MRS. OLIVER'S SUDDEN DEATH

Considerable Comment on the Event Caused Among Physicians.

UNDER CHRISTIAN SCIENCE TREATMENT

Many Believe Her Life Might Have Been Prolonged Had Other Remedies Been Applied—History of the Case.

LINCOLN, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The somewhat sudden death of Mrs. Henry Oliver here Sunday morning has aroused considerable comment among physicians, who generally believe that had she received the proper treatment her life might have been saved and at least prolonged. Mrs. Oliver had implicit faith in Christian science as a cure and refused to consult with a physician concerning her ailment until a few hours before her death. Then she was in such a condition that the physicians could do nothing for her. The woman died at the home of a professional Christian science healer or "reader," having been taken there at her own request and against the wishes of her friends as soon as her illness came on. She grew steadily worse and was in a semi-conscious state when first seen by a physician.

Mrs. Oliver was the wife of one of the owners of the Oliver theater; was a woman of wide acquaintance in the city and for two years a strong believer in Christian science. Previous to her acceptance of this faith she was a member of the Congregational church. She first sought Christian science as a cure for a natural deformity in her child. She gave the child her undivided attention and care and it naturally grew brighter and showed considerable improvement. This she attributed to the influence of Christian science.

The illness which resulted in death was of a little more than a week's duration. Her husband was in the south when she first became sick and she decided to go at once to the home, or "hospital," as it is called, of S. Yates Ogden. The usual Christian science methods were used to bring about her recovery, but without any success. Friends called on her frequently and endeavored to induce her to consent to have a physician called in. To all of these requests she replied that she had the utmost faith in Christian science and that if she had to die she preferred to die a loyal believer. Thursday afternoon Mr. F. M. Barnard, a friend of Mrs. Oliver, realizing that her condition was more serious than ever, insisted that a physician be called in and she finally consented. Dr. Winnett was summoned and an examination was made. He was unable to determine definitely what the ailment was and the healer could give him no information concerning the case. The man's wife finally told the physician something concerning the past condition of the woman and from her story it is thought that life might have been at least prolonged with the proper medical treatment. Another physician was later called in consultation and everything possible was done to save the woman's life, but she died early Saturday morning after being unconscious for over a day. The immediate cause of the woman's demise was an old case of heart trouble. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon in the First Congregational church, of which she was formerly a member. An effort was made to have the funeral held at the Christian science church, but her friends intervened and the services were conducted by Rev. Lewis Gregory.

Poynter Replies.

Charles G. Sprague, formerly superintendent of the Institute for Feeble-Minded Youth at Beatrice, has attacked the veracity of Governor Poynter in a sworn affidavit filed with the state auditor. This is brought about by the filing of a claim for $222.21 by C. W. Phelps for services rendered as steward of the institution. Governor Poynter asserts in a written communication to Auditor Cornell that Superintendent Sprague had requested the removal of Phelps and that he later withdrew the request. This is denied by Superintendent Sprague. The amount of the claim in dispute is $55. Following is the communication of Governor Poynter on the subject:

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 5.—Hon. J. F. Cornell, Auditor of Public Accounts: I hereby certify that Mr. C. W. Phelps was steward of the Nebraska Institute for Feeble Minded at Beatrice until the 20th day of June, 1899. Prior to that time Dr. Sprague, the superintendent of the Institute for Feeble Minded at Beatrice requested the removal of Mr. Phelps from the stewardship, but subsequently withdrew the request, and agreed with me that Mr. Phelps should be retained, and he was so retained until June 20, 1899.
W. A. POYNTER, Governor.

The following affidavit denying the statements of the chief executive has been filed with the auditor:

Charles G. Sprague, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that prior to June 15, 1899, and during all the time herein referred to he was superintendent of the Institute for Feeble-Minded Youth at Beatrice; that C. W. Phelps was prior to April 1, 1899, one of the employes and steward thereof; that April 1, 1899, said Phelps was by deponent discharged, as by statute deponent was authorized to do, and that until June 16 at least said Phelps was not steward or any employe of the institution; that deponent did not withdraw any request to the governor for the discharge of said Phelps or consent to his remaining as steward or other employe; that he did not make any request to the governor for his discharge, but discharged him himself, as he had a right to do, and that any statement to the contrary is false.
CHARLES G. SPRAGUE.
Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 18th day of September, 1899.
C. G. ARNOLD, Notary Public.

The supreme court today granted Judge Ryan permission to file information in the quo warranto case against the governor, this case being the one involving the Weaver act. Hearing in the case will probably be at the next sitting of court.

In the case of Mayor Ensor of South Omaha, fined for contempt, the decision of the lower court was affirmed, the plaintiff in error having failed to file briefs.

W. V. Allen filed a statement with the secretary of state today that he made no donations or payments of any kind in securing the nomination for district judge in the Ninth district.

PRISON CELL FOR AN OLD FARMER.

John L. Bloomer of Falls City Gets Two Years for Forgery.

FALLS CITY, Neb., Sept 19.—(Special.)—George Wilson, who committed an assault on the 5-year-old daughter of A. W. Burchard a few weeks ago and who was severely dealt with by a mob the same night, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary by Judge Stull.

John L. Bloomer, an aged farmer who has borne a good reputation, pleaded guilty to forgery and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. Bloomer, being in straightened circumstances, forged his brother-in-law's name to two notes, one for $150 on the Richardson County Bank and the other for $500 on the First National.

Hebron's High School Divided.

HEBRON, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Because of the increased attendance at the High school this year, due largely to the number of entrances from the eighth grade of other districts, it has become necessary to divide the room, and the ninth grade was this morning separated from the High school and Miss McMillan of Lincoln placed in charge as teacher.

Runaway Boys Stopped.

FAIRMOUNT, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Saturday night three boys, ranging in age from 12 to 14 years, stopped at the farm of James Little, three miles south of town, and were given supper. Little tried to find out where they were from, but could not and he became suspicious as each boy rode a fine horse. He brought them to town, where it was learned that they lived near Benedict. Benedict was telephoned and a reply received to hold the boys. Since then they have been taken home.

BROKEN BOW APPOINTMENTS

Western Nebraska Conference Closes a Most Successful Meeting.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The Western Nebraska conference has closed a very successful meeting here. When the lay delegates arrived the house, which will accommodate 600, was not large enough and overflow meetings were held morning and evening in the Baptist and Presbyterian churches.

Among prominent persons from abroad who spoke were Rev. Gembel of Kansas, Dr. Resce of Iowa, secretary of the Freedmen's Educational board; Dr. M. S. Heard of Philadelphia, secretary of the Church Extension society; D. W. C. Hunnington, chancellor of the Wesleyan Nebraska university of Lincoln, and Mrs. Edholm, Woman's Christian Temperance union lecturer of California.

Bishop Warren appointed the following presiding elders for the districts: Rev. W. E. Hardaway, Holdrege; Rev. C. A. Mastin, Kearney, and Rev. R. S. Moore, North Platte. The retiring elders are: Rev. C. A. Hale of Holdrege, Rev. E. Smith of Kearney and Rev. Joseph Leonard of North Platte.

Following is a complete list of the appointments announced before adjourning:

Holdrege District—W. E. Hardaway, presiding elder; Alma and Orleans, supply A. P. Beal; Arapahoe, W. J. Boyd; Atlanta, G. W. Windle; Axtel, W. J. Crago; Bartley, E. B. Crippen; Beaver City, G. B. Mayfield; Bloomington, S. M. Grigsby; Benkelman, supply R. H. Chrystler; Box Elder, J. V. Robison; Cambridge, O. R. Beebe; Culbertson, E. H. Gould; Danbury, to be supplied; Franklin, E. E. Crippen; Haigler, to be supplied; Hildreth and Barder, W. E. Uncopher; Hendley, C. A. Norlin; Holbrook, to be supplied; Holdrege, E. Smith; Indianola, N. J. Chrystler; McCook, J. A. Badcon; Minden, C. A. Hale; Max and Stratton, to be supplied; Norman, M. H. Bellan; Oxford, A. A. King; Riverton, to be supplied; Republican City, to be supplied; South McCook, to be supplied; Trenton, to be supplied; Upland and Campbell, D. C. Hopson; Wilsonville, R. D. Robertson; Wilcox, G. N. Trites.

North Platte District—R. S. Moore, presiding elder; Byard and Redington, supply John M. Johnson; Brady Island, Orlando Buris; Bertrand and Somers, supply Thomas Scott; Big Springs, G. W. Keisling; Curtis, W. A. Tyler; Elwood, A. Chamberlain; Farnam and Woodfield, supply R. J. Erwin; Gering, S. W. Chandler; Gandy, supply A. Bolin; Grand and Madrid, B. F. Hornaday; Harrisburg, to be supplied; Kimball, supply Russell Link; Lewellyn, supply Elma Keller; Lodge Pole and Chappell, O. A. Trabue; Maywood, A. J. Armstrong; North Platte, C. C. Willson; North Platte circuit, R. Randolph; Ogalalla, F. Hoon; Paxton and Sutherland, W. D. Merryman; Stockville, O. F. Chesebro; Summerset, to be supplied; Smithfield, supply M. B. Carmon; Sidney, W. S. Ostin; Wallace, R. E. Gilpin; Elsey, to be supplied; Hayes Center, supply D. M. James; Palisade, to be supplied; Wauneta, C. P. W. Wimberly; Imperial, to be supplied.

Kearney District—C. A. Mastin, presiding elder; Ansley, W. H. H. Forsyth; Arcadia and Vinton, N. H. Miles; Arnold, A. Coslet; Broken Bow, W. H. D. Hornaday; Burwell, J. F. Webster; Callaway, J. Buckley; Cozad, James Leonard; Elm Creek, J. P. Badgley; Gibbon, G. F. Cook; Gothenburg, E. R. Leedom; Kearney, First church, D. D. Forsyth; Kearney, Trinity church, to be supplied; Lexington, D. W. Crane; Lexington circuit, M. S. Fouch; Litchfield, to be supplied; Loup City, W. E. Matthews; Merna, C. E. Fenton; New Hope, to be supplied; North Loup, H. M. Pinckney; Ord, M. T. Stifler; Overton, W. A. Boucher; Pleasant Hill C. L. De La Barre; Ravenna, S. J. Meddin; Ringold, to be supplied; Sargent, to be supplied; Shelton, Samuel Blair; Sumner and Miller, A. Gilson; Walnut Grove, J. F. Hageman; Westerville, J. G. Hurlbut; Whitman and Mullen, to be supplied.

NO CAUSE FOUND FOR THE WRECK.

Nebraska City Coroner's Jury Returns a Noncommittal Verdict.

NEBRASKA CITY, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The inquest held by Coroner Karstens upon the body of Thomas Gillian, the Missouri Pacific engineer who was killed in the wreck near here Friday evening, was concluded this morning. Evidence of the conductor and rear brakeman on the wrecked train, several section men and farmers living in the immediate vicinty, failed to disclose the cause of the wreck.

The jury rendered a verdict that "Thomas Gillian, engineer; J. M. Rouse, fireman; William Foster, head brakeman, and J. S. Martin came to their death by being crushed and burned in a wreck, by reason of the breaking down of a bridge from a cause unknown to the jury."

CHANGES AT BELLEVUE COLLEGE.

Several Additions to the Faculty and a Larger Enrollment.

BELLEVUE, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Bellevue college opened today with an increased attendance and bright prospects for the year.

There are several changes in the faculty. Prof. C. K. Hoyt of Auburn, N. Y., takes charge of the department of English and literature; Prof. George S. Fisher of Maryville, Tenn., of the department of science and mathematics; Miss Florence Van Hoorebeke is teacher of French, Miss Lizzie Connor preceptress and A. Delmore Cheney instructor in vocal music. Miss Delta Jones resumes her work after a year's post graduate work in the east.

LOSES HIS LIFE BETWEEN CARS.

Conductor Eadus Caught While Coupling Cars at Table Rock.

WYMORE, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Conductor Eadus of this city was killed at Table Rock between 12 and 1 o'clock today while making a coupling on a ballast train, which he has had charge of for several months.

Eadus was one of the Burlington's most competent trainmen and the news of his death is a severe shock to his family and friends here. He leaves a widow and four children.

FROST AND ICE IN NEBRASKA.

Ice in Creighton's Horse Troughs and Nebraska City Gardens Hurt.

NEBRASKA CITY, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—This section was visited by a light frost this morning, but no damage was done, except to tomatoes and other garden vegetables.

CREIGHTON, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—There was a heavy frost and thin ice formed in the watering troughs Saturday night, but it did not seem to affect vegetation very much and corn is out of the way. The thermometer stood at 34 last night.

Shelton Couple Elope.

SHELTON, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—It has just become known that Charles Morgan, who worked on a farm near here this summer, and Miss Ethel Gray, aged 17 years, eloped Friday. The young woman had been making her home with the family of Rev. C. F. Graves, pastor-at-large for the Presbyterian church of west Nebraska, having been taken into the family as an orphan three years ago.

Blair's Cornerstone Laying.

BLAIR, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Friday afternoon Blair's Masonic lodge will conduct the laying of the cornerstone of the new high school building. All secret and civic societies of Washington county have been invited and the mayor has called upon the business men to close their stores that day.

BRYAN FAILS TO ENTHUSE

Remarks of the Silver Apostle Do Not Stir the Crowds.

FUSION MANAGERS ARE DISAPPOINTED

One Thousand People, One-Half of Whom Are Republicans, Listen to the Same Old Harangue at Hartington.

HARTINGTON, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—W. J. Bryan opened the fusion campaign here this evening. About 1,000 people were in attendance, of whom fully one-half were republicans. The speech was delivered in the open air. His remarks were substantially the same as delivered at O'Neill the 18th and published in today's Bee. There was a noticeable lack of enthusiasm and applause throughout the entire meeting, which coupled with the small attendance was a great disappointment for the fusionist managers, who were expecting a great and enthusiastic crowd.

NEBRASKA POLITICAL NEWS.

Frontier County's Convention Nominates a Ticket and Delegates.

STOCKVILLE, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The republican convention of Frontier county nominated the following ticket today: N. H. Davis, county treasurer; John C. Gammill, clerk of the district court; E. L. Hall, county clerk; I. A. Adams, sheriff; Clara M. Dobson, superintendent; S. H. Henderson, surveyor; G. W. Smith, judge; W. H. Wood, coroner; L. H. Whitmore, commissioner.

Delegates to the state convention are—William Martin, O. M. Adams, S. R. Razee, N. H. Bogue, M. Wasley, J. C. Garnill, J. L. Sanders, J. T. Twiss, Eugene Allen. To the judicial convention—H. C. Rogers, F. C. Schroeder, W. B. Whittaker, E. Watkins, S. L. Burson, J. W. Gates, J. J. Keely, G. P. Rishel, John McCabe. A. Wilsey is the new chairman of the central committee and J. A. Williams secretary.

GERING, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The fusion conventions of Scotts Bluff county have agreed on the following ticket, the democrats being given clerk, treasurer and commissioner: F. L. Wright, county clerk; E. W. Wilcox, sheriff; T. W. Bracken, treasurer; J. L. Detrick, county judge; G. E. Mark, superintendent; J. L. Gilmore, surveyor; E. F. Souder, coroner; George Baltes, commissioner. The republicans will nominate a ticket Saturday.

SYRACUSE, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—A large and enthusiastic republican county convention today nominated the following ticket: For district judge, Paul Jessen; clerk of the district court, R. Taggart; county clerk, H. R. Christy; treasurer, C. C. Woods of Talmage; county judge, M. C. Joyce; sheriff, William Bowner; coroner, C. J. Karstens; county superintendent, C. J. Elwanger; commissioner, First district, Christopher Johnston. The ticket is exceptionally strong and its election is conceded.

WAKEFIELD, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Dixon county has elected the following delegates to the republican state convention: J. J. McCarty, Louis V. Haskell, H. H. Hart, John S. Marriott, George Mattison, S. E. Cobb, C. A. Coffin, A. W. Hakes, C. Wischoff and Omer Butler.

Ballot Without Result.

HASTINGS, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The republican convention of the Tenth judicial district met at the court house in this city at 7 p. m., and was called to order by A. T. Brotton, chairman of the central committee, and was organized by electing A. H. Bynum of Franklin county as permanent chairman and J. W. James of Adams county as secretary.

Five candidates were in the field, viz: L. J. Capps of Adams, J. L. McPheely of Kearney, Gus Norberg of Kearney, A. M. Walters of Webster and R. L. Keester of Harlan.

After taking twenty-two ballots, all of which stood 20 votes for Capps, 22 for Norberg, 14 for Walters, 11 for McPheely and 10 for Keester, a motion prevailed to have a five minutes' speech from each candidate. The candidates acquitted themselves handsomely under this order and the vote continued for three more ballots when a motion prevailed to suspend the call of counties and that the twenty-sixth ballot be collected by tellers and counted by the secretary. This ballot brought exactly the same result and the vote proceeded by a call of counties without change of figures until the fifty-sixth ballot had been taken, when a motion again prevailed to collect the ballots by tellers and have them counted by the secretary. After the sixty-sixth ballot had been taken without a change of figures, the convention adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Telephones for Ord.

ORD, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Ord will soon be connected with the outside world by telephone, as poles are being set between here and North Loup, and stakes have been placed marking the location of telephone poles in town, where over fifty subscribers have been secured. F. E. Bay of the Patty Drug company has been appointed secretary and business manager at Ord.

Exposition Visitors from Osceola.

OSCEOLA, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—This morning many people left for Lincoln to see the street fair, and others for Omaha to see the Exposition. Next week there will be an exodus from this point to the Exposition.

Going to the Philippines.

SYRACUSE, Neb., Sept. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Alde Carpenter started today for the Philippines. He was one of the Rough Riders.

CHINESE WASTE OF LABOR.

A Missionary's Notes on Industrial Operations in China.

At present China is rich only in possibilities and in men, writes Arthur H. Smith in the New York Observer. Her people are strong, hardy, industrious. Perhaps the Chinese put forth more physical exertion per million people than any extant race. But it is depressing to reflect what a large part of this physical labor is in reality wasted labor. This is exhibited to some extent in almost all Chinese operations, but nowhere on so great a scale and in such impressive ways as when they are struggling with the problem of transportation. The carrying pole might be inscribed upon the Chinese flag as a symbol of the incessant national battle with gravitation. The armies of coolies who are harnessed into the heavy wheelbarrows loaded with salt and other products are a type of a phenomenally patient race bred to deadly toil. With their heads bowed so as to be unable to see a yard in advance, these poor men literally spend their lives as beasts of burden. The same is true of the porters in the mountainous provinces, and of the trackers in the gorges of the Yangtze. It is one of the most melancholy features of this cruel waste of human strength that those who use it thus lavishly are the first bitterly to resent any rearrangement of forces by which they might be relieved.

In a certain way the Chinese are skilled in irrigation, but the waste of strength in elevating a certain amount of water is matched by the waste of labor in throwing up dirt for river embankments, only to be washed down again when the river is high. Four men stand all day long in the burning sun, each holding the end of a rope to which a willow basket is slung, by means of which water from a river is tossed up to a higher level and thence into channels which carry it to the crops. The strong summer winds blow the water about so that much of it is wasted, and part of the rest filters back into the river. A windmill would raise ten times the amount of water and do it all the time. But "we do not use windmills and we do use willow baskets," and so the belt irrigated is a few rods wide, instead of as many li. As already remarked, except for the boating population and for farmers in winnowing their grain, the wind is in China a wasted force. Patient contemplation of the conditions of Chinese life make one wonder how any Chinese ever contrives to get rich and to remain so. But industry—Chinese industry—and economy—Chinese economy—will accomplish wonders and in a certain degree wealth is produced. Then begins the rapid progress of wasting it.

Probably no race ever lived who were so passionately fond of theatrical exhibitions as the Chinese. The players are idle and dissolute vagabonds, who literally prey upon society, and sums incredible are annually squandered in buying these performances. But here, as elsewhere, it is not the "horse" that is expensive, but the "saddle," to-wit, the concomitants in feeding the relatives and friends who flock to see the shows and remain till they are over, in loss of time, in loss of property by petty thieves, etc., is a serious drain upon resources ill able to bear it. The religious impulse is so ill-directed that myriads of temples are built and endowed with land to support idle and vicious priests, and then the temples themselves are neglected, the land allowed to be alienated, the priests gradually becoming extinct only to have the temples rebuilt, more land devoted to them, another generation of worthless parasites instated and the dreary circle of waste recommenced. Chinese taxation is to a large extent a waste; it violates every one of the four principles first enunciated by Adam Smith as conditions of efficient taxation, and violates them in the most unnecessary and flagrant ways. Yet the evils are so inherent, so inevitable to the present conditions of Chinese life, that the Chinese themselves, under normal circumstances, no more rebel against it than they would raise a riot to put a stop to the pressure of the atmosphere. The salt revenue, the grain tribute—these are compound nouns of multitude which suggests volumes, even to the imperfectly initiated. The first volume might be labeled "Waste," and all the remainder "Allotropic Forms of Waste."

Have any of our readers happened to meet long cavalcades of carts from the central or western provinces, tollfully crawling along the ruined highways toward the capital, guarded by platoons of soldiers and loaded with hollow logs of wood elaborately strapped together with iron bands and filled with ingots of tribute silver? It is an impressive exhibition of that shrewd ignorance which characterizes so much of Chinese administration, laboriously saving at the spigot while wasting at the bunghole, or, in their own more symbolic language, "sweeping up sesame seeds in one place, but letting sesame oil leak out everywhere else."

Passenger Agents at Denver.

DENVER, Sept. 19.—The American Association of Traveling Passenger Agents began its annual session here this morning with a small attendance. Welcoming addresses were delivered by ex-Governor Alva Adams and Supervisor Fillius in the absence of Governor Thomas and Mayor Johnson. Responses were made by President McLeod of the association and General Passenger Agent Eustis of the Burlington, after which the association at noon went into executive session.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Indications for Nebraska Are Fair Wednesday and Thursday with Variable Winds.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday:

For Nebraska and Wyoming—Fair Wednesday and Thursday; variable winds.

For Iowa and Missouri—Fair Wednesday and Thursday; north to east winds.

For South Dakota and Kansas—Fair; warmer Wednesday; Thursday fair; variable winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Sept. 19.—Omaha record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the past three years:

	1899.	1898.	1897.	1896.
Maximum temperature....	67	90	70	56
Minimum temperature....	46	63	51	37
Average temperature.....	56	76	60	46
Precipitation.....	.00	.00	.00	.00

Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1899:

Normal for the day.....	62
Deficiency for the day.....	6
Accumulated deficiency since March 1....	132
Normal rainfall for the day.....	.10 inch
Deficiency for the day.....	.10 inch
Total rainfall since March 1....	20.82 inches
Deficiency since March 1.....	3.84 inches
Deficiency for cor. period, 1898....	2.16 inches
Deficiency for cor. period, 1897....	8.61 inches

Reports From Stations at 8 P. M.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.	Temperature at 8 p. m.	Maximum temperature	Precipitation
Omaha, cloudy	60	68	.00
North Platte, clear	68	70	.00
Salt Lake, clear	76	80	.00
Cheyenne, clear	58	64	.00
Rapid City, clear	62	66	.00
Huron, clear	58	64	.00
*Williston			
Chicago, cloudy	56	58	.06
St. Louis, clear	64	70	.00
St. Paul, partly cloudy	56	62	.00
Davenport, clear	60	68	.00
Helena, clear	74	76	.00
Kansas City, cloudy	64	70	.00
Havre, clear	74	76	.00
Bismarck, clear	62	68	.00
Galveston, clear	80	82	.00

*Missing.

LUCIUS A. WELSH,
Local Forecast Official.

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Bathe the affected parts with HOT water and CUTICURA SOAP to cleanse the skin and scalp of crusts and scales, and soften the thickened cuticle. Dry, without hard rubbing, and apply CUTICURA Ointment freely, to allay itching, irritation, and inflammation, and soothe and heal, and lastly take CUTICURA RESOLVENT to cool and cleanse the blood.

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Save every White Russian Soap wrapper and bring or mail them to Jas. S. Kirk & Co.'s office, 303 S. 12th street, Omaha, and get a receipt for them.

Contest begins at once and closes Dec. 26th, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m. Prizes will be awarded by Christmas.

$10 cash prize to the woman having the greatest number of White Russian Soap wrappers to her credit at 12 o'clock noon, October 15.

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