

Narrow Escape From Cremation. Ray Weber, a bartender in the employ of Emil Koehn, was badly burned about the face and hands this morning while lighting a gasoline stove which is used to warm meats in the saloon.

The letters were still in the office uncalled for. Geddes had plenty of coal, some food and was warmly clad.

Shot By Sheriff. Niobrara, Neb., March 30.—Special to The News: John Douglas, aged 28 or 30 and believed from circumstantial evidence to be a horse thief, was shot twice yesterday afternoon by Sheriff Vlasnik of Knox county.

Foot Crushed On Last Trip. S. F. Bailey, an M. & O. brakeman, had his left foot badly crushed while making a switch in the Union Pacific yards at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

His neighbors, he said, had done this even before him and the entire settlement was left to the few men who had cattle enough to make a profitable business of running the cattle on the free range.

madam: Don't be misled Cheap and Big Can Baking Powder is Only Big in Size - Not in Satisfaction - Not in Economy



WEDNESDAY WRINKLES. Miss Minnie Braasch returned from Pierce. Mrs. Fred Heckman returned from Wayne.

Spends Night at Ranch. Douglas had come to the ranch the night before with three horses, and his actions had caused suspicion. The neighboring farmers gathered and managed, by keeping him busy showing how adept he was at lassoing,

Moving a Nellig School. Nellig, Neb., March 30.—Special to The News: An incident that is more than a passing nature in the removing of the old building from the corner south of the Atlas bank, that is to be replaced by a handsome two-story brick and stone block by N. B. Sweitzer,

Northwestern Brakeman Hurt. Floyd Drago, a Northwestern brakeman, got a crushed foot at Nickerson yesterday and was brought to Norfolk for treatment, being placed in Dr. P. H. Salter's care.

Horse Falls on Him, Arm Broken. Ernest Wichman, driving cattle to Winslow, was thrown by his horse, which fell on him and broke his arm, Tuesday afternoon.

Elmer Hardy has accepted a position at the Thomas Bell ranch near Lusk, Wyo., and leaves for that place this evening.

Blizzard Near Here. The Rocky mountain onzard stopped over into northwestern Nebraska, all night long the storm raged as far east as Cody and Northwestern train traffic was tied up in that vicinity.

Had One Arm; Now Has Two. Man Arrested Has But Single Wing. Wakes Up in Jail With Pair. Chief of Police Marquardt, with the aid of Constable John Flynn, arrested J. E. O'Brien, Emmet McCaffery and W. O. Mulroy, all of O'Neill, and not being able to pay their fines they were put in charge of the street commissioner to work it out.

DUG UP A BODY TO ROB IT. Gold Teeth and Diamond Taken from a Man Buried Thirty Years. Forest Hill, La., March 31.—An unusual robbery was perpetrated last night when the body of E. D. Gainer was exhumed and gold teeth, a diamond ring, a gold watch and cuff buttons were taken.

Fires at Ewing. Ewing Advocate: The Ewing fire department has been kept busy the last few days. Friday night an alarm was turned in, a lamp having exploded in Fred Lau's shoe store.

RELIGION BY ELECTRIC SIGN. "Jesus, the Light of the World" Will Shine Over Washington. Washington, March 29.—An electric sign, "Jesus the Light of the World," in letters fourteen feet high soon will shine over the Pennsylvania avenue building, in which the Central Union mission of Washington holds its meetings.

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Declamatory Contest Program. Following was the complete program of the evening: Piano Solo—"Polonaise in A." (Chopin)—Miss Carrie Thompson, Norfolk. Invocation. Male Quartet—Messrs. Fleetwood, Welsh, Britton, Johnson, Wayne.

CREAM HELD THE MAURETANIA. Passengers Worrying, Four Stewards Came Running With 2 Milk Cans. New York, March 26.—The Cunard liner Mauretania for Liverpool failed to leave the pier on schedule this morning. The passengers were puzzled to find no explanation as to the cause of the delay.

MR. ROOSEVELT SENT A BULLET. Slug Which Killed a Bull Elephant to be Sold for Actor's Fund. New York, March 31.—Theodore Roosevelt has sent a bullet with which he killed a bull elephant as his contribution to the Actors' Fund fair.

Poor Eyes Lost Trail. Lamro, S. D., March 30.—Special to The News: It was poor eyesight, it is thought, that caused Stewart C. Geddes to lose his way home in Tripp county, near McNeely, and freeze to death.

Wintersteen Youth is Hurt. Hurrying home to his seriously injured son, James Wintersteen, a Tripp county homesteader, passed through Norfolk yesterday afternoon. At Dallas he was met last night with a waiting automobile which whizzed him across the prairies to the bedside of his boy, Rex Wintersteen, who had been critically injured in a disc accident on a claim last Saturday.

SECOND RUSH FOR LAND. Long Abandoned Homesteads Suddenly Become Valuable. Lincoln Journal: During the last few years another movement of emigration has been started toward Phillips county, Colorado, following the reports of successful crops raised there for some years, according to the statement of Thomas Seip of West Point, Neb., who is himself preparing to leave this week for his claim in that county.

NEW CHURCH BUILDING. Wayne, Neb., Baptists Dedicate a New Handsome Structure. Wayne, Neb., March 31.—The Baptists of Wayne celebrated Easter by dedicating their new church building just completed. The building is of brick and is 60 by 62 feet in size, being built in colonial style.

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of Wayne was visiting here from Saturday until Monday with her friend, Mrs. Charles Werner. David Brandt of Avon, S. D., and Miss Lena Bredhoeft were married Tuesday forenoon by Rev. J. Hoffman at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bredhoeft, one mile northeast of town.

HIS DESCENT FROM WASHINGTON. How an Escape from Jail Gave a Millionaire a Coat of Arms. New York, March 31.—Richard Harding Davis, at a playwrites' dinner in New York, ridiculed the pretensions of certain American families to be descended from Charlemagne, William the Conqueror, Richard Coeur de Lion and others known to history.

PREACHER AGAINST CEMETERY. Building Lots Should Replace Burying Grounds, New York Pastor Says. New York, March 31.—A crusade for the abolition of cemeteries has been begun by the Rev. Alexander Irvine of the Fifth avenue church of the ascension. Mr. Irvine believes that the cemeteries "can be put to better use as places of cultivation or habitation than to allow many acres to be used for the burial of the dead."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Transfers of real estate for the past week. Compiled by Madison County Abstract & Guarantee company. Office with Maps & Hazen. John M. Felda to Frank and Mary Tomka, quit claim deed, \$1, w 1/2 ne 1/4 and w 1/2 16-22-3. Mary Tomka to John M. Felda, warranty deed, \$1, w 1/2 ne 1/4 and w 1/2 16-22-3.

LAND EXCHANGE—Alberta rail road lands at \$9 to \$15 per acre, one-tenth cash, nine years on balance at 6 percent. South Dakota farms, Aberdeen city property and exchanges. Tell me your wants, let's talk it over and become acquainted. Correspondence invited. George W. Langford, Aberdeen, S. D.