years for making what he callproposed by Adjutant General Guy N. ed "a very courageous and straight-

the axis powers on the part of the Henninger asked \$208,500 for the United States if mere aid to Great appropriated for 1939-41. He said ent, he said, "Well, I think when you

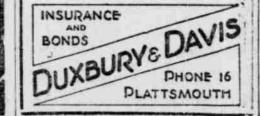
CAR ACCIDENTS

This is the most dangerous season to operate a car. If you must drive-

DRIVE WITH CARE

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CALL OR SEE



Natural Resources a Vital Part of **National Defense**

"No appeal may be made by or Secretary Ickes Urges Continuation of the Conservation Program to Aid the Nation.

> WASHINGTON, Dec. 30 (UP)-Secretary of the Interior Harold L. natural resources as the "sinews and muscles of our defense machinery" and urged their continued conservation as a vital part of the curcent rearmament drive.

In his annual report to President Roosevelt, Ickes said that the impact of the European war on American domestic economy had stressed the need for conservation. He added that during the period covered by for Unicameral the report, the 1940 fiscal year which ended last June 30, all of his department's resources had been geared to

For example, Ickes said, the bureau of mines, while trying to make American petroleum deposits last as LINCOLN, Dec. 31 (UP)-Educa- long as possible, also is conducting ion promises to provide one of the experiments on the production of

"Few people realize the care with Topping all proposals dealing with which the bureau is handling the education are the state planning nation's motor-fuel problem," he board's recommendations for a sweep- said. "The bureau's petroleum engiing reorganization of the Nebraska neers are trying to make America's school society in the interest of econ- oil resources last as long as possible by showing the industry what it

have become a center of controversy. Ickes said that another interior Officials of small school districts in department defense contribution was central Nebraska have organized an stabilization of prices in the bituassociation to fight proposals for con- minous coal industry. This industry, olidation of school districts and elim- he said, is of "paramount importination of eleventh and twelfth ance" to national defense. Coal, he added, comprises \$5 per cent of all Another sharp critic has been Sen- fuels and energy consumed by railator Edwin Schultz of Elgin, chair- roads, 49 per cent of that used by man of the 1939 legislature's com- electric utilities, and about 75 per mittee on education, who questioned cent of that used by general manu-

Ickes also pictured a revitalized schools would tend to pass from local Pacific Northwest, with the emphasis on defense industries, because of The program contemplates a single federally built hydro-electric plants.

APPEALS OTOE TAX CASE

LINCOLN, Dec. 30 (UP)-Wilson Company brought two cases to the Nebraska Supreme Court today from Otoe county district court rulings in tax assessments

One of the cases involved five broadcast "without qualification" to- of one from \$47,000 to \$36,000, but

ended the value of the land was re-In a birthday interview, the 1938 duced by demolition of improvements words of praise for the man whose assessed after a contract had been

INCORPORATE OIL COMPANY

LINCOLN, Dec. 30 (UP)-A new oil company, capitalized at \$25,000, was incorporated today as the Hays icinity, and now a quarter of a cen- J. H. Brunson, Louisville; Harry A. home of his daughter, Mrs. C. F. two years compared with \$143,666 Britain short of war were not sufficiporaters were listed as Jesse Hays,

> The exciting adventures of the Crimson Wizard!

The story of an American scientist . . and his most thrilling fight against 5th columnists.

Every Sunday

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