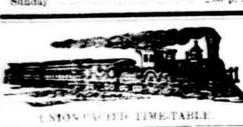


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RMAN REFORMED + HURCH, Sunday GERMAN REPOLARIO School at 9:30 a.m. thurch every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. (hristian Endenvor at 7:30 p.m. Ladies Aid Somety every first Thursday in the

Dill Pickles, Spiced Pickles, Limburger Cheese, Brickstein Cheese, Smoked Salmon, New Holland Herring.

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COLUMBUS MARKETS. 71 42 Wheat - P bushel. 152 . 10 Corn, shelled of bushel. 151.10 Oats - p bushe Rve- & bushel Hogs of cwi 4 (9)6/ 4 25 Sunday Fut cattle of cwt Potatoes P bushel 1 Gaz Batter P To. I-ac Eggs - P dozen Markets corrected every Tuesday af- a big crop.

Enquire of Herrick, 6t Herrick, for picture frames. 6t -Lowney's chocolates at Kramer's. Go to Striciss for the best photos. "Christmas comes but once a year.

-Try Stillman for your Xmas eigars - Fine job work done at The Journal

office. -See the perfume carried at Stillman's. 4 lt.

-Dr. Nanmann, dentist, Thirteenth

-Excellent sleighing on the roads in

-A great stack of new goods at von Bergen Bros.

for only \$25.00. tf Four inches more of snow Sunday - You will find just about all you will and Sanday night. need for the little people. Christmas,

Dr. L. C. Voss, Homeopathic physician, Columbus, Neb. -If you want a photo that will do you

justice go to Strauss. 2 tf Keep vonr eve on Herrick's store. Some fine goods just in: 2t

No lover of good singing should miss the Tennesseeans, Dec. 23.

the city Monday shopping.

- Special prices on candies for Sunday schools and teachers, at The Fair. 2t -Frank Taylor had a consignment of

-The little two-year-old son of hogs on the Omaha market Monday. Walter Scott got quite badly burned -Drs. Martyn, Evans & Geer, office Tuesday, by pulling a dish of hot three doors north of Friedhof's store. If gravy from the table.

-Do not fail to see our 8-foot galvan--W. D. Askine has rented of the Irri ized steel mill for \$25.00. A. Dussell & gation company the Bowman farm near Murray's, and will see what he can do -The postmaster at Battle Creek will "under the ditch" the coming season.

no longer distribute the Sunday evening

-John C. Sprecher, editor of the Schuyler Quill, was a Columbus visitor Monday.

-Rev. Mr. Goodale will officiate in Grace church on Sunday morning. De-

cember 26th. -John B. Donavan, editor of the Madison Star was in the city Sunday between

trains on his way east. -The owners of orchards are encourare numerous hereabouts this season.

-For best Pennsylvania hard coal go o Way & Hockenberger.

-Thanks to Rollin W. Bond for a copy of his "March Across the Missouri." -Sheridan lump and Dee Opoin lump \$5.50 at the yard. Way & Hocken-

- David Thomas of Joliet started Sun--H. M. Winslow returned from his day for Denver, where he goes to buy trip to Washington Monday morning. He brought ten cars of cattle and one

Columbus Nurseries, Columbus, Neb.

Send for price list of everything in

the tree line and I will pay freight on

Send for my prices at once and address

Miss Elsie Morse was taken sud-

of the holy communion at 8 o'clock;

morning prayer, sermon and later cele-

There were more people in the city

Mr. W. T. Craig and Miss Ida M.

The Tennessee Jubilee Singers drew

immense crowds at Omaha, Lincoln and

Pacific at this point-about 1,000 tons.

what you want at a fair living price, tf

Saturday than one would have supposed

would venture out in the cold weather.

Smyer, both of Monroe, were united in

marriage on the 16th of December, by

JOHN TANNAHILL.

Columbus, Neb.

all orders to

much improved.

recovers. - Telegram.

bration, at 10 o'clock.

many goods were sold.

parsonage, in this city.

Thursday evening, Dec. 23.

-Save your change and remember the double-deck car of stock hogs. date of the Tennessee Jubilee Singers, -The St. Catharine circle will meet

with Miss Mae Cushing this Wednesday ried at Whitewater, Kansas, Dec. 30. It will pay you to go to Kramer's Walter Niccolls, son of Mrs. M. A. Nicday goods.

-Allegrettis chocolates, the finest for some time, chocolate cream made in America, at Blind Boone is on the road in the suffering from a severe attack of tonsili-

western part of Nebraska, giving enter- tis for several days past, but is now Rock Springs, Canon City, Excelsion

for many weeks, is reported as wonder. very best artists. Lovers of plantation songs cannot afford to miss the Tennessee Jubilee went out to the Henggler district school

 Mrs. James Lanktree, who has been at the hospital several days, is convalescing nicely.

- Tracy Maguire and wife, the last of the "Yankee Notions" troupe, left for Lincoin Monday.

-Try a box of Gunther's famous Chi cago candy, for Xmas; prices 50c to \$3 a box at Stillman's.

The thermometer was pretty low down again vesterday (Tuesday) morn-

- The new brick meat market house of Otto Merz on east Eleventh street is

Mrs. Arnold Ochlrich, who has been afflicted with a bad cold the past two weeks, is some better.

R. Kummer's family have moved to the city so that the children may have better school privileges.

Snowden & Miller's original Tennessee Jubilee Singers, of II-inch ice. They have the contract Columbus, Dec. 23. Miss Ida Meagher has accepted a

position with F. H. Lamb & Co. to help hem during the holidays. -C. C. Hardy is fitting up the little

building second door east of the opera gen Bros. and see if they haven't just ouse as a carpenter shop -Carl T. Seely of the Madison Chron icle was here Friday, en route to Platts-

outh to visit over Sunday. Revival meetings will begin in the Presbyterian church, Saturday, Jan. S.

Rev. Rosewarne, Evangelist, T. F. Wilson, who has charge of a B. & M. switch engine in the Lincoln yards. will be at home for Christmas.

The Platte County Teachers' assonation is to meet at the High school five years old." building in this city, January 8,

owest in the city. The Fair. 2t -Rock Springs and Domestic Pea coals, splendid for cook stoves, \$4.50 at

-The funeral of Rev. Sutherland. the yard. Way & Hockenberger. Dr. R. D. McKean, dentist, successor to Dr. Houghawout, ground floor, 4 doors north First National Bank. tf

-Christmas day there is to be a family from Schuyler attended. eunion at W. T. Rickly's. Among the wenty or more will be some old settlers.

E. H. Jenkins of this city recently

inspected the Bouton camp Sons of Vet

erans at Bellwood, and reports a pleas-

-A nice lot of picture mouldings on

-John Graff was called to Sauk City

Wisconsin, by the death of his mother.

aged 74 years. He started Wednesday

steel windmill from A. Dussell & Son

See Santa Claus' headquarters at

von Bergen's. They are supplied with

-Ever since the young ladies gave

-Carl Kramer carries a fine assort-

-Rev. Pulis will spend Christmas at

Lincoln. No preaching at the Baptist

church next Sunday, Dec. 26. Sunday

school and B. Y. P. U. services as usual.

-Every kind of snow vehicle has been

brought into requisition, from the boy's

sled rudely made to the fine cutter and

the accompanying silver-toned sleigh

write this paragraph, at zero.

their "negro minstrel" entertainment,

young men of the city have been consid-

on Eleventh street.

holiday season. It

ering a like show.

scarlet fever

-Fall Dry Goods at E. D. Fitzpatrick's. See didn't know he had been at the hospital. until he was ready to go home. -Jim Horn, one of the most active of commission men who travels in the in-

terest of South Omaha, was in the city -C. A. Newman says his winter wheat obliged to run her into Omaha. looks fine, and if Prof. Hicks predicts

all of Platte county.

the right kind of weather, he will have on the Island, for rent Nebr. The residence of O. T. Roen was on reasonable terms. marantined last week because the Apply to J. Meeker, Cloyoungest child had been attacked by ther House.

Model Husband and Wife" last Sunday than beef. Local butchers are not slow will be interesting. Much is expected evening was a strong number of the in picking up choice lambs or well-fed by Nebraskans generally of this exposeries which he is delivering, and the wethers at good round figures, but when sition, in the way of making the world truths were such as ought to be heard it comes to buying beef others have in general better acquainted with the hand. Furniture repaired at reasonable and heeded by every married couple in something to say about it .- Madison resources of the state. rates. All kinds of job work in wood.

can get an 8-foot Freeport Galvanized entineanity.

Monastery bells at 5 o'clock; but more for the recount, and at low prices, too, at von Bergen's go by the mill whistle at seven. In

the greatest variety of goods for the know not, says that Lou Lachnit of sold groceries to farmers, and left with-Humphrey is to be deputy county clerk out settling a month's board bill. They under G. W. Phillips. What becomes of | were overhauled at Blair where the land-W. B. Dale and those others that were lord had taken their grips and samples tion with this position?

-Friday, Christmas eve, the Presbyterian Sunday school will give their canment of toilet cases, celluloid boxes, al- tata, Christmas tree and presents for the bums, books, dolls, doll buggies and children. On the Sabbath there will be appropriate Christmas services, communion in the morning. Evening, regular services. All are welcome.

-The Woman's club of Columbus will Fellows' hall on Thirteenth street, between the hours of 3 and 10 p.m. The cordially invited to participate in the festivities of the occasion.

-The Fremont Tribune says that Boe-

tended to be a 500-ton factory. right, they should have taken their girls. ville. Florida.

-Toys, toys and dolls, dolls, 3,000 dolls, follow all cash orders to the amount of \$10. the crowd to E. D. Fitzpatrick's White Front dry goods store.

-J. B. Davis, who will be remembered as the B. & M. operator, and a member his "hind sight" better than his "fore found their way into the innermost reof the Mandolin club here, will be mar- sight."

-We notice in the Schuyler Sun that his old home, Maryville, Missouri. He Day, pianist, book, toy and candy store for your holi- colls, of Leigh, returned last week from says there is more snow and more winter his trip to Illinois, where he has been there than here; that the water supply for stock and house use has been limited -George H. Spear of the Oxnard, says and scarce the past fall, and is yet, owing the Norfolk News of Thursday, has been to a dry season.

-Mme. Nordica, the great prima donna, suggests the organization of local choruses of singers in this section of the -The Snowden & Miller's Jubilee country, so that at the exposition at and many other kinds of coal at Way & Singers are said to be the finest chorus Omaha next year they may come togethon the road. They are all highly edu- er, and with an orchestra and soloists, -William Hagel, who has been ailing cated in music and their soloists are the make "your great exposition the greatest of them all in its music."

> to teach in Miss Morse's place till she italists beyond the reasonable limit, and sorry to lose Mr. Heintz from the busi-The following services at Grace the way of lasting benefit to investors phrey Democrat. church, Christmas morning: Celebration and the community had best be left alone from the start. -A petition is being circulated at

Fremont among the attorneys praying Governor Holcomb to appoint Hon. C. Hollenbeck to the position of judge of but they came from every direction, and the district court to fill the place now occupied by Judge Sullivan. It is stated that the prevalent opinion there, is that if a democrat is appointed, Mr. Hollenbeck will be the man.

-John Tannahill leaves with us for Rev. R. E. L. Hayes, at the Presbyterian reference by all who are interested, a copy of the abstract of the census of the United States for 1890. This abstract covers the subjects of population; agri-Council Bluffs. Don't fail to hear them culture; manufactures; fisheries; minat Maennerchor hall or opera house, eral industries; debt and taxation; real estate mortgages; transportation; edu-Baker & Wells have a large force of cation: churches; insurance.

men at work harvesting a nice, clean crop -The Turner ranch of putting up the ice for the Union on the Island, for rent on reasonable terms. Make a list of things needed during the week, and on Saturday, or any day Apply to J. Meeker, Clo- call and get them, or Gus. Speice will, you do your shopping, call at von Ber- ther House.

ton county farmer who goes about the fund and the officer may retain the same -A chemist, acting upon the theory country with fifty trained ferrets that when he goes out of office until called on that starch and sugar are composed of catch and kill rats at \$1.00 a killing. for the same by the proper party and if the same chemical elements, has discov- They kill all there are on the place, and never called upon to pay the money over but the evening before his death he said ered a process by which starch is converted into sugar at half the present farm there were a bushel, at another 500 into whose hands it was first paid. It is thought he would soon be able to go to by actual count. An average of eight said that several hundred thousand dol- work. He was an employe of the Union -Ludierous mistakes are sometimes farms a day is made by the man and his lars annually of these funds pile up in Pacific Ry Co. At about 2 o'clock Frimade, even by good business men. An ferrets.

exchange tells of a mortgage man, who David Thomas, one of the most recently wrote this description of one of enterprising farmers in all Joliet townhis animals, "a spotted cow giving milk ship, will soon leave for Denver to purchase some western feeders...Died. Married, Tuesday, Dec. 21st, at the Monday Dec. 13, 1897, from the effects Haight, Dec. 28, at 3 o'clock p. m. -We carry the largest line of samples | residence of Mrs. Loseke, in the eastern | of asthma and feebleness, Patrick Gleaof wool carpets, and our prices are the part of the city, by Rev. Rogers, Samuel son, aged about 73... Eugene Bacon has Bell and Miss Bertha Pillings; also returned to this community from Arkan-George Carter and Miss Maggie Pillings, sas where he has been for the past year. Platte Center Signal.

- The Teachers' meeting Saturday, Mrs. F. W. Herrick. father of Robt, Sutherland of the Union January 8, promises to be more than Pacific, occurred at Kearney Wednesday. usually interesting. There will be songs Foolish," Mrs. F. E. Rorer. Mrs. Meagher and daughters, Hugh by pupils of the city; discussions on Hughes. Thomas Wilson and others school subjects of general interest; pa- Watts. pers on special subjects by experienced -Wm. Irwin, sr., who had been at the teachers, besides notes from the State Sisters' hospital two weeks, went home Teachers' association by Messrs. Leavy, Saturday. The old soldier is quite Williams, Galley and Mrs. A. C. Ballon, feeble, and his comrades of Baker post | who will have been in attendance.

-I have for sale a good fruit farm of 30 acres, about 1,000 apple trees bearing, The crew on U. P. engine No. 682 besides 200 cherry and apricot trees all while trying to make a flying switch here | bearing, also pears, peach trees, straw-Sunday, let their engine jump the track; berries, raspberries and blackberries, at Washington a resolution was agreed upon looking their engine over, they There is all the wood on the place that to to increase from \$50,000 to \$62,500, found one side out of shape and were a person would ever need for fuel, with the amount to be expended by the govthe best irrigation plant in the country. ernment on the buildings of the Trans--The Turner ranch with reservoir well stocked with fish. Mississippi International Exposition to

-The discourse of Rev. Pulis on "The the markets of the cities and small towns dencing the entire success of the project

-The Genoa Leader learns that an On Monday, the contest cases of operation is to be performed upon John | Messrs. Pohl and Bender vs. Phillips Welin of West Hill, who was taken to and Byrnes, respectively, before County the asylum at Lincoln. It seems when Judge Kilian, were adjourned to Tuesa boy that he received an injury upon day at 10 o'clock, at the court house. FARMERS, ATTENTION. You the head which is the cause of his pres. It has been agreed by parties that all contentions raised in the pleadings be -There is nothing like regularity. A dropped, except what may be developed goodly number of town's people regulate on the count of the ballots. It is suptheir getting up in the morning by the posed that several days may be taken the governor see fit to appoint a populist

-Two traveling salesmen for a Chicaeither case there is regularity, but what | go grocery house, were arrested at Blair and taken back to Tecumseh to answer

ay it out in jail .- Seward Blade. -Norfolk has already commenced making preparations for the annual ruary. The Womens' Relief Corps, and

rays of the setting sun, and very rarely -Two young men of our city were out are two shells ever found alike. These 4 Monday morning, 14 degrees above; at in the road near Stevens' lake and broke white. List of shells and curios sent aging the destruction of rabbits, which 7, two degrees below, and, at 10:30, as we a runner off their sleigh. Served them with pins. Mrs. F. A. Warner, Jackson- a populist of this city, who probably has

Baliard's Snow Linimett. There is no pain it will not relieve: no swelling it will not subdue, no wound it will not heal. It will cure frost bites, chilblains and corns. Dr. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

-The musical treat of the year has been booked for the opera house on -One of our stock shippers, who Tuesday evening, January 18, when the shipped a load of stock to Omaha last | Maximilian Grand Concert will be given. | Christmas. week under the new rate of car lots. Mr. Dick is thus spoken of by the New found upon figuring, that he had paid Orleans Daily Item: "His bow touched \$1.90 more per car than he would have the strings with the lightness of fairy paid per hundred. He evidently thinks fingers, but the sounds he drew forth cesses of the heart." His support is of B. P. Duffy of the Platte County the highest character. Miss Isabella Democrat has been enjoying himself at Brotnober, soprano, and Miss Georgiella

Tabler's Buckeye PileOintment gives instant relief It allays inflammation and heals. It is prempt in its action and positive in its effect. It is the kind that cures without pain or discomfort. It is for piles only. 50c. Tubes, 75c. Dr. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

-After twenty years' experience in buying grain in Platte county, J. B. Heintz has decided to quit and join his family on his stock farm in Banner county, which his friends learn with regret. Mr. Heintz has been managing the business of the Omaha elevator here -The "boom" towns have had their the past two years very successfully, denly ill on Sunday, so Miss Lucy Cross | triumphs and their drawbacks. Enter- giving good satisfaction to both his cusprises, which tax business men and cap- tomers and his employers. We are very do not return to the general public the ness circles of Humphrey, but we wish "bonus" they exact, with an addition in him success as a stock farmer. - Hum-

Stop that barking by use of Ballard's Horshound Syrup, It arrests the cough, allays irritation of the threat, and releves congestion of the lungs in a dais safe and pleasant to take, and never disappoints, 25c. & 50c. Dr. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

Nebraska Mercantile Mutual Insurance Co. The Nebraska Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company of Lincoln is a purely home organization, organized April 7th, er Ed. will eat their Christmas turkey 1897, under the Mutual Insurance law with their sister, Mrs. J. J. Murphy at passed by the last session of the legisla- Rogers. ture. The following figures will show the wonderful growth:

Insurance writeen to June 1, 1807 It would seem that this company is thoroughly organized and carefully San Diego, California in good time, are managed and that those of our people well pleased with the climate in which who believe in Mutual Insurance, will they can pick calla lilies out of doors. find in it a safe insurer.

If you have any witness fees due you at the office of the district court clerk. under a recent decision of the supreme court, be entitled to keep them. The -The Sheldon Eagle tells of a Hamil- court declares that this is a special trust Nebraska.

Woman's Club.

Brindley, at the residence of Capt. The following program will be carried

Reading, "Girls' Cooking Club," Mrs. O. B. Haight.

Paper-"History of a Loaf of Bread." Reading-"Penny Wise and Pound Paper -"A Cup of Tea," Mrs. M.

Song-Mrs. F. H. (ieer.

Are you lacking in strength and en rgy. Are you nervous, despondent, irtable, bilious, constipated and genrally run down in health? If so, your ver is torpid, and a few doses of Herine will cure you. Herbine has no qual as a health restorer. Dr. A. eintz and Pollock & Co. .

-At Saturday's session of the senate Address. John Tannahill, Columbus, be held in Omaha next year, and reduce houses dictate the price of beef to both readers are making calculations to at-

uncertain appetite and unrestful sleep. White's Cream Vermifuge is mild inic as well as a prositive worm destroyer. Dr. A. Heintz and Pollock &

- The Howells Journal says: "Should

to fill the vacancy upon the district bench we trust that J. A. Grimison of Schuyler will be the man. There is not a better qualified applicant for the place. - The Telegram, by what authority we the charge of jumping a board bill. They or a man who stands better with the silver voters of the district." The probability is that no man who was formerly a republican will even be thought of for this appointment. And for this there named during the campaign in connect for board. They got a fine of \$35 each are several reasons mentioned, among mer prices, than we ever had before. at Tecumseh, and having no money, will them being: that the present incumbent, You will miss it if you do not come and appointee, is a democrat, and his successor for the unexpired part of the term, at least, should be a democrat, and Grand Assay of the Republic encampthus not offend the democratic hosts of ment to be held in that city next Feb- the district; that the present incumbent, being a resident of Columbus, the anthe Sons and Daughters of Veterans will pointee should not only be a democrat, also meet there at the same time. From but also a resident of Columbus. Three hold a New Year's reception in the Odd | the well-known liberality and hustle of | names are mentioned under this head: the people of Norfolk it is assured that | Senator Gondring, City Attorney Hensno pains will be spared to properly take ley and Judge Duffy-the last with all ladies and gentlemen of Columbus are care of all who attend. Neligh Advocate. due deference to the editor of the Platte arrange about their 1898 permits. -Since coming south I have received | County Democrat), is in sport rather numerous requests for Sea Shells, and than in earnest; the main reason, hownow, better than all, are the beautiful ever, why a former republican like Grimton capitalists have selected Fremont as pink and white Pond Lily Shells that I ison, is not likely to be even considered the place of location for a beet-sugar get from the West India Islands. They in this matter is that this component factory provided Fremont people will are a very handsome shell, highly pol- part of the fusion forces is not numerous meet the requirements of the company ished and exceedingly dainty in coloring, enough to command that attention reand respond quickly. The plant is in- The delicate pink stripes look like the quired to sign commissions to the offices, -they can, of course, do their share of sleigh riding Monday evening, they went | Pond Lily Shells I have made into reasons are not the unbreakable links of weeks successively in THE COLUMNES JOIEN AL. -At midnight Sunday the thermome- as far west as Fred. Schofield's. On lovely pins, and will send three for 25 pure logic, but they do to conjure by, a weekly and legal newspaper, printed, publish ter indicated 28 degrees above zero; at their return they ran into a cake of ice cents, two pink striped, and one creamy In the meantime, it is our opinion that and state. those aspiring to the honor will find Intestimony whereof, I have hereunto set my

the ear of the governor at this moment, " 15dect

******************************* Bersonal Mention.

*************************************** C. A. Beardsley went to Creston Tues

Miss Ethel Galley will be at home for

Miss Lucy Martyn will take her vaca-

Charles Van Alstine is expected home for Christmas.

Carl Hohen and Irve Speice went to Omaha Sunday. Paul Hagel took the afternoon train

for Genoa Monday. Mrs. Addie Brown of Schuyler is here

visiting her son, W. M. Miss Georgie Post will be home from Chicago for the holidays.

Peter Schmidt made a trip to Lincoln and Fremont Wednesday. Mrs. Arthur M. Gray and infant child

returned yesterday from Chicago.

E. C. Hockenberger and family expect to spend their Christmas at Wood River. Judge J. D. Kelley of Norfolk passed through the city Wednesday to Omaha Jesse B. Becher, of the Sioux City. Iowa, schools is spending his vacation

George Bradshaw, who has been in Ohio for several months, returned last

L. Staab of Leigh was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. Brodfuehrer Saturday

Alex Legge of Council Bluffs was in the city between trains Saturday, west ward bound. Miss Angie Early, who has been

spending the summer in Kansas, is ex-Miss Sarah Fitzpatrick and her broth-

Mrs. Nels Hasselbach of St. Edward, who has been in Omaha for some time \$ 221,460 under the doctor's care, is expected

Mrs. Stillman and daughter arrived at

Misses Mary, Martha and Alice Turner started Saturday morning for St. Louis, Missouri, where they visit their relatives, T. W. McKinnie and family this week and next.

DIED

Friday morning, of heart trouble, M. J.

He had been ailing for several months day morning, he got up from a sofa, where he had been lying, to walk across The domestic science department of the room, when he fell to the floor, and the Woman's club will meet with Mrs. expired in about three minutes. He funeral services were held at the Congregational church Sunday afternoon. Rev. Rogers officiating, and the body haid to rest in the Columbus cemetery.

Real Estate Transfers.

Becher, Jæggi & Co., real estate agents, report the following real estate transfers filed in the office of the county clerk for the week ending December 18, 1897. 'olombus Real Estate Improvement

Co. to Carl Reinke, west by lots 5, 6, bik 2s, Columbus, wd . Herman Freidmaa to Henry Ziegler, * ; nwi, 20-20-te, wit .. instay Forsberg to Olof Larson, se'a set, 9-17-3w, wd Anna F. Schwoder to W. H. VanAlstine, lot 1, blk 63, Columbus, wd D. C. Kavanaugh, sheriff, to Anna Schwadel, lot 1, blk 63, Columbus,

sheriff's deed Mary Jane McPhillips to Katharine E. McPhillips, set a nw a 14-19-3w, well Kate McPhillips et al to John McPhil-lips, net a nw a 14-19-3w, well William Meays to Commercial Bank, a hf net a and net a set, 27-17-1e, qcd

Eight transfers, total To Chicago and the East.

Passengers going east for business, will naturally gravitate to Chicago as the great commercial center. Passengers by \$12,500 the sum to be expended upon re-visiting friends or relatives in the class, up-to-date grocery store. -At this time, when the great packing the government's display. Many of our eastern states always desire to "take in" Chicago en route. All classes of passengers will find that the "Short Line" of producer and consumer, mutton sheep | tend this exposition at least a few days | the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railfind a readier market at good prices in during its progress, and anything evi- way, via Omaha and Council Bluffs, affords excellent facilities to reach their sure to give the utmost satisfaction. A reference to the time tables will in dicate the route to be chosen, and, by asking any principal agent west of the Missouri river for a ticket over the Chicago, Council Bluffs & Omaha Short

Line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St Paul Railway, you will be cheerfully furnished with the proper passport via Omaha and Chicago. Please note that all of the "Short Line" trains arrive in the express trains of all the great through car lines to the principal eastern cities For additional particulars, time tables, maps, etc., please call on or address F. A. Nash, General Agent, Omaha, Neb.

Maennerchor Hall.

Mid-Winter Holiday Rates.

The Burlington will sell tickets to

soints within a distance of two hundred 200) miles on Dec. 24th, 25th and 31st and Jan. 1st at one fare for the rountrip, good to return until Jan. 4. Clerical Permits 1898 Clergymen and others entitled to cler

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