ONLY THIRTY-SIX HOURS FROM BOSTON

New Run Will Allow the Distribution of Express Matter in Omaha at the Same Time it is Being Handed Out in Chicago.

The new fast mail trains that will be placed in service between Chicago and Omaha on January 1 will not only work wonders in securing earlier delivery of eastern mail in Omaha, but will materially improve the express service between this city and the east.

Express packages sent from New York City and Boston will be delivered in Omaha just as soon as they will be delivered in Chicago. This is due to the fact that the rearrangement of fast mail trains from the rate transportation to shippers, after January east will bring a great deal of the express matter from New York and Boston into Chicago too late at night for delivery there while express matter coming to Omaha from these cities will be sent out on the new fast mail trains, arriving here at 8 o'clock in the morning, so that delivery may be made in this city in the morning about the same time as in Chicago.

Ever since the Vanderbilt lines commenced figuring on their new fast trains between New York City and Omaha the officials of the American Express company have been planning to take advantage of the new service and reduce their time on express ship-The new schedule has just been completed and a copy was brought back to Omaha from the eastern offices this morning by Superintendent Garner of the American Express company. The present schedule of forty-eight hours on shipments from Boston and all New England points to Omaha will he reduced to thirty-six hours and the present time of forty-three hours from New York City to Omaha will be cut to thirty-six

Difference in a Decade. Ten years ago express shipments from New

York City to Omaha were on the road fifty hours, and that was then considered to be fast time. The several fast freight lines between the Atlantic seaboard and the Missourt river now handle shipments between these two localities in fifty-five hours, or in only five hours' longer time than the express companies required a decade ago. The express freight trains of the fast freight lines have proved formidable rivals of the mail and express trains of express companies during the last two years, and the prospective cut in time is cordially welcomed by the express companies on account of the advantage it will give them over the fast freight lines.

After January 1 express matter for Omaha will leave New York City at 9 p. m. and Boston at 6 p. m., the Boston express being delivered to the New York Central at Albany by the Boston & Albany road. It will arrive in Chicago over the Michigan Central at 8:30 p. m. and leave Chicago over the Northwestern at 10 p. m., arriving here at 8:15 a. m.

The Adams Express company, which operates from New York and Philadelphia over the Pennsylvania lines and throughout the west over the Burlington system has not yet made any arrangements to take advantage of the new fast mail trains. For the month of January the Adams company senger for the city office on January 1. will not ask the Burlington to handle express matter on its new fast mail trains, as the Burlington will be heavily loaded with the overland mail from Chicago to Omaha. The Northwestern has offered to place two cars at the disposal of the American Express company, as the quantity of mail it will handle will be light, and the addition of two cars for express service will the make a train of only four cars for structure. fast mail trains, as the Burlington will be will then make a train of only four cars for structure. the engine to pull. With the Burlington the case is different. It will have from four to six heavily loaded mail cars, and the addition of a couple of cars for express matter Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New would handicap it in its race for the overland Discovery for Consumption had completely mail contract from Chicago to Omaha. After this contract has been awarded to the Burlington the officials of the Adams Express company say they will take up the matter

CONTEST OVER RIGHT-OF-WAY. Fight Between Northern Pacific and

fast mail train of that railroad.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Dec. 29.-The railroad war between the Oregon Railway and Navigation company and the Northern Pacific received fresh impetus yesterday when condemnation proceedings were commenced in the supreme court by the Snake River Valley Railroad company against the Northern Pacific, Farmers' Loan and Trust company of New York, the Central Trust company, Clearwater Short Line railroad, V. Hollenbeck, E. P. Kuhl and Samuel A. Ash to reserve the right-of-way acress the Northern Pacific lands for the railroad between Walla Walla and Lewiston.

Petitioner alleges that the deed recently executed to the Clearwater Short Line by the Northern Pacific, offering right-of-way, was made to prevent the plaintiff from condemning the land and was not received in good faith, with the intention of construct- Pender. It was learned that he had gone to ing a railroad thereon, and that neither the Northern Pacific nor Clearwater Short Line ever surveyed or located a line across said made to buy the right-of-way from the Northern Pacific, but the latter refused to sell except on condition that it be located to the satisfaction of the engineer of the Northern Pacific. The hearing of the petition will come up January 25, 1899.

Drinking Men Dismissed. The following from the Laramie Republican shows something of the workings of the new temperance policy of the Union

A significant move, indicating the policy of the Union Pacific management concerning drinking and gambling, was taken here last Saturday. Six brakemen, some regular men and some extras, were discharged for drink-They were "kodaked" by a spotter



Cheap Rates South-

A big saving in the cost of reaching the cities and resorts of the south is made by taking adwantage of the winter tourist rates offered by the Burlington Route. They apply to almost all points south.

Best train for southeast travelers to take is the Burlington's 4:55 p. m. flyer for St. Louis.

TICKET OFFICE: 1502 Farnam St. NEW DEPOT: 10th and Mason Sts. Telephone 128.

while at the bar and in the act of indulging in a "geezer" and the case was a "cinch."
Of course, these boys didn't suppose it was
against the rules to drink when not on duty. but still they are subject to a call to work at any moment and if then under the in-fluence of liquor would not be fit for duty. It is evident that the officials have inaugurated a strict and unrelenting against drinking and gambling and evidently will not have in their employ anyone who indulges in either of these things to excess.

May Clear the Freight Situation. There has been considerable discussion of demoralization of freight rates following the open letter of the Baltimore & Ohio receivers to the Interstate Commerce commission published in The Bee on Monday. Traffic men are inclined to think the letter, while addressed to the commission, was intended to inform other railroad lines that the Baltimore & Ohio would quote nothing but tariff rates after Janpary 1 and would expect other lines to do the same.

Locally, it is believed the freight situation, which has been so utterly bad during the last year, will be materially improved after January 1. Freight men declare that their instructions prohibiting the cutting of any rate or the issuance of any free or reduced 1, are exceedingly stringent.

Changing Yardmasters. Another change among the Nebraska agents of the Union Pacific was made yesterday. Thomas Scanlan, yardmaster at Kearney, Neb., for a number of years, was transferred to the Omaha freight office. He will report here to J. J. Sherlock, city freight agent. Scanlan will be succeeded at Kearney by F. A. Moeder, transferred from the Union Pacific station at Cozad, Neb., where he has been agent for several

Brought Up on the Burlington. L. C. Manson, the new superintendent of the Idaho division of the Oregon Short line, is an old Burlington man. He was a telegraph operator and later a train dispatcher on the "Q" from March, 1882, unil October, 1887. Then he went to the Idaho division of the Union Pacific, where he was a train dispatcher until 1895, Prior to his recent promotion he was chief dispatcher of the Idaho division of the Short

Mr. Burt Says It's News.

"This is news to me. I know nothing about the matter." said President Horace G. Burt of the Union Pacific yesterday afternoon, when shown a telegram from New York stating that the Union Pacific had joined with other railroad interests and acquired control of the Chicago & Alton

Southern Railroad Sold. RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 29.-The Cape Fear Yadkin Valley railroad was bought at master's sale at Fayetteville today by the Atlantic Coast line for \$3,109,000.

Railroad Notes. John A. Kuhn, general agent of the Northwestern, has gone out in the state for a short business trip. "Terminal Topics" is the alliterative title of a monthly pamphlet issued by the Los Angeles Terminal railway.

J. O. Phillippi, assistant general freight and passenger agent of the Misssouri Pa-cific, is ill with the grip.

T. F. Godfrey, city passenger agent of the Missouri Pacific, is at company head-quarters in St. Louis. Carl Foley, for several years halled as "Chief" by the Omaha newsboys, will enter the service of the Rock Island road as mes-

It is unofficially announced that the Rock Island will next spring commence the rec-tion of a handsome ten-story passenger sta-

Thousand Tougues,

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer of 1125 Howard street, Philadelphia, cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure: "It soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding of handling express shipments on the new its praises throughout the universe." every one who tries Dr. King's New Dis-covery for any trouble of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Kuhn & Co.'s drug store; every

JOHN DOE VANISHES AGAIN Sheriff Tadlock Loses & Prisoner He

Had Brought Nearly Home

from Kansas.

While going from Omaha to Pender Sheriff Tadlock of Thurston county lost a prisoner The prisoner is still at large and is likely to enjoy his freedom for some time to come, as the sheriff is not very certain as to where his man was when he made his escape.

A few days ago a stranger, whose name went into the warrant as John Doe, com mitted larceny, in this, that he stole a lot of property from one of the residents of Kansas and requisition papers were secured and the man located. Sheriff Tadlock. armed with the documents, went down to Petitioner also alleges an offer was Kansas, secured his man and started for home. He reached Omaha in due time and started north on the St. Paul limited that departs from the Webster street depot at 5:45 p. m. Everything went well until the train reached DeSoto. Then it was bowling along over the level at the rate of sixty miles per hour. Right at this point Mr. Doe expressed a desire to visit the wash for a few moments. Being an accommodating sort of a man, the sheriff allowed his man to go, but of course he went with him and stood on the outside of the door, holding the knob. After Mr. Doe had been in the room for a brief period, the sheriff heard a noise on the roof of the car. It sounded like the clatter of feet. The sheriff thought nothing of this at the time, but a moment later when he forced the door to the wash room and discovered that his prisoner had vanished, he associated the clatter of the feet with his man. The train continued to move along and did not stop until it reached Blair. It was then that the sheriff went out to scan the roof and to learn that

> the train. Sheriff Tadlock is of the opinion that his prisoner climbed out of the window, onto the top of the car and then slid down the side and dropped off, making good his es-

there was no man on the top of any car in

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

Urgent Demands Upon the Association

for Coal. The trustees, on account of an empty treasury, are compelled to appeal to our benevolent citizens for funds to purchase 200 tons of coal to distribute this cold season amongst the aged, sick and worthy poor of our city.

The applications are numerous and press-

ing and require immediate attention. The board, therefore, hopes to have a liberal and early response to their necessitous appeal. Checks payable to the "Associated Chari-ties" will be thankfully received at 1810 St.

JOHN LAUGHLAND, Secretary. THOS. L. KIMBALL, President.

Holiday Rates. The usual holiday rates via the Missouri Pacific railway on December 24, 25, 26, 31, January 1 and 2. Call at company's new offices, S. E. corner 14th and Douglas, or depot, 15th and Webster Sts.

office, 1415 Farnam (Paxton Hotel Blk.), or write Harry E. Moores, C. P. & T. A., Omaha, Neb.

Murray Hotel, Omaha. Rates, \$2-\$2.50. Nat Brown, Prop.

BOSTON STORE REMNANTS

Today a Grand Clearing Sale of All the Remnants in Our House.

LOWER THAN EVER BEFORE

In Basement We Will Sell Some Wonderful Remnants, Short Lengths of All Kinds of Cotton Goods at a Mere Fraction of Their Value.

\$1.00 DRESS GOODS, 15e. Today we offer every remnant, short ength and dress length of every descrip-ion that have accumulated during our big holiday rush, that sold up to \$1.00 yard, on one big bargain square, all at 15c yard. NEW DRESS GOODS AT 19c.

About 2,000 yards of new English brocaded dress goods, 44 inches wide, a great many of them to match, in lengths suitable for waists and skirts, elegant new colors, your choice 19c yard. IMPORTED DRESS GOODS REMNANTS

AT 10c.

Today we give you choice of all the imported dress goods remnants that match that we have been seiling at 15c and 25c each. They are all the highest cost imported silk and wool novelties, plaids, checks, etc., for tomorrow they go at 10c each.

WORSTED, CASSIMERE AND SUITINGS, 15c VARD

WORSTED, CASSIMERE AND SUITINGS, 15c YARD.

Today a grand new lot of those heavy all wool casssimeres and worsteds, suitable for boys' pants, ladles' skirts and children's capes, fine high cost goods, but they come in sample ends and short lengths only, a great many of them to match, your choice tomorrow, 15c yard. morrow, 15c yard. SILK REMNANTS, 5c, 10c, 15c AND 25c.

Remnants of silks up to one yard in length, in fine brocades, black and fancy colors, largest variety of colors and designs ever shown in our store, go according to length at 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c each. \$2.50 SILKS AT 45c YARD. Thousands of remnants of high cost, rich quality plain taffeta , heavy brocades and changeable effects, in lengths from 3 to 15 yards, on sale on bargain square at 49c yd. FRIDAY IS REMNANT DAY.

Immense bargains for Friday only. Three cases Fruit of the Loom muslin emnants, 5c yard. 2 cases regular 50 bleached muslin, 21/20 Immense bargain in striped, checked and fancy dimity and white goods, go at 8½c yard; worth 25c.

Plain white long cloth, worth 15c, go at 16c yard Fancy drapery scrim, 121/2c yard; worth Oc. All the balance of our swansdown flannel

remnants, 3½c yard.

Best grade print remnants, 2½c yard.

Silkoline remnants, 1c yard. Best grade percaline remnants, 36 inches vide, 6%c yard. Outing flannel remnants, 5c yard.

Best grade zephyr and fancy Scotch ging-mem remnants go at 5c yard; worth 20c. Hundreds of other remnants that have accumulated during the holiday season go on sale today at less than one-fourth reg-BOSTON STORE, OMAHA, 16th and Douglas Streets.

DINGELSPIEL GETS AWAY Police Unable to Convict Him on Charge of Vagrancy Before the

The police tackled another vagrancy cese yesterday afternoon when George Dingelspiel was arraigned and retired with the customary result, the discharge of the prisoner. Dingelspiel was arrested on December 12 on suspicion of having assisted in the robbing of John Maneely of Lucas, Ia., in 'Red" Johnson's saloon. He was released on bond and arrested again on December 25. Owing to the absence of the witnesses in the first case the city prosecutor, Major Miller, elected to try Dingelspiel on the last complaint, although both were on the same

e he found him, ever since Denot think it possible for him to have any occupation. If he worked at night he must leep some time. He was positive the dewas always to be seen in the pool room. While being taken to the station Dingelspiel had told him that he did not propose to be run out of town. He said he did not work and never would and the police could not make him do so. This information, the officer stated, was purely voluntary.

Dingelspiel claimed that he had been working at a barber shop polishing shoes until arrested December 12. The officers kept him in jail for five days and he lost his place. Then he had gotten work cleaning up the store for Herman Bernstein in the morning, which took about an hour, This was all the work he had when arrested. He had a place to sleep, however, by the consent of a woman who lived over Johnson's saloon.

Judge Gordon said there was not enough evidence to convict the defendant of vagrency and he would discharge him. The other case will be tried Saturday.

The Enormous Gold Product of 1898. This will be the greatest gold year in history. From South Africa, the Klondike and Australia the precious metal is being shipped in large quantities. It is believed that this year's output will be nearly double that of any previous twelve months. The sales of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters are also increas-ing very fast, and this year that famous remedy will cure more people of dyspesia indigestion, constipation, nervousness and weakness than ever before.

TO PROPAGATE COCOA PALMS Rocco Brothers Intend Engrafting

New Industry on the Roster of the Banaua Belt.

Rocco brothers are endeavoring to convince their friends that cocoanuts can be raised in Nebraska as well as in South America. They demonstrate their arguments with two strong looking cocoa palm trees which they received in a carload of cocoanuts from Central America the other day. They were shipped from Bocas del Toro by ship to Mobile, Ala. The trees look perfectly healthy, being six and eight feet in height. They grow out of the eyes of the cocoanut, this increasing in size as the roots mature until finally the shell rots apart and drops off. The tree has long, broad leaves, looking very much like that species seen so often in the hot houses. The merchants propose to see if the tree can be kept alive here and if it will grow to maturity. The trees will be turned over to a florist who understands

the care of them and can keep them in the proper atmosphere. MAGNIFICENT TRAINS.

Omaha to Chicago. The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway has just placed in service two magnificent electric lighted trains between Omaha and Chicago, leaving Omana daily at 5:45 p. m., arriving Chicago at 8:25 a. m. and leaving Chicago 6:15 p. m. and arriving Omaha 8:20 a. m. Each train is lighted throughout by electricity, has buffet smoking cars, drawing room sleeping cars, dining cars and reclining chair cars and runs over ween the two cities. Ticket office. 1504 Farnam street, and at 'Inion depot.

HALF RATES

Vin Port Arthur Route For the Holidays, round trip tickets will be seld within 200 miles. For rates, limits and all information call at Port Arthur Route office, 1415 Farnam (Paxton Hotel Blk.), or write Harry E. Moores, C. P. & T. A.

HAYDEN BROS.

Grocery Bargains. Grocery Bargains.

Fancy High Patent flour, per sack, 98c.
3-lb. cans extra quality tomatoes, 614c. 2-lb.
cans extra corn, 614c. 1-lb. cans Boston
baked beans, 314c. 10c pkg. Schepp's coccannut, 5c. 10 bars Armour's best soap, 25c.
3-lb. cans best spple butter, 614c. New Cal.
raisin-cured prunes, 5c. New Cal. raisins,
5c. New pancake flour, 2-lb. pkgs., 8c. New
buckwheat flour, 2-lb. pkgs., 8c. 2-lb. pkg.
breakfast food, 914c.

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.
Fresh, sweet country butter, in rolls, 12c.

Fresh, sweet country butter, in rolls, 12c. Extra fine sweet dairy butter, 14c to 16c. Extra fine sweet dairy butter, 14c to 16c.
No. 1 separator creamery butter, 17½c. Extra fancy separator creamery, worth 25c, only 20c. Strictly fresh guaranteed eggs, 21c. Fancy full cream cheese, 12½c. Domestic Swiss cheese, per lb., 16c. Imported Swiss cheese, per lb., 25c. Neufchatel cream cheese, pkg., 3c. Hand kase, imported, pkg., 2½c. Sap Sago cheese, imported, pkg., 3c. Fancy limberger or brick cheese, 12½c.

SPECIAL MEAT SALE.

3-lb. cans lard, any brand, 19c. California hams, 4½c. No. 1 bacon, 7c. 3-lb. cans compound lard, 16c. Good salt pork, 5c. Fresh pork sausage, 7½c. Polish sausage, 19c. Extra choice bacon, 10c. Swift's Premium Br. sausage, 10c. Fresh spare ribs, 5c. Fresh dressed spring chickens, 7c. HAYDEN BROS.

HINGES ON A TECHNICALITY Dickey's Freedom Depends on the Constitutionality of a Statute

Concerning Partnerships.

Argument was made before Judge Slabaugh yesterday morning in the habeas corpus case of William C. Dickey of Council Bluffs, in which the constitutionality of the law requiring certificates of partnership and articles of incorporation to be filed with the county clerk is attacked on the ground that its title is not broad enough. Dickey was a partner of William Cook & Co., which firm had a stand at the exposition, but It was charged that it had failed to file any certificate of partnership. The defendant was taken before Justice of the Peace Foster and he sued out a writ of habeas corpus claiming that Constable Gibson unlawfully

deprived him of his liberty. William A. Saunders made the point that the title of the law has no reference whatever to the penalty designated in the statute. On the other hand Elmer Thomas contended that questions of constitutionality could not be raised in habeas corpus proceedings in the shape of a review of the acts of a lower court. He had a number of supreme court decisions more or less touching on this point. Judge Slabaugh, white admitting that a habeas corpus proceeding was not a proceeding of review, said the habeas corpus method was the proper one to pursue when it is presumed the law is void, because if the law be void all the proceedings under it have been void. The pourt took the matter under advisement and may render his decision Friday morn-

GIVING REASONS FOR A NEW TRIAL,

City Attorney Connell Files Sensa-tional Affidavits in the Doty Case. Some rather sensational affidavits were filed by City Attorney Connell yesterday in support of his motion for a new trial in the Ezra Doty damage case. Doty got a verdict of \$1,000 at the present term of court for the breaking of a leg one evening, while getting off a Sherman avenue car at Sherwood avenue and running against a water barrel which had been carelessly left near the street railway track during the paving of the street. The evidence showed that there was no light on the obstruction to warn persons of langer. Two of the affidavits are from jurors who

tried the case and the third is from Hugh Murphy, who had the paving contract. The jurors are Jeremiah T. Jefferson and that a formal ballot was first taken, resulting in eight for the defendant and four for The arresting officer testified that he had the plaintiff, and a second ballot resulted seen the defendant loafing around the pool in a vote of nine for the city and three for Omaha, South Omaha and Council Bluffs Doty, but that after this a juror named cember 14. He saw him every day and did Elmer J. Woodcock stated that the city would take the judgment out of Murphy. Woodcock said he had once worked for Murphy and that he was a hard man to endant did not work during the day, as he his employes. Another juror, Kemmerling, also said any verdict given Doty would have to come out of Murphy; that the city would keep it out of the money due the contractor. The position taken by these men stirred up a great deal of feeling in favor of Doty and the outcome of it all was that the verdict returned was finally agreed to as a compromise.

Mr. Murphy's affidavit amounted to a statement that he had been somewhat misled by Doty's attorney as to the time the case would be tried, or he would have been present to testify; that he could have produced a photograph showing that the barrel had been three feet away from the track, and that two of the men on the jury were personal enemies of him, one of whom he had discharged and the other having been once ordered out of his office in the heat of a controversy. Murchy was in Denver while the case was tried.

JACK NORTON IS NOT GUILTY. Jury in the Gambling Case Returns

a Verdict of Acquittal. The jury in the Jack Norton case returned a verdict of not guilty of the charge of setting up and keeping gaming devices. This verdict was brought in shortly after the court reconvened yesterday morning, the jury having been out all night. "A verdict of acquittal was just what I expected, said J. B. Kelkenney, his at-

It is doubtful if the case against Kirschbaum, Dwyer and Burns will be prosecuted. Burns and Dwyer cannot be located. As to the case against Phillips and Hansen it comes out now that there has never been any information filed against them in the district court.

Taxes on Bolin's Property. A tax case in which the Henry Bolln property, corner of Nineteenth and Wirt streets, was involved and the Philadelphia Mortgage and Trust company was plaintiff, was decided yesterday by Judge

Fawcett in favor of the city. The Philadelphia Mortgage and Trust company claimed that certain amounting to \$325 on the property, lots six and seven, block eleven, Kountze place, according to the records at the time Bolin mortgaged it for \$5,000 to the plaintiff in April, 1894, had subsequently been erased from the records, and it undertook to show that no delinquency existed. It charged City Treasurer Edwards with violating the poses. law in allowing the records of his office to be tampered with.

The taxes said to be due were for the years 1892, 1893 and 1894 and two installments of a paying tax. When the company, through an abstracting firm here, had an examination of the title made, the records showed, so it is alleged, that the taxes were all paid. Judge Fawcett held that the company had not satisfactorily demonstrated that the records had been

Every Day. The magnificently equipped trains leave Omaha via the UNION PACIFIC. For all principal western points greatly reduced rates between points on lines for the holidays.

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\$142 buys fine upright plane. \$5 me, payments. Schmoller & Mueller, 1313 Farnam. A 10-word want ad costs you but \$5 cents of 7 days in the Morning and Evening Bes. 1513 DODGE ST.

GRANDEST SPECIAL SALE KNOWN. Saturday Morning Begins the Sale, the Like of Which Has Never Been KNOWN BEFORE.

\$50,000 CLOAKS AND CLOTHING TO BE SOLD FOR HALF PRICE. This remarkable sale will last but one And the place 's BOSTON STORE, OMAHA.

This is an opportunity that presents itself but once in a lifetime. New desirable clothing and cloaks, the latest styles and the best makes will be sacrified at half the value for that one day.

Regardless of the immense trade we have enjoyed this season we have very much too.

enjoyed this season we have very much too much goods on hand, so much in fact that it is necessary to sacrifice at once a full \$50.000 worth of heavy winter goods, including cloaks, clothing, ladies' and men's underwear, etc., before the first of the year, even if we realize but half the actual value See Friday evening's papers for full par-ticulars of this sensational sale. BOSTON STORE, OMAHA, N. W. Corner 16th and Douglas.

TURNED OVER TO THE TRUST Old Boyd Theater Site Transferred to the Boston Ground Rent Company.

A \$230,000 transfer has just been recorded The property turned over is lot 5 and the west one-third of the west one-half of lot s, block 119, northeast corner of Farnam and Fifteenth streets, now held by Morris Levy under a ten-year lease and occupied by the Nebraska Clothing house.

The deal is in pursuance of an agreemen by which the trustees under a deed of Wirliam F. Garcelon, namely George E. Smith, Edward C. Mead and Clarence C. Smith, al of Everett. Mass., turn over the property to Moses Williams, William Minot, Charles E. Cotting, Laurense Minot and Charles Francls Adams, trustees of the Boston Ground Rent Trust, subject to a \$70,000 mortgage to Louis Tobias.

The smallest things exert the greatest influence. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are un-equaled for overcoming constipution and liver troubles. Small pill, best pill, safe pill.

At Boyd's theater Frank Daniels and company present tonight and tomorrow afternoon "An Idol's Eye" and Saturday evening "The Wizard of the Nile." These two musical comedies have been pronounced by President McKinley to be "The funniest and presses to over the second control of the Nile." and prettiest comic operas I have eve

Beginning with a matinee next Sunday afternoon, Mr. David Higgins and company will give three presentations of his beautiful drama of the mountains of Tennessee, "At Piney Ridge." This company and play made a lasting impression upon the occasion of its former visit and will be accorded a generous reception.

La Belle Wilma is the name of a handsome little parisienne who will treat Omaha people next week at the Creighton-Orpheum theater to a decided novelty act, the like of which was never seen before here and never will be duplicated. She takes sand, smoke and plain earth, and with deft skill creates beautiful pictures. While La Belle Wilma is unexcelled in her line, the Royles, Edwin Milton, and his accomplished wife, Selena Fetter, are the star features of the excellent New Year's offering. Society in every city lionizes these excellent artists. Prof. Macart, who has a troupe of performing dogs and monkeys, is another big feature. There are no less than five European novelty acts on the bill, one of them, Zimmer, the pantomimest and juggler, making his third American appearance in Omaha.

A Visit to the National Capital May be enjoyed without extra cost for fare in going to Philadelphia and New York over points via Washington may be obtained at same fares as apply over Pennsylvania di-rect lines, and will be good for ten days' sojourn at the National Capital. For par-Charles Ring. Their story is to the effect ticular information apply to Thos. H. Thorp, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Neb. Card of Thanks.

> and marshals of all outside towns railroad officials and employes who assisted in the search for our boy we wish to thank you. He has returned of his own accord and well. Very respectfully, MR. AND MRS. P. A. C. STEVENS. Proposes a New Telephone Service.

To our many friends and to the police of

John O. Yeiser, a local attorney, has issued prospectus of the Citizens' Telephone and Messenger company. Subscriptions are also solicited for stock at the rate of 50 cents per share. The rates of the proposed will range from \$1 to \$3 per month.

B. Haas, florist, 1813 Vinton St. For sale, carnations, light, dark, pink, red and white, per doz., 30c; narcissus, per doz., 50c; hyacinths, per doz., 40c; Christmas cactus in full bloom, \$1.50 to \$3.00 each; smilax, 25c for long string.

DIED.

KENNEDY-Jay J., Missouri Pacific yard master. Funeral from family residence, 2336 South Tenth street, to St. Patrick's parish, Friday morning at 9 o'clock. In-terment Holy Sepuicher cemetery. Friends invited. Streator, Ill., papers please copy.

invited. Streator, Ill., papers please copy. EAGAN—William, aged 41 years, at his residence, 1950 So. 11th St., Thursday morning. Funeral Saturday 9 o'clock a. m. from St. Patrick's church. Interment, Holy Sepjulcher cemetery.

HARTE—John Drexel, December 29, 1898, of diphtheria, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Harte, aged 5 years 5 months and 2 days. Funeral December 30 at 2 p. m. from the home, 5016 California street. Interment Prospect Hill cemetery.

LITTLEFIELD—Mrs. L. A., 9 a. m., December 29, 1898, at her residence, 800 Park avenue. Services Friday afternoon, December 30, at 3 o'clock, at her late residence. Funeral private. Interment Burlington, Ia.

Don't be a Knocker

Whatever else you do, never use your hammer. It's unpleasant for all concerned. One thing certain, no one "knocks"

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Saved a Life and \$99.75 The figures below tell how it can be done Cost of a modest funeral\$100.00 Cost of a bottle La Gripee Cough

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