FRIDAY FACTS.

Omaha

are in Omaha on business M. D. Tyler was in Madison yester. Caley of Creighton, president of the Christmas from Clearwater visiting

day Miss Pauli of Kearney is the guest Circuit.

of Miss Georgia Blakeman: W. A. Kingsley and family are home from a holiday visit in Stanton.

David City. Jean Morsch of Herrick, S. D., came have delegates at the Norfolk meet with relatives at Neligh. down to spend New Year's with his ing.

Mrs. L. A. Brown and children of New Year's at the E. H. Brewer certain that this will be accomplished, miles south of town.

sister, Mrs. R. O. Webb.

Miss Imo Huntington will return to are believed to be interested. her home in Fremont tomorrow after Preparatory meetings are now behaving spent the holiday vacation ing held in the various circuit towns with Miss Birdie Kuhl.

daughter of Blair, who have been vis- will probably be called within a weck, iting with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eller. This meeting will determine the imbrock returned home today.

Among the day's out of town visi-Boyer, Miss Maude Osborn, Battle Creek; A. J. Nervig, Hartington; H. J. Musical Comedy Delighted Fremont Maas, Battle Creek; Charles Whittig, Butte: C. H. Reed, Madison; Miss Mabel A. Bowen, Wakefield, F. N. Weaver, Dallas, S. D.; George Goff, Larson New Year's eve was a thorough Osmond; Mrs. L. Callender, Miss M. delight. There was not a slow minute Callender, Dallas, S. D.; M. E. Sehif and the crowd, which was only fair for fel, Gregory, S. D.; Gould Andrew, the quality of entertainment, should Pierce; W. W. Law, Bonesteel, S. D.; have packed the house. George Logenvell, Naper; I. W. Alter. | Will Dunlay as "August Wright," consideration and watchfulness." Wayne; F. W. Baker, C. G. Baker, Til- chief character in the play, made a den; Thomas Stevenson, Albion.

company.

The funeral of little Johnny Fink one of the most pleasant moments. was held from the Zion Congrega- The cast is well put up and there eral sermon

The funeral of Mrs. Carl Braasch was held at 1 o'clock today from the family home in Edgewater park and later from the Congregational church. November gave the Northwestern rail-Rev. Carl Martin of St. Johannes way an increase in gross earnings. church had charge of the services.

turned Monday from Norfolk where she 735 larger than for November, 1997 was called last week on account of No statement is made as to the net her mother's illness, who is in a ser- revenue. Alse Atkinson also shows a ious condition from brain fever. Mrs. gain in gross of \$366,154 for the month. Miller returned to her mother's bedside Tuesday evening.

Intervate Rubber company of Omaha like a substantial gain in railway the Hamilton Brown Shoe company of found the carriers fully into the worst St. Louis. The change brings a decided advance to Mr. Hyde, who left railways in Sioux City territory busifor St. Louis yesterday to become ness in November, 1908, appears to acquainted with his new house. Mr. have been not quite so good as for and Mrs. Hyde will continue to make October. their home in Norfolk.

The Nebraska Telephone company yesterday was granted permission to phone rates in Norfolk by the state public schools to be closed for Norfolk office announces, go into ef- the spread of the disease, fect today. In lowering its rates the Nebraska company announced to the state commission that it desired to | Madison, Neb., December 26, 1908, meet competitive conditions in Norfolk at 1 p. m. scribers.

the name of a new corporation in Taft and Henry Sunderman, the Union Pacific just before his uary 7, 1909. death, to assume active management Mr. N. A. Housel and Mr. F. H. Price named, formerly conducted a drug county superintendent. On a vote store in Norfolk and went from here to Omaha to engage in the advertising agency business.

The Fremont police last week were called to look for a mother who left her infant in the hands of another woman passenger on a Northwestern train there and failed to return for it. Although the supposed mother got off the train as soon as it stopped, the authorities were unable to find any trace of her identity. All that was known about her was that she got on \$511.72. the train at Omaha, and occupied a seat with an elderly woman all the way to Fremont. When the latter station was reached she asked her companion to hold her baby until she could get off with her baggage when journed to Jan. 5, 1909, at 1 p. m. she would return for the little one. The train in question stops there fiften minutes or more and after ten minutes had passed and the woman did not come for her baby, the elderly woman became alarmed and informed the conductor. An investigation was made and it was found that the woman had been seen leaving the neigh- S. D., visiting relatives. borhood of the station with her baggage in hand. The chief of police was notified and went to the station and took charge of the infant. Pending ing further developments the baby was New Year's day and New Year's night. left at the Fremont hospital. It is apparently not more than a month old and inexpensively dressed. The mother is described as weighing about 175 pounds, with brown hair, and be-

Charles Rice has just returned from city on the afternoon of Monday, Jan-their way home from Texas. uary 18, the meeting being called to Burt Crowell of Tilden was visiting Henry Marquardt and Darius Ransch order for 2 o'clock. A call for the meeting has been issued by W. C.

sented in the circuit last year were; at the home of his nucle, J. R. Gardels. Stanton, Neligh, O'Nelll, Pierce, Harvey Kuhrts, Miss Lena Rinkel R. B. Hall is home from a visit to Creighton, Madison and Norfolk. All and Miss Emma and Johnnte Kuhrts of these towns, it is expected, will were visiting from Friday till Monday

Tilden May Come In.

Tilden, it is reported, may return to but certain Tilden racing enthusiasts

to plan for the coving season. The Mr. and Mrs. John McKeen and meeting of the Norfolk driving club mediate future of racing in Norfolk.

People Thursday Night.

Fremont Tribune: Cohan's musical

big hit with his catchy songs in high George Freeman and Will Evans ringing voice. He was called back have given up their places as line and back till he were out and had to men with the Nebraska Telephone quit. His acting is altogether of the of August Wright. She is as cute and profession, Pierce has selected Chief J. A. Long winning a miss as you seldom see on and L. R. Pheasant and Reinhold Stein- the stage and her graceful dancing kraus as delegates to the state fire and pretty facial expressions in a lit Evans of the Norrolk Times Tribune Blanch Bell, Myrtle Ranhausen and Catholic church. men's convention her next month. the danceabout with the former was has invented a perfecting press that Bertha Ranhausen, Wayne: C. F.

beauty chorus,

Ranroad News.

Sioux City Tribune: The month of The November report shows that the Pierce Call: Mrs. Henry Miller re- company's gross receipts were \$80, and the Louisville & Nashville, Canadian Pacific, Southern, and Missouri O. L. Hyde, who has represented the Pacific, show gains in gross for the third week of the month. This looks territory for the past seven business, but it must be remembered has secured a like position with that the same period in last year of the business stagnation

Diphtheria at Dallas.

Dallas, S. D., Jan. 1.—The city make its requested reductions in tele-council this morning ordered the railway commission at Lincoln. Under week on account of an epidemic of the adjourn for the jury the next the cut rates the price for four-party diphtheria. The small son of John line residence telephones is reduced Rogers, of the City bakery, died this der the new order, the jury being from \$18 to \$12 a year. The yearly morning of diphtheria, and it is feared called for the first Monday of each rental on two-party lines is reduced others have been exposed. Every term. from \$21 to \$18. The new rates, the precaution is being taken to check

Commissioners' Proceedings,

and to forestall a possible loss of sub- At a special meeting of the board The Darlow Advertising agency is ing were present: John Malone, Burr

Omaha, succeeding the C. D. Thomp- Mr. Frank S. Perdue, county super

the agency stock. C. D. Thompson, pointment to fill the vacancy caused for whom the old company was by the resignation of Frank S. Perdue, taken by the board, Malone and Sun derman voted for the appointment of N. A. Housel to fill such vacancy and Taft voted for the appointment of F. H Price. N. A. Housel was declared the appointee of the heard for the office of county superintendent, said appointee to take office on January 7

> On motion the claim of F. A. Peter son for cash paid for jury certificates and office expenses was allowed,

> The county clerk was directed to draw a warrant on the 1907 general fund in payment of said claim.

On motion the board then ab-County Clerk.

Battle Creek News.

Andrew Boldt and Wm. Bree were here Saturday on business from Nor-

Chas. Marsh is here from Smithwick, The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas, Fenske, jr., was christened in

The Lutherans will hold church

Webb Stirk, a Northwestern brakeman, of Norfolk, was visiting relatives McCutchan, a daughter of County Athere Monday.

F. E. Meinecke is here on business from Verdigre, W. E. Stevens, assistant claim agent

relatives here Monday. John James and family were here North Nebraska Short Shipment Race

relatives.

Julius Gardels was here the forepart The north Nebraska towns repre- of this week from West Point visiting

Fred Scheerger, sr., has torn down ils large Implement warehouse on the main street alley and will build a barn Meadow Grove came down to spend the racing sport this spring. It is not out of it on one of his farms three

The Battle Creek Valley String band gave a concert in the Miller hall Wednesday night.

CLEWS DEFENDS SPECULATORS.

Says Grafting Is on Decline and Wall

Street's Morals Improving. Baltimore, Md., Jan. 1,-Henry Clews, in an address before the tors in Norfolk were; Mrs. W. L. HONEYMOONERS IN FREMONT, American Association for the Advancement of Science on "Sentiment and Speculation," declared that speculation was a science, that speculators are not gamblers, that grafting comedy, "The Honeymooners," at the was on a decline, and that Wall street's moral tone was improving. "Speculation should be regarded

as a business of itself," said Mr. Clews, "like insurance or manufacturing; a business calling for serious

About Norfolk.

turned from Tyndall and Springfield home at Neligh last evening. Tuesday. He has associated with him higher variety. The chief feature in H. F. Barnhart of Norfolk and will tors in Norfolk were: J. J. Malone The temperature dropped below the feminine role was the graceful Miss open a law office in Gregory. They Humphrey: Mr. and Mrs. T. Glick, Ver zero mark Thursday night, the gov Wheaton as "Madeline Tiger," the have a law library of over 2,000 del; Frank Goff, Osmond; E.L. Coones, ernment Upermometer registering I mayor's charming daughter and lover volumes and are both noted in their Niobrara; John Wietjes Cen. Wietjes

tion church in West Norfolk. Rev. were lots of good acts and stage of be built for one seventh of the pres Monroe; L. A. Hupp, Charles Hupp, Carl Wichelt, paster of the German fects. The chorus sang much better ent cost of such presses. We kind of Dessie Messersmith, Bloomfield. Evangelical church, delivered the fun- than it looked, for indeed it was not a figured Editor Evans must be doing something else besides publishing the Times-Tribune.

Northwest Weddings.

Elder Albert Mygatt, a former resilent of Bassett, and Miss Jennie Cook. both residents of Brown county now, were married Christmas day

COURT TERMS.

Judge Welch Announces Terms of Court for 1909.

Ninth judicial district for the coming | 15. cear as follows:

vember 24. ber 29.

Knox county, April 21 and Octo- abled from paralysis.

Madison county, May 19 and November 4.

on Wednesday, the practice in the past having been usually to start the term on a Monday, hold a short session and week. The break will be shorter unfor her recovery. Naturalizations will be taken up the

first day of each term. Eighth District Terms.

the terms of the district court of the known as "King" Jones in the South of county commissioners, the follow- Eighth judicial district of Nebraska Omaha country, citizenship.

fected by Illness.

Joe Horiskey of this city has just fected. He will be taken from San Chicago. He will fit himself to fol-Francisco to Washington, D. C., tomorrow for treatment by the government; since he is in the regular army. The news will be received with extreme sorrow by the young man's many old time Norfolk friends and acquaintances.

It is hoped that the change of altitude will restore the full use of his mental faculties.

Northwest Weddings.

Harvey W. Pitzer and Miss Fuzelia J Johnson were married at Pilger Wed nesday. Joe Nemec and Miss Mary Sedlacel of near Spencer were married at the

some of the bride's parents. Arthur Garfield Adams, a dentist at Mead, and Miss Agnes Coats of Scrib ner were married in Fremont Thurs

Leonard Smith of Polk and Miss ried last week at the home of the Koenigstein avenue. bride's parents. Owen Critchfield, a teacher in the

Indianola, Neb., schools, and Miss Mabel ty, were married in Fairfax, S. D., last week. Otto F. Zuhlke and Miss Ethel Mat-

SATURDAY SIFTING.

Mrs. L. M. Gaylord was in Madison atunday

Mr. and Mrs. William Zutz were own from Hoskins Saturday. M. C. Hazen, John R. Hays and Dr.

Mrs. J. A. Nix and son, Raymond,

sister, Mrs. Mongar-Mrs. Pinkerton and Miss Helen Beels ate New Year's dinner in Madi- in Germany and was brought to this

Miss Helen Pile of Wayne was in Norfolk Thursday on a brief visit with Miss Opal Madsen.

has been visiting Miss Tesse Rose berry, returned home at noon. James Morsch, who has been visit-

this morning for Herrick, S. D. The Misses Groes of Wisner, who sixty-five years. were holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kane, have returned home.

Misses Ethel and Edith Bickford, who visited a week with their sister, Gregory Times: A. J. Wilcox re- Miss Mae Bickford, returned to their

Among the day's out of town visi-Plainview: H. F. Storm, Spencer; Mr. and Mrs. John N. Ellerman, Fairfax, Wayne Democrat: Editor C. S. S. D.: Mr. and Mrs. H. Ranback, Misses prints and folds the papers from a Brown, Fairfax, S. D.; Mrs. J. R. Al roll of paper. The new invention can cock, Butte; Mrs. David McWilliams, grave.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weitz, a daughter. Earnest Raasch received a good price for three carloads of cartle shipped to the Omaha market this

Only about a fortnight's more work remains on the river bridge on South First street. The tubing is already down, having been placed during the past week.

W. J. Stadelman will deliver an address on "Advertising" at the Nebras-Judge A. A. Welch has announced ka Independent Telephone association the terms of the district court in the meeting in Lincoln January 13, 14 and

The Norfolk U. C. T. council named Antelope county, March 10 and Sep- a committee to raise a local fund to be sent to the secretary of the Lincoln Wayne county, March 24 and No council, there to be added to other funds sent in from over the state, for Pierce county, April 7 and Septem- the financial relief of Ed Hurlburt, a popular traveler who is totally dis-

Miss Kathryne E, Wilson of Meadow Grove, a Pierce county school teacher. and a sister of Mrs. E. H. Brewer of In each instance court is convened Norfolk, was seriously injured in a runaway accident. Thrown out on the frozen ground while driving to school. she sustained injuries which are serlous, though hopes are now held out

"Bill" Jones, porter and black philosopher at the Reed shop, is soon to take a winter flight from Norfolk may intimate what the outcome in a to Omaha to spend the cold months in the latter city. Jones has been in Omaha before and is said to be a "big West Point, Neb., Jan. 4.—Special to noise" among the black men of that goes to that city, The News: Judge Graves has fixed city, even to the extend of being

for the year 1909, as follows: Cuming City Superintendent E. J. Bodwell Some Twenty-five Ministers in Norcounty, February 1, September 13; Da- of Beatrice, formerly of Norfolk, is to kota county, February 15, September be the only member of the state exson Advertising agency. A. B. Dar intendent, having filed his resigna- 27; Stanton county, March 1, October amining board not connected with the low is president, A. S. Borgham secretion from said office in writing, to 18; Dixon county, March 29, November state department of education. Under city at the Christ Lutheran church return to Albion, where he will again a tempting investment for eastern tary and D. M. Carr manager. The take effect on January 7, 1909, on mo- 29; Thurston county, Ap. 11 12, October the reorganization of the board the late Alfred Darlow, who resigned his tion said resignation was accepted, 4. The first day of each term is set other two members are to be E. B. position as advertising manager of said office to become vacant on Jan- for the hearing of applications for Sherman, high school inspector, and Saturday morning and will end Mon- resigned to become deputy treasurer, les will build Joe Sparks, president of the county boards. Both Mr. Bodwell and F. S. of this agency, owned a majority of were placed in nomination for ap- JOE HORISKEY, JR., IN BAD WAY. Perdue are at present members of the is held every six weks. board, whose duty is to inspect col-Former Norfolk Young Man's Mind Af- leges and normal schools granting at the Christ church. At 10 a. m. Rev. quardt Hall-About Ninety Couple. teachers' certificates.

> son, Joe Horiskey, Jr., well known in who was raised on the Santee Mission- 2:30 Rev. Mr. Henslek will preach, music was furnished by the Norfolk through which the road will run, but Norfolk, is completely unstrung as a ary school, where he graduated May The evening service will be in English orchestra. result of a long illness in San Fran- 28, 1908, was in Norfolk Thursday on cisco and that his mind has been af- his way to enter Moody institute at Andres. low his father's career as a missionary among the Indians. The father, J. A. Rouillard, of Cut Meat, S. D., in the Rosebud country, was also in Norfolk, Lutheran church on New Year's eve. leaving for the north yesterday. Mr. Rouillard has been a missionary on the Rosebud for three years, having been sent there from the Santee agency. Arriving on October 3, 1906 he has secured a membership of forty eight Indians for his church, where there were none when he started.

> > Judge Westervelt No Better, no better today. His condition for the past few days has been such as to

W. C. T. U. The W. C. T. U. will hold a husiness

seriously alarm his friends.

meeting Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock the Lutheran church Sunday morn Hogsett of Meadow Grove were mar at the home of Mrs. L. M. Hibbs on Makes a Gospel Find,

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 4.—Professor H A. Sanders of the Michigan univer torney G. A. McCutchan of Boyd coun- sity, who is deciphering the bible tablets in Charles R. Freer's collection. discovered a year ago, stated he had from an automobile in a collision with burning building to save a gift Bible made progress enough to know they a street car at Twenty-fifth and O from flames, Mrs. Jacobson, the wife of the Missouri Pacific railway, was thews were united in marriage at the should be insterted in the New Testahere last week from Kansas City, Mo., German Lutheran church in West ment text, and where they came from. noon. The automobile was returning western, narrowly escaped death or settling up with some Battle Creek Point, Rev. A. R. E. Oelschlaeger, pas- He said:

will meet at the Oxnard hotel in this collision at Auburn, neb., while on live on a farm at Dalton, Cheyenne the text, the ancient appearance of the duct ran into the street car. In the tower house at Rawhide station, three County Judge Dewald of Cuming character of writing-resembling a pa- Justice of Meadow Grove, Mr. Mann Operator and Mrs. Jacobson occuounty has united in marriage Peter pyrus hand—and the evidence of trans and two young sons, Eddle and Lee, pied the second story as a living room Vyborny and Miss Lizzie Stadelman | mission from a similar source of the The auto was going at the rate of and the fire, which burned flercely in The young couple are residents of the other parts of the manuscript, it seems about four or five miles per hour when the afternoon breeze, drove them out Wisner neighborhood; also John P. probable that these sixteen | ages once | the collision occurred. The entire with the belongings they could fasti-Rudquist and Miss Ella Thurstensen, formed a part of the parent manu- party was thrown from the automo- ly gather together. Mrs. Jacobson, re-The groom is a resident of Thurston script, from which most of the text of bile. Mr. Justice was badly bruised membering that the Bible, had been county and the bride is from Boyd John, Luke and Mark in the mann about the head, hands and arms and left, ran back to get it. Just a few

Ceath Separates Aged Norfolk Couple. Mrs. Hirsch Seventy-Nine.

Seventy nine years old, a resident of P. O. Hirsch died at 2 o'clock Sunday was badly damaged. morning at the nome of her son ave returned from Lucas, Ia., where Frank Hirsch, at 305 South Fourth bey spent the holldays with Mrs. Nix's street, death being due to old age. Mrs. Hirsch was seventy-nine years

country when fourteen years old. Death parts one of the oldest couples in Madison county, Mr. Hirsch company, was thrown from a moving one of the pioneers of Pierce county. who survives, being only a year Miss Ruth Mersch of Albion, who younger than his wife. They had been married fifty-three years. Mr. and Mrs. Hirsch came to Norfolk in 1880, the husband following out his but his foot slipped and he was thrown ing his sister, Mrs. R. O. Webb, left trade as a tailor, a trade at which he has been continuously engaged for

> It was largely due to his wife that Mr. Hirsch enlisted in the civil war at Lincoln's first call for troops, Mrs. Hirsch was a great sympathizer of Lincoln and his cause. Her husband was in the war four years, being one

of the very first to enlist. Mrs. Hirsch was the mother of ten children, the six surviving being; William Hirsch of Cedar county, Mrs. James S. Lee of New York, Mrs. Harry Loder of Norfolk, Frank Hirsch of Norfolk, Harry Hirsch of Sioux City, and

louis Hirsch of San Francisco. The funeral is announced for 10 clock Tuesday morning from the The Sons of Herman it is stated will

Add to Groesbeck's Territory.

The John Gund Brewing association will begin to build a new modern cold storage at Dallas this week. When completed the plant will be under the supervision of C. H. Groesbeck, manager of the Norfolk branch.

With the Travelers.

Lewis Means of Sloux City, travelng for the Tolerton & Warfield company, died Saturday from typhoid fever in a Sloux City hospital. He was thirty-eight years old.

R. B. Hall went to Omaha today to ng the holidays in Norfolk

DISTRICT COURT IN NORFOLK

Herrick Suit Against City First Case Northwestern for some time. Last northwest corner of Boyd co ake on much the nature of a regular for was to be made.

will be the first case up. Judge Weich will in no case formally announce his decision, though he

LUTHERAN CONFERENCE HELD.

folk at Christ Lutheran.

day noon. The next meeting place will

be selected Monday. The conference Mr. Spoering will preach a missionary with a sermon in English by Rev. Mr.

New Year's Party. Miss Helde Wichman entertained was little in Norfolk to mark the passthe members of the choir of Christ ing of the old year save the annual show remarkable earnings, and with

Funeral of Mrs. Braasch.

daughter of Carl Reiche, a well known invited to attend the illustrated temesident of this vicinity, was held Fri- perance lecture to be given at the day afternoon from the First Congre- Second Congregational church Sungational church, Rev. Edwin Booth, jir., day evening. the pastor, and Rev. Carl. Martin, pastor of St. Johannes church, officiar-

Thirteen months ago Miss Louise Postmaster Stockwell and Will Buck-Judge I. G. Westerveit's health was Reiche married Charles Braasch and began housekeeping in the home in The Rock County Lender, published Edgewater park. December 20 a buby at Bassett, the leading newspaper of boy was hern. Ten days later the Rock county, has been sold by M. L. mother passed away. Mrs. Bransch Mead to the firm of Buckendorf & was but twenty years of age. The Stockwell, the former being a son of case is thus especialty sad.

MEADOW GROVE MAN HURT.

Ed Mann Breaks Rib in Auto Collision With Street Car.

Omaha Bee: Ed Mann of Meadow should presper. Grove is laid up at the Murray hotel with a broken rib and a number of ruises as a result of his being thrown | Fremont Tribune: Rushing into a

parchment, the peculiar spelling, the automobile were the driver, W. S. miles east of Fremont, of the injured was seriously hurt, but good book, the escape from serious consequences | Fire starting probably from a de-DEATH OF MRS. P. Q. HIRSCH. was very narrow. Mr. Justice was feetive flue destroyed the building.

J. L. LYNDE HURT.

old on October 10, 1908. She was born Norfolk Man Falls in Boarding Moving Freight Train at Lindsay.

J. L. Lynde of this city, who is with the Nebraska Underwriters' Insurance at Pierce last Sunday evening removed train at Lindsay New Year's day and He helped to start the first Catholic badly injured.

Mr. Lynde attempted to board a noving freight train to get to Oakdale to the ground. His shoulder and his vernon, ia., and Miss Belle Turner, a left arm were badly sprained and he sustained a number of bruises. Being still unable to use his left the bride's parents in Pierce. arm Mr. Lynde is off the road for a

Guild Meets With Miss Johnson, Trinity Social guild will meet Wedesday evening with Miss May John- holiday practice prevailed in many

short time.

First Day of School. ofter the Christmas holidays.

The day was also marked by a gen tal excelus of Novfolk girls teaching n other towns.

ave charge of the services at the start until January 18.

Northwestern Takes Charge. way eating houses at Norfolk, Long the Naper Enterprise is interesting: Pine, Chadron and other points on the

noon New Year's day. In Norfolk the Northwestern served its first meal at noon on the first day of the new year. Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Walcott remain for the present at least in the management.

Richard Matters of Chicago, superstart out on the road again after spend- arrived in Norfolk Friday noon from Surveyed from Orchard, Neb., on the the transfer, His assistant arranged he transfer at Chadron.

oming week by Judge Welch will was really the first sign that the transcourt term. Judge Welch will arrive | One of the first steps of the North-

same.

Lehr Back to Albion. Henry Lehr, deputy state treasurer entered in the court docket at Madi- a Lincoln dispatch, has tendered his crossing on the Niobrara river would sen January 12, when Judge Welch resignation to State Trensurer Brian require and it has been accepted, to take efnow employed in the office as book-

ceed Mr. Lehr. The salary is \$1,800 a year. Mr. Lehr resigned because of the

THE FIREMEN'S DANCE

Special services will be held Sunday Successful New Year's Dance at Mar-Some ninety couple enjoyed the New Giving up an opportunity to secure sermon. A communion will be held Year's dance given by the Norfolk fire received the distressing news that his a business education, L. M. Rouillard, in connection with this sermon. At department at Marquardt hall. The

> The dance was very successfully carried out and reflected credit on the committees in charge. Save for the firemen's ball, there

noisy outbreak at the midnight hour. Illustrated Lecture. The funeral of Mrs. Charles Braasch, The ladies of the W. C. T. U. are

BUY THE BASSETT LEADER.

endorf the New Owners. L. Huckendorf of Norfolk and a son- fied that she had always supported her in-law of Mr. Stockwell, the post self. master at Bassett. The latter member of the firm is a prominent and active business man at Bassett. The situa tion of the new firm is such that it

Through Fire to Save Bible.

street, South Omaha, Friday after of Operator Jacobson of the Northfrom the Stock Yards exchange about serious injury Wednesday afternoon vacancy caused by the resignation of setting up with some battle creeks who were slightly hurt in a tor, officiating. The young people will "On the basis of the excellence of 1 p. m., and just after leaving the via in a fire which destroyed the block Prof. W. H. Higgins.

script of the gospel copied. The parent received a severe bruise on the leg seconds later the building collapsed, manuscript cannot be of later date. The boys escaped without injury, None but Mrs. Jacobson had saved the

thinking of purchasing the automo- The news that it was after was telehile for use on his ranch. The sale graphed to the dispatchers' office in will necessarily be called off as the Frement and a crew from the switch machine will have to go to the auto- yards was sent out on an engine to H. J. Cole were in Madison Saturday Norfolk for nearly thirty years, Mrs. mobile general hospital for repairs. It fight it, but its effects with buckets of water availed little. The tower house was worth probably \$100 and the less, including contents, will probably be \$50 more than that,

North Nebraska Deaths.

The death of Kasper Karl Hoffman church in Pierce.

Northwest Weddings.

Joseph Bennett, a druggist of Mt. prominent young lady of Pierce, were married Wednesday at the home of No Afternoon Papers in Chicago.

No afternoon papers were Issued in

Chicago on New Year's day. The same other large cities. In Norfolk, however, all editions of The News were based, giving among other things the Monday was the first day of school latest developments in tialy, the news. center of the week.

Is THIS ROAD ALIVE?

Monday was not the beginning of the Naper Enterprise Reports Activity on

new school semester, which does not Part of New Railroad. in connection with A. J. Durland's recent letter on the desirability and feasibility of Norfolk interesting her-It is now the Northwestern eating self in the projection of two or three coise, the Northwestern succeeding new lines of railroad out of this city, Rome Miller as proprietor of the rail the following from a recent issue of

On Tuesday, December 22, G. T. Wyoming & Nebraska divisions at Wiswell of the Bracy-Howard Construction company of Chicago, arrived in Naper, coming up from Butte with Verg Wilson in his automobile, for the purpose of confering with the railway committeemen of Naper. Mr. Wiswell comes to us well recommended as a callway expect and conservative financier, and his company is rated exceedintendent of dining cars and eating ingly well. His object on the present houses on the Northwestern system visit is to look over the old railway Long Pine to attend to the details of new possession of the Burlington in Holt county, formerly known as the Oregon shortline, owned by the Great Northern. He has seen the road from The taking over of the enting houses Badger across to Butte and hence to has been under consideration by the Naper and west to a point near the

fall the eating houses were painted Mr. Wiswell has estimated the District court held in this city the yellow, the Northwestern color. That amount of grading at all Boyd county points, and has estimated the necessary construction for crossing the Niobrara river, and departed Tuesday evening to take up the route from in the city Tuesday at 11 a. m. and western will be to improve the meals Badger southwest to Orchard in Holt will at once convene court in the city served its patrons, it is announced. It county. He has estimated the tonnage, hall. As eight or nine cases are as is claimed that the railroad can give and probable revenues of the road both signed for trial court may be held here better service at less expense than in freight and passenger traffic. He states Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. the case of private management. The that the crossing of the Niobrara is The Herrick suit against Norfolk schedule of prices will remain the not difficult, requiring only three-quarters of one per cent grade. Readers can realize how easily this river barrier is removed by a construction company when they consider that the grade from the Ponca creek into Faircase may be. The decisions will be for the last two years, according to fax is one-half per cent sleeper than a

The kind, length and height of the feet January 7. Frank Brian, who is bridge across the Niobrara has been practically decided, so he states, "The keeper, has been appointed to suc Foute is a very plausible one," says the expect, "and the net earnings above expenses at a close estimate would be \$20,000 the first year, which A conference of ministers of central condition of his health, which has not necut to induce investors to buy the north Nebraska is in session in the been good for about a year. He will bonds of the company, and make them About twenty-five ministers are in at become the manager of the Chicago capital, and when the bonds will sell tendance. The conference convened Lumber company, which position he it is assured that construction compan-

A report in full will be submitted of the entire route, to the committee of the organization, as soon as they can be complied, and a more or less accurate statement will probably be submitted in the course of a week. There has never been any doubt in the mind of the man posted on the

productiveness of the territory what such an enterprise would be a success, and the coming spring is not too soon to expect to see the construction companies at work on the rightof-way: The reports of the short line under Burlington management the past year

the added object of tapping the pro-

ductive prairie lands of western South

Dakota, and taking a hand in the open-

ing of Tripp and Meyer counties, and

the Pine Ridge, it would seem that a block of stock in the new road would be well worth owning

Divorce for Mrs. Paul Gilmore. Mrs. Paul Gilmore, wife of the prominent young actor, has obtained a South Dakota divorce after some months' efforts. Mr. Gilmore has played at the Auditorium, being last

een here in the "Tyranny of Tears." Mrs. Gilmore secured her divorce on the grounds of non-support. She was married in 1901. Gilmore and his wife quarrelled in 1997. Mrs. Gilmore testi-

Richardson at Battle Creek. W. F. Richardson, principal of the

schools at Pilger, has been elected o

succeed N. A. Housel, now county str perintendent, as principal of the Bat tle Creek schools. The Pilger board has given the necessary release. O'Neill Man Elected.

The school board at Fontanelle has elected J. E. Daly of O'Neill to fill the

longing apparently to the servant

Race Men Here January 18,