

TUESDAY TOPICS.

R. E. Allison of Neligh was here. Mrs. H. Miller of Winslow and Mrs. Fred Miller of Pierce were visitors in the city.

I believe I am as healthy as any man in the United States. "Could any one wake Mantzke, and would he feel it should a pin be driven into him?" asked The News man.

of a foistrace which Walton and Lou Gilland had run earlier in the afternoon. Dr. Gadohis, after hurriedly examining Mr. Kamrath's injuries, considered them sufficiently serious to hurry with him in an automobile to Stanton, where they hoped to catch the evening train from Norfolk to Omaha.

last night, will be able to fight within two months. Dr. J. V. Gallagher, the fighter's attending physician, made this announcement today, setting at rest the fears entertained that Attell might be incapacitated for further ring service.

which will keep him at the foot of the majors for several years. Major Davis got into trouble while in service in Guam, his offense consisting of writing a letter to the secretary of the navy criticizing the commander of marines, General Elliott.

he was able to pass a rope around one of the trapped men, but the victim had been dead for some time. It is said the action was due to the dropping of a huge metal bucket loaded with mud and stone. This struck the caisson on top, breaking the door and cutting off the air.

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Real Estate Transfers.

Transfers of real estate for the past week, compiled by Madison County Abstract and Guarantee Co., office with Maps & Hazen:

Ask Aldrich for Evidence.

Lincoln, Jan. 31.—A vigorous argument over the establishment of an agricultural school at Holdrege, provided for in a bill by Eastman of Franklin county, was interrupted in the house this morning by the special adjournment to hear the lecture by Daniel Chester French, the sculptor who has designed the statue of the emancipator for the state house park.

A Little Boy Burns to Death.

Petersburg Index: One of the most horrible accidents that has ever occurred in this vicinity occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. E. Schmidt last Saturday morning about 10 o'clock, and resulted in the death of their little son, Henry, who was 2 years, 5 months and 15 days old.

New Factory to Be Built.

At a special meeting of the city council held in the city hall Tuesday morning a resolution was passed by the city dads showing that they welcomed the Norfolk Oil and Chemical works to Norfolk; that they favor the company's present site for a factory, north of the old brick yard, and will give the new enterprise all the protection that is in their power.

Got Kernel of Corn in Nostril.

Royal, Neb., Jan. 31.—Special to The News: A little son of Mr. and Mrs. O. York got a kernel of popcorn in his nostril and was unable to get it out. A doctor had to be called.

Woman Ill, Home Burns.

Royal, Neb., Jan. 31.—Special to The News: While Mrs. George Goodwin lay ill in her bed with an attack of grip, and while her husband was away from home on business, the family dwelling was burned to the ground.

Phil McGovern Wins One.

New York, Jan. 31.—Phil McGovern won a clean victory over Monte Attell in a ten-round bout at the Vanderbilt Athletic club in Brooklyn. He knocked Attell to the mat three times in the first round and only Attell's fine condition saved him from a knockout.

BELIEVE DOCTOR INNOCENT.

Friends of Accused Physician Think Him Victim of Circumstances. Hastings, Neb., Jan. 31.—Dr. Philip H. Bartholomew of Blue Hill who was arraigned here on a charge of attempting felonious assault on Miss Elaine Hyatt last Thursday when he came to Hastings to attend the meeting of the Republican Valley Medical society, has been released under \$2,000 bail.

May Control Chinese Plague.

Peking, Jan. 31.—It is believed that the plague in this city is now under control. No new cases are reported.

WHEN SHOULD ALIMONY END?

The Question Has Been Put Up to a New York Judge. New York, Jan. 31.—Should a man whose divorced wife is married to a millionaire continue to pay her \$100 a month alimony? Charles A. Henderson does not believe so and has asked Justice Gerard to relieve him of the burden.

PAUL SINGER IS DEAD.

Berlin, Jan. 31.—Paul Singer, the socialist and member of parliament, died today from inflammation of the lungs. He was born in this city in 1844.

ATTELL TO FIGHT AGAIN.

Featherweight Champion Not Permanently Incapacitated by Fall. Cleveland, O., Jan. 31.—Abe Attell, the featherweight champion, who suffered a fracture of the shoulder when he fell to the floor during a clinch with his opponent, Tommy Kilbane, here

His Offense Will Keep Him at Foot of Majors for Some Years.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Major Henry C. Davis, United States Marine corps who was tried for court martial at the Philadelphia navy yards recently on the charge of conduct to the prejudice of good order and discipline and using disrespectful language to a superior officer, has been found guilty and sentenced to the loss of ten numbers

New Hall for Valentine.

Valentine, Neb., Feb. 1.—Special to The News: O. Church of this place, who is remodeling his old opera house into a new three-story hotel, says he expects to have it running by the first of March.

THURSDAY GROUNDHOOG DAY.

If This London Fog Continues, He Won't See Any Shadow. Thursday will be groundhog day. And if the London fog that overhung this territory Wednesday, should continue over Thursday, the little animal could creep out of his winter's hiding place, look about without seeing his shadow, and stiek around for the rest of the season.

MASKED BANDIT MEETS DEATH.

Clad in Bathing Suit and Woman's Stockings, Burglar Dies Under Car. Long Beach, Calif., Feb. 1.—A masked man clad in a bathing suit and woman's stockings, was ground to death under a trolley car which he attempted to flag at Alamitas Bay. The car crew found a large quantity of silverware.

First Sergeant Ends Life.

Crawford, Neb., Feb. 1.—Special to The News: At Fort Robinson, two miles west of here, First Sergeant Von Den Deal, Troop I, Eighth cavalry, committed suicide at 12:30 p. m. by shooting himself through the mouth, blowing off the top of his head. He left a sealed note with his commanding officer. It was supposed to be family trouble. He had received two letters in the last two days from his wife in the east.

Wyoming Land Withdrawn.

Washington, Feb. 1.—President Taft withdrew from all forms of disposition 130,310 acres of land in Wyoming. It was announced at the department of the interior. This area is reserved for the purpose of classification and in aid of legislation affecting the use and disposal of petroleum lands belonging to the United States.

Howes Were Indian College Grads.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 1.—Frank Howe and his son Guy, who were killed by posses, were buried at Fort Hancock. Robert Howe, brother of Guy, who is in jail here wounded, confessed that his brother Guy had killed L. K. McClure, special officer found murdered at Abo, N. M. On suspicion of this crime officers were trying to arrest the Howes. Both the Howe brothers are half-bred Indians and graduates from Haskell Indian school.

Beat Woman's Suffrage.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 1.—The Michigan legislature by a vote of fifty-five to forty-four defeated a resolution calling for the submission of the question of woman suffrage to the people in November, 1912. The measure required a two-thirds majority, sixty-seven votes, to pass.

SHOOT A YOUNG BOB CAT.

Two Valentine Hunters Tree Wild Cat and Get it With Revolver. Valentine, Neb., Feb. 1.—Special to The News: Len Bivens and Mr. Shinn of this city, while out hunting coons with their dogs last night, treed a young bobcat and Mr. Bivens shot it with his revolver. It only weighed about fifteen pounds. They did not get any coons, but are well satisfied with the hunt.

St. Louis Charter Defeated.

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YOUNG JAY GOULD TO WED.

New Engagement to be Announced at Vivien's Reception. New York, Feb. 1.—The World today says that at the wedding reception to Miss Vivien Gould and Lord Decies on February 7, it is planned to announce the betrothal of Jay Gould, second son of George Gould, and Miss Anna Douglas Graham of this city. The wedding, it is said, will take place in June.

JONES WON'T TALK.

Danville's City Attorney Refuses to Answer Grand Jury Query. Danville, Feb. 1.—The appearance of City Attorney Frank Jones before the grand jury and his refusal to answer questions concerning his participation in recent elections, was the principal feature of the investigation of the alleged trafficking in votes. He was twice taken before Judge Kimbrough by Foreman Woodyard and the court instructed him to answer all questions, but the city attorney declared he had good legal authority for refusing and the matter was postponed until today. It is said that the question which he refused to answer was: "Did you ever purchase votes at any elections held in this county?" Jones declared that he was tired of the attempt to make him the scapegoat of the investigation and he would go before the grand jury and give testimony backed by proof that would make certain persons squirm if he were pushed any further.

JEFF AND CHAUNCEY SHAKE.

Arkansas Senator Shakes Mitt of New Yorker Whom He Maligned. Washington, Feb. 1.—Senators Chauncey M. Depew and Jeff Davis met and shook hands publicly in the senate as an evidence that no personal enmity had resulted from the Arkansas senator's animadversions on Mr. Depew's defeat over to Mr. Davis' seat soon after the beginning of the session and he was greeted by the latter as if he had just returned from the foreign residence which the Arkansas urged that he should establish in the interest of this country's welfare. The salutation was cordially acknowledged and the two senators smiled as they parted.

NEW JUDGES CONFIRMED.

Five of President Taft's Appointments Ratified by the Senate. Washington, Feb. 1.—Five of President Taft's appointments of United States circuit court judges were confirmed by the senate. They include William H. Hunt of Montana, against whom a fight was made by Montana land owners; Robert W. Archibald of Pennsylvania; Julian W. Mack of Illinois, and John Emmett Carland of South Dakota, who were named as additional judges to services on the new commerce court. The other confirmation was that of Representative Walter I. Smith, who was named to succeed Judge Willis Vandeventer, who was promoted to the supreme court of the United States.

ATKINSON.

Mrs. A. O. Perry left for Boon, Ia., where her father is very ill. John Brady is spending several weeks with his aged parents in Kan-kakee, Ill. Miss Clara Larson who has been visiting Mrs. L. Brook for several weeks has returned to her home in Iowa. Miss Maud Havens is visiting with Lydia Werne at Phoenix. Miss Berger received word that her mother was very low at her home at Johnston, and she left immediately to be with her. Her place in the schoolroom is being filled by Otto Stratton of the high school. Carlton Wilburn, who is in the real estate business at Pocahontas, Ia., is spending a few days with his parents here. Miss Sylvia Robinson is home from Bellevue college. H. Bennett, an old resident, died at the sanitarium here this morning after a brief illness. His nephew, John Bennett of Lincoln, has been with him during his last days, he also leaves several sisters to mourn his death. Mrs. E. S. Brush is up from Norfolk spending a few days with her parents. Minnie O'Brien left for Lincoln where she will enter the state university for the last semester. Word comes from the Pacific coast from Mrs. Hoxsey that she expects to bring her son's ashes here just as soon as the severe cold season here is past, not wishing to make the trip while there is such a contrast in the climates. Roy Robinson came up from O'Neill Sunday and spent the day with his friends.

A Pug Has Appendicitis.

New York, Jan. 30.—Joe Coster, the Brooklyn featherweight fighter who recently earned a popular decision over Abe Attell in a ten-round fight, was operated on late Saturday night in a Brooklyn hospital for appendicitis. His condition is said to be serious.