

THE DAILY BEE. OMAHA. Saturday Morning, Dec. 29.

Special Meeting of the State Alliance. A special meeting of the Farmers State Alliance will be held at Kearney, Neb., on Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 16 and 17, 1884.

The Weather. For the upper Mississippi valley: Colder and cloudy weather, rain or snow, winds northeasterly, falling barometer.

LOCAL BREVITIES. Hinebaugh & Taylor, Omaha, sell Buffalo U. S. Standard scale. Write for prices.

The board of directors of the Nebraska & Iowa Insurance company are holding an adjourned meeting to-day.

The people in South Omaha are considerably enthused over the possibility of a viaduct over the railroad tracks.

The official library of Judge Chadwick has been increased by two new blank books—the adoption record and the index to estates—furnished by the commissioners.

Several citizens of Council Bluffs and Des Moines, together with some of the business men of Omaha, held a meeting at the Millard hotel yesterday afternoon, relative to some insurance matters.

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COURT NOTES. The case of Patrick v. Davis occupied another day at the U. S. court.

In the district court, yesterday, Judge Neville overruled the motion for a new trial in the case of Foster v. No. Omaha & Southwestern railway.

A suit was commenced yesterday by Henry L. Stewart, against William Paxton, to quit the title to the northeast fourth of section 10, township 15 north, of range 12 east, and to divide and partition it.

The contested election case of Selden against Berka has been tried in the county court, and dismissed, the proof not being sufficient to warrant the court in counting the votes.

The examination of George Sineair was taken up in the police court yesterday afternoon for a short time.

The Right Kind of Charity. Lincoln Journal. Along the line of the St. Paul branch of the Union Pacific road most of the people live in sod houses and dugouts.

Friday Morning.—Dearest and Beloved Wife: As I have been so much troubled to you and to my life this morning I put an end to my life this morning at 11 o'clock.

Remember me in your prayers, and tell Ida that her papa dies all for the love of her.

From your husband, who dearly loves and always will love her.

The Winter Bridge. The St. Paul winter bridge, wrecked by ice two weeks ago, was repaired so

TIRED OF LIFE. John H. Dodge Took His Own Life Yesterday Morning.

The Cozens House Laundry the Scene of the Tragedy. Which Was Committed for the Love of a Woman.

Several days have passed since any one in this city had attempted suicide, and the lull was becoming quite monotonous.

The monotony was broken yesterday, however, about 9:30, when one John H. Dodge, attempted to blow out his brains at the Cozens hotel.

As is usual in such cases there was a woman mixed up in the affair, and that woman was Dodge's wife.

Dodge and this woman were married about five years ago and in about one year from the date of their marriage, a child was born.

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On Wednesday last Dodge came from Grand Island to this city, and ascertained where his wife was employed, he went to the Cozens hotel Wednesday evening and, going up stairs, threatened to kick in the door of his wife's apartment if she did not let him enter.

The porter of the house arrived upon the scene and told him that he must not make any disturbance, and furthermore must leave the house, which he did without difficulty.

No more was seen or heard of him until yesterday morning, when he was seen by the clerk prowling around the house, and he instructed the porter to keep an eye upon him and order him away, as he did not want him around the house at all.

Notwithstanding this the fellow succeeded in gaining an entrance to the laundry, which was occupied by three women, his wife among the number.

He entered her advanced toward his wife, and said, "May here is a note for you." The women were all badly frightened by his appearance and manner, and all ran into the drying room in the rear of the laundry room.

They had scarcely entered the room when a pistol shot was heard in the laundry. The women at once began to scream, which attracted the attention of the people around the place, and they rushed to the laundry and found Dodge just inside the door, with a revolver in his hand.

In the right side of his head, just above the ear. A little revolver, which the fender pattern, No. 22, was lying by his side, and looked more like a toy pistol than a deadly weapon.

The wounded man was picked up and laid upon a table, and Dr. Swetnam, who was in the house at the time, was summoned. The doctor looked at the dying man for a few minutes, and then walked away and left him. Everybody did likewise and left the poor fellow alone struggling with death.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

TO LOAN—Money. MONEY TO LOAN—The lowest rates of interest. B. B. Loomis, 15th and Douglas.

MONEY TO LOAN in sums of \$50 and upward. O. F. Davis and Co., Real Estate and Loan Agents, 1508 Farman St.

MONEY TO LOAN—J. T. Beatty, cash on chattel property, 213 1/2 14th St.

HELP WANTED. WANTED—For a general operator on the No. 2 Wheeler and Wilson Sewing Machine. Apply to Wheeler & Wilson office, 213 1/2 14th St.

WANTED—To get an energetic canvasser for the city of Omaha. Good pay. Address "C. B." Office.

WANTED—Immediately a good woman to do general house work and take charge of the house. Buckeye meat market, corner 16th and Mason.

WANTED—A first class barber, guarantee \$1.00 per week. Pastor House Barber Shop, 823-1/2 14th St.

WANTED—House keeper for light work in family of two. Inquire of Janitor Cass, 523-1/2 14th St.

WANTED—A competent driver clerk who speaks German to go to flourishing town in this State. Apply to C. F. Goodman.

WANTED—Collector for the city by a mercantile house, steady employment to a good man, give references and salary expected. "X. Y." Box office 291-28.

WANTED—A girl for house work at 1618 Chicago St. Mrs. Estabrook.

THE SCHOFIELD MANUFACTURING CO., of Chicago, Ill., want agents to canvass Omaha and vicinity for their specialties. They claim their best agents clear \$75 per day. Circulars free.

WANTED—50 stone masons, wages \$3. Board \$1.50. Apply at once. H. WANNENBERG, 11th and 1/2, near Farman.

WANTED—100 men 50 miles below Vicksburg, Miss. H. WANNENBERG.

WANTED—A German dining room kitchen girl. Hesse and Howe, 418 S. 13th St., between Harney and Howard.

WANTED—A cook and one who understands meat and pastry work. Apply at Newspaper Union, corner 15th and Howard streets.

WANTED—Chambermaid and laundress immediately at Occidental Hotel.

WANTED—A girl for general house work in a small family 2415 Davenport St.

WANTED—Experienced hands to make jeans pants. Steady work. Cantel's factory 1107 Harney St.

WANTED—A boy to clean up and attend pool room to board at home, 314 S. 10th St.

WANTED—Girl at 1808 Davenport St.

ONE experienced dining room girl wanted immediately at St. Charles Hotel.

WANTED—Three persons to learn bookkeeping. Situations March 1st. Call at 9, evenings, over 1610 Douglas street.

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FOR RENT—In a room on 11th and Capitol Ave. A splendid room suitable for carpenter shop. 526-1/2 JNO. E. EDWARDS, 1111 Farman St.

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