# PRETEND TO SELL PARDONS

## Governor Savage Discovers His Name is Used to Further Fraud.

## SENATOR HARRISON DENIES THE DEAL

### Teachers Come to the City in Force and Are Meeting with a Cordial Reception—Superintendents in Session.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Governor Savage has learned during the last few days that a new scheme to defraud has been successfully worked and his name, unknown to him, has been used in connection with the frauds.

The scheme is worked by parties who claim to have much influence with the governor and who for a certain price agreed to get parties out of the penitentiary by the pardon route. During the last week four parties who have relatives in the state prison have notified the governor that they had paid from $4 to $25 to men who for the fee agred to secure pardons. The relatives called to see why no action had been taken. No application had been filed with the governor for the pardons.

"I have received a letter from a poor woman who has a son in the penitentiary," said the governor, "asking why I had not taken some action on her son's appeal for clemency. She states that she paid $25 several months ago to a Lincoln lawyer for the purpose of securing his release. I have never seen the man and this is the first that I have heard of the case. The man evidently took the fee without any intention of making any return for it. Within the last two days I have received three other similar letters from persons who have been defrauded out of their money by unscrupulous persons. The old woman who wrote the first letter is fully 70 years old and yet some scoundrel has the hardihood to take her money on the pretense that he is able to influence my judgment."

The governor waxed wrathy in discussing the frauds that are being perpetrated and wanted it distinctly understood that a meritorious case would be just as carefully looked into when presented by a poor man as by a man of influence or a lawyer.

**Harrison Not in Deal.**

Harrison of Grand Island, who is a candidate for the position of president pro tem. of the senate, has disclaimed all connection with the compact which was designed to consign the ghost of the D. E. Thompson controversy to the governor. The compromise contemplated the selection of Harrison, one of his strongest opponents at one end of the house, and Mockett, one of his most active supporters, as the speaker of the house. The parties to this agreement, it is asserted, were the two great railroads that have been for years trying to dominate the politics of Nebraska. Early in the contest, according to a prominent politician who was seen tonight, an understanding was entered by which the Union Pacific was to be represented in the senate by the selection for president of Harrison of Grand Island, while Mockett as speaker of the house was to be a concession to the Burlington interests. The proposition now is to discipline the recalcitrant Mr. Harrison by leaving him out of the calculations and taking up another man. At all events, the original understanding will be insisted upon so far as it concerns Mr. Mockett. During the last few days the situation has clarified somewhat and the claim is freely made that all of the representatives from the South Platte district will come into line for Mockett, with the possible exception of Seward county. Perry of Furnas, De les Dernier of Cass and Sweezy of Blue Hill are all claiming the support of their own delegations, but in no case are these delegations very large, and with the North Platte representatives supporting two candidates both rather strong, it is quite probable that the first ballot in the caucus may show Mockett in the lead.

**Stuefer Buying Warrants.**

State Treasurer Stuefer expended $38,401 Monday in the purchase of warrants issued a few weeks ago in the payment of the temporary school fund apportionment.

The board of public lands and buildings met this afternoon and assigned the various committee rooms to the legislators. In the changes made the supreme court will be considerably changed around, one of the commissions meeting down stairs in the board room.

**Teachers Take the Town.**

Lincoln is in the hands of teachers coming in to attend the State Teachers' association. They are conspicuous everywhere and each and every one of them bears the earmarks. They have been officially welcomed to the capital by the following proclamation issued by the mayor:

Lincoln is glad that the holiday season is to be brightened by the presence of the teachers of the state, and in behalf of all the citizens of Lincoln, I, H. J. Winnett, mayor of Lincoln, Neb., do hereby extend to the teachers the heartiest greetings of welcome from both officers and citizens of this municipality.

Many of the teachers took examinations Monday and today, and this afternoon and tonight the county superintendents considered the laws they think the legislature should enact to benefit the schools. They also took up the normal school proposition. The number of teachers here is largely in excess of the attendance at this time last year.

The teachers' meeting will begin at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The teachers of the Lincoln schools will give a reception at St. Paul's church to the visiting members.

**Stock Judging Contest.**

The livestock judging parliament that is to be held in Lincoln January 23 to 31 is a contest for prizes aggregating over $100 for those who show the greatest proficiency in judging the different classes of animals. The contest will be held the last day and will be open to all who enroll for the parliament.

Two carloads of young breeding bulls will be shipped in for practice work in the selection of sires. Many of these will be available for purchase should they be wanted.

**Governor-Elect Not Worrying.**

Governor-elect Mickey apparently is doing very little worrying about the appointment of officers.

"I shall not do anything today," he said, "and I don't know just when I will, but there is no use being worried about those things and none of the candidates seem to be worrying very much."

Dr. Beghtol of the Kearney Institute is here and has had several chats with both Governor-elect Mickey and Governor Savage.

**Omaha on Losing Side.**

In the interscholastic debate between the schools of Beatrice, Crete and Lincoln on the affirmative, and Nebraska City, Omaha and York on the negative, on the question whether the United States should own and operate the coal mines in this country, the affirmative won. Albert M. Levy of Lincoln received the highest grade and Joseph Swenson of Omaha second place. Others who debated were: Samuel Rinaker of Beatrice, Louis J. Knoll of Crete, Alma B. Eastman of Nebraska City and Clifford Wilkins of York. Preceding the debate a musical and literary program was rendered.

**Place for John L. Pierce.**

John L. Pierce of Omaha has been named to be deputy insurance auditor in place of Deupty Babcock, who becomes deputy for State Treasurer Mortensen after the first of the year. Auditor Weston announced the appointment of Mr. Pierce just before 3 o'clock.

**Dodge County Sheriff Resigns.**

FREMONT, Neb., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Sheriff John M. Kreader yesterday handed in his resignation to the county board, to take effect January 1. It was accepted and this morning the board appointed Deputy Sheriff Arthur Bauman to fill the vacancy. Sheriff Kreader has been appointed deputy collector of internal revenue in place of Deputy Hord of Columbus, resigned. Bauman was appointed deputy in January last. He has not appointed his deputy. This afternoon the county board went into executive session to consider the general question of repairs and rebuilding of county bridges. Representatives of numerous bridge building companies were present and after submitting their bids the doors were closed and they took up the various propositions.

**Court Term Ends Suddenly.**

AINSWORTH, Neb., Dec. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—Contrary to all predictions, district court adjourned this afternoon. The criminal case of the State against Phillip Lochmiller was to come up for hearing this term, but a change of venue being desired by the defendant, the case was carried over to February 23, when an extra sitting will be had to hear the arguments for the desired change, and so the case rests. This is a case in which defendant, a married man, is charged with statutory assault. The balance of the docket was made up of equity cases, which were soon disposed of.

**Union Meetings at Tecumseh.**

TECUMSEH, Neb., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—The Presbyterian, Christian, Baptist and Methodist churches have commenced a series of union evangelical meetings at the Presbyterian church in this city. Rev. E. J. Gaskerville, D. D., of Madison, Wis., is in charge, and he is assisted by Prof. C. H. Coultes of Chicago, who has charge of the singing. The attendance is good and the church people anticipate splendid results from the effort.

**Beatrice Club Gives Ball.**

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—The Beatrice club, which has a membership of 140 and which has done much for the business interests of this city, gave its annual ball and card party in Nichols' hall last night. The affair was attended by about 100 couples of the leading society people of the city and was one of the most successful events of the kind ever given in Beatrice. Jenkins' orchestra furnished the music.

**Hawn Trial in Progress.**

YORK, Neb., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—In the county court this morning Brickey Boslough and Alice Hawn are tried on the charge of taking $73 from Louis Price of Havelock, Neb. He claims to have been drugged and robbed in the Hawn woman's house.

**Dunbar Man Insane.**

NEBRASKA CITY, Dec. 30.—Special Telegram.)—William Shrader of Dunbar was brought before the insanity commission this afternoon and adjudged insane. He was immediately taken to the asylum by the sheriff.

**Goes from Bad to Worse.**

Always true of constipation. It begins many maladies, but Dr. King's New Life Pills cure or no pay. Only 25c. For sale by Kuhn & Co.

**Archaeologists Meet Today.**

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 30.—The Archeological Institute of America will meet here tomorrow for a three days' session. President Wilson will make the address of welcome.

# DEAN CAMPBELL FAIR'S WILL

## Annuities for Wife, Two Sons, Two Sisters and Two Brothers.

## CODICIL REVOKES GIFT TO CATHEDRAL

### Late Dean Also Revokes Part of Will Providing Annuity for His Ward, Bertha Swensberg, Without Giving Explanation.

There is to be filed today with the clerk of the county court the will of Campbell Fair, late dean of Trinity cathedral, and with the will is to be filed his codicil dated less than six months later and materially changing some of the stipulations of the original instrument.

The will, dated March 18, 1902, and witnessed by Ellery H. Westerfield and Jesse P. Cleland, provides: First, that Mary Fair, wife, and R. S. Hall are to be executrix and executor, respectively, of the estate; second, that all debts are to be paid as the first step; third, that Mary Fair, wife, is to have $2,000 per year, payable annually; fourth, that Campbell Willson Fair and James H. S. Fair, sons, are each to have $1,000 per year, payable annually; fifth, that Jane Willson Fair and Adalade Fletcher, sisters, and Thomas Willson Fair and John Benjamin Fair, brothers, are each to have $500 per year, payable annually; sixth, that Bertha Swensberg is to have $500 per year during her life, payable annually; seventh, that the wardens and vestry of Trinity cathedral, and their successors in office, "for the benefit of such cathedral," are to have $500 per year, payable annually; eighth, that all legacies are to be paid out of the income of the estate with those first named given the preference in order that they shall not receive less than the specified amount should the income become insufficient; ninth, that all legatees must surrender every interest in any insurance of the deceased before any of them can receive his or her bequest, and that all bequests are to be considered void if any legatee declines to make such surrender; tenth, that any residue after the carrying out of these provisions is to go to Mary Fair, wife.

**Revokes Two Bequests.**

The codicil, dated October 9, 1902, and witnessed by Mary Alice Landis and Helen Carolin Lundeen, revokes the bequest to Bertha Swensberg, who long had been the dean's ward and who was referred to in the will as "my beloved friend," revokes also the bequest to the vestry and wardens of Trinity church and revokes a provision of the will that bequests are to cease upon the death of a legatee. This last he amends in the codicil in such manner as to direct that upon the death of a legatee the bequest of that person is to be shared by Mrs. Fair and the two sons. The codicil contains no explanation of the changes. Both instruments are in the dean's own handwriting throughout.

The hearing on the petition for probate will be January 23 if the filing is made today, as expected.

# COAL ROADS ARE TO MERGE

### Plan of Consolidation Along the Lines Adopted by Northern Securities Company.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—One of the most important deals in the history of railway corporations was made known today, says the Daily News.

Early in the year J. P. Morgan & Co. will announce the consolidation of the Erie, Lehigh Valley and the Reading railways. The merger will be planned after the manner of the Northern Securities company the stocks of the companies to be pooled and held as a basis for the issuance of a large amount of common shares, which will take as their name the title to be given the consolidated companies.

Four roads, according to the News' informant, will be included in the merger, the Jersey Central being now controlled by the Reading company. The plan for a coalescence, it is said, has been in contemplation for nearly a year, and has been held in abeyance owing to the inability of the promoters to get possession of a majority of the Lehigh Valley shares.

The interested parties are particular to emphasize that the unification will not interfere with the individual management. The roads are not to lose their identity. The earnings will all flow into one treasury, which will pay expenditures, dividends and have charge of the fiscal part of the companies generally.

The holding concern will have a president who will be regarded as above the presidents of the different lines. He will be appointed by J. P. Morgan and it is intimated that President Underwood of the Erie is slated for the place.

Invitations were at once sent to railroad officials, coal dealers, shippers and some of the large consumers to meet Mr. Hamlin at his hotel, 2 o'clock being set for the arrival of the first visitors.

Although he has no mandatory power, Mr. Hamlin said he expected to get at the bottom of the question of shortage of bituminous coal.

"I cannot say at this time what form my report will take," he said, "or what the effect of the investigation will be. We have but very few facts now and do not desire at this time to announce what is to be done. I hope to place the blame where it belongs if the fact of wrongdoing is established."

The investigation is prompted by the reports that thousands of carloads of soft coal are being held out of the market as the result of a conspiracy to raise the price of coal to consumers.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—J. P. Morgan & Co. denied that it was intended to consolidate the Erie, Lehigh Valley and Reading railroads. Mr. Morgan said: "There is not the slightest reason for such a story, it is altogether without foundation."

# TO HAVE A DOUBLE TRACK

### Illinois Central is to Have Complete System from Chicago to New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 30.—Vice President J. T. Harahan of the Illinois Central railroad authorizes the statement that arrangements have been closed for the double-tracking of the main line of the Illinois Central from Memphis to Fulton, Ky., a distance of 122 miles. Mr. Harahan says the work should be finished within a year and will give the Illinois Central a complete double track between New Orleans and Chicago.

On January 4 the Southern Pacific will, in connection with the Illinois Central, operate all trains from the city side of the river, affording direct connection between New Orleans and San Francisco. Negotiations are also pending for the operation of the Louisville & Nashville trains into the same depot. President Yoakum and Vice President Winchell of the 'Frisco are in the city, as is also Assistant General Freight Agent Yoakum of the Chicago & Alton.

It is expected that an official announcement will soon be made that the 'Frisco will enter New Orleans, coming down through Arkansas and Louisiana via Alexandria, and confirming the reported purchase of the big Port Chalmette terminals on the river front by the 'Frisco, as well as the other property and rights of way of the New Orleans Belt and Terminal company and the Carondelet Canal and Navigation company.

The 'Frisco is credited with purchasing twenty squares of ground in the heart of the city whereon its terminals will be built.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 30.—President Yoakum of the 'Frisco, with W. H. Lyford, general counsel of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad, spent today in a tour of the various terminals of the roads entering this city. All the necessary papers will be signed after banking hours today providing for the entrance of the 'Frisco into New Orleans.

The tour today included a visit to Avondale, where the Southern Pacific will cross its passenger trains by ferry, in order to reach the Illinois Central depot. It is considered not improbable that the 'Frisco will arrange to enter the union depot.

**No Santa Fe Passes for Them.**

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 30.—The Santa Fe has announced that no annual passes will be sent this year to officials of the trunk lines. Not only is the anti-pass rule to be enforced in regard to annuals, but no trip passes will be given to any of the officials or agents of eastern lines.

This action is retaliatory upon the trunk lines for their recent action on the anti-pass agreement. The Santa Fe is willing to send out passes to these lines, providing they reciprocate and extend courtesies to the western roads.

**Seeking Ports in Mexico.**

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 30.—President Eng Hok Fong and Vice President Mong of the China Commercial Steamship company are here from Hong Kong, accompanied by Lyman M. Owery of San Francisco. They seek from personal investigation what port is best adapted as a port for their steamship line. They leave in a few days for Manzanillo, Aculpo and other west coast points.

**Mexico Lowers Freight Rates.**

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 30.—The railways have made a large reduction in freight rates on wheat from the United States in accordance with the request from the government. This reduction goes into effect New Year's day and will encourage importations from the United States. The rate from the border to this city is cut from $24 per ton to $14.25.

**Northern Securities Election.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The board of directors of the Northern Securities company today re-elected its former officers and executive committee. The quarterly dividends on Great Northern preferred and Northern Securities stock will be acted upon next month.

# WED AT OLD M'KINLEY HOME

### Miss Mary Barber and Major Ralph Hartsell Are United in Presence of Mrs. McKinley and Friends.

CANTON, O., Dec. 30.—Miss Mary Barber, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Barber, today became the wife of Major Ralph Hartsell. The ceremony was performed at the commodious old Saxton home, formerly the home of the McKinleys, but now occupied by the Barbers, and was witnessed by Mrs. McKinley. Mrs. McKinley and Mrs. Barber are sisters. Rev. O. B. Milligan of the First Presbyterian church officiated.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Ida, and the groom by his brother, Fred S. Hartsell, assistant secretary of the McKinley Memorial association.

Miss Barber was a favorite of the late President McKinley and she spent much time at the White House, and was in several presidential parties making extensive tours of the country as the particular companion of Mrs. McKinley. She became a great favorite in cabinet circles, and of the many presents that came to her as a bride some of the handsomest were sent by members of the cabinet and their families.

The ceremony and reception were attended by about 160 guests, mostly relatives and intimate friends of the families.

Mrs. McKinley was accompanied by Chief Counsel Brooks of the Pennsylvania company and Mrs. Brooks of Shields, Pa., who are guests at her home, Mrs. Brooks having been a friend of her girlhood days. Mrs. McKinley's gift to the bride was a silver table service.

Major Hartsell, who was a Canconian until a few years ago, was a quartermster in the volunteer service during the late war. He is now a practicing attorney in Denver, and with his bride left for that city tonight.

**Cohn-Oberfelder.**

SIDNEY, Neb., Dec. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—The wedding of Miss Blanche N. Oberfelder and Mr. Arthur Cohn took place this evening at 5 o'clock at the family home. Rabbi Abram Simon of Omaha officiated. The bride is the daughter of Hon. Joseph Oberfelder and was born in this city. She wore a handsome imported gown of appromidum chiffon over white liberty satin, yoke of duchess lace, court train. Her bridal veil was handsomely embroidered the length of the long train, carrying bridal roses and wore no jewelry. The groom wore the conventional black. Mr. Cohn is a promising young man of Illinois, being extensively engaged in the stock business. Miss Lillian Oberfelder was maid of honor and wore a pretty white silk mulle and trimmings of real lace. Miss Mabel Gapen had charge of the musical program and rendered several selections during the ceremony, ably assisted by Miss Minnie Meyers of Omaha. Among the out-of-town guests were: Miss Hattie Schlesinger of Chicago, Colonel P. H. N. Schlesinger of North Platte, Mrs. Henry Cohn of Collinsville, Ill., and many others. The young couple departed on the evening train and will be at the Iler Grand at Omaha for several days.

**Double Wedding at Yutan.**

YUTAN, Neb., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Yutan girls marry young. The third wedding within a short time in which the bride is only 16 occurred today. Mamie Miller and Robert Grove Batten and Henry Miller and Lena Buetter are the happy couples. Mrs. Batten is the young wife. The young people are all well known and popular in this section.

**Morrison-Lytle.**

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—J. S. Morrison and Miss Dolly Lytle of Grafton, Neb., were married in this city Saturday night. The wedding occurred at the Beatrice hotel, Judge Bourne officiating. The young couple will make their home in this city.

# PENSIONS FOR WESTERNERS

### Survivors of the Wars Generously Remembered by the General Government.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—The following pensions have been granted:

Issue of December 16, 1902:

Nebraska: Originals—Sydney Eastman, Creston, $8 (war with Spain). Increase, reissue, etc.—Wyatt Hagan, Omaha, $8; Martin Brott, Auburn, $24.

Iowa: Original—Edward C. Miller, Vinton, $30 (war with Spain). Increase, reissue, etc.—James Kenworthy, Grant, $10; James H. Lewis, Council Bluffs, $12; Theodore P. Kellogg, Woodbine, $12. Widows, minors and dependent relatives—Mary J. McCauley, Lake City, $8; Mary Jane Dew, Jefferson, $8; Hannah England, Norwalk, $8; Clara Barton, Oskaloosa, $12; Lua Nance, Osceola, $8.

# BATTLE IN A PULLMAN CAR

## Conductor Has Desperate Encounter with a Lone Train Robber.

## SLIGHTLY WOUNDED BY THE BANDIT

### When Train Stops Man Jumps Off and Conductor Follows with a Repeating Rifle, Firing at Robber.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 30.—Conductor J. D. Keene of the northbound New Orleans & Cincinnati express, on the Louisville & Nashville railroad, had a desperate encounter with a train robber early today as the train was nearing Louisville.

The conductor, who was shot by the robber, is confident he killed or mortally wounded the intruder with a bullet from a rifle.

The train reached this city at 3:30 and at 4 o'clock a special train of one coach and an engine, with police and a number of railroad employes, left for the scene of the holdup.

**Conductor Describes Affair.**

Conductor Keene, in his account of the affair, said that while he was passing through the Pullman car, as the train was entering the limits of South Louisville, he was stopped by a man wearing a mask. The robber had jumped from a dark corner of the car, and with a drawn revolver commanded Keene to throw up his hands.

Instead of doing so, the conductor grappled with the man. A pistol ball momentarily stunned Keene and the robber pulled the bell cord, but before the train stopped the highwayman proceeded to rob the passengers in the sleeper. He held up Joseph Redford, the Pullman car conductor, and J. E. Moore, the only passenger, taking $25 from the latter.

As the train slowed down the robber jumped off, but was followed by Conductor Keene, who secured a rifle. The conductor hurried after the robber, firing as he went, and emptied his rifle at the fleeing man. At one of the shots the robber let out a yell of pain.

The firing aroused the passengers and caused considerable excitement.

**Conductor in Hospital.**

Conductor Keene was removed to a hospital. His wounds, however, are not serious. He is said to be the strongest man in Louisville and was at one time national champion in several amateur athletic classes.

No trace of the robber, who Mr. Keene declared he shot, has been found up to noon, although the night watchman in the yards of the Southern railway reported that about daylight he found a man bleeding and lying along the tracks at Third and K streets. The man said he had fallen from a train, and, according to the watchman's statement, two men came along at this time and carried the injured man away.

Chief of Police Gunther has detailed mounted officers and patrolmen on the case, but they have been unable to find any trace of the man.

Members of the train crew say the robber got on at Lebanon Junction, but they put him off at the next station and did not know he had caught the last car.

**A Thoughtful Husband**

Cured his wife of fainting and dizzy spells, weakness, headache and backache with Electric Bitters. Try them. 50c. For sale by Kuhn & Co.

**Hamline Endowed with $250,000.**

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 30.—The board of trustees of Hamline university announce that an endowment of $250,000 for the university has been raised, principally in Minnesota. James J. Hill and M. G. and J. L. Norton of Winona gave large sums. The endowment ensures the permanency of Hamline along lines which the trustees have laid out.

# FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

### Fair and Warmer in the West Portion is the Promise for Nebraska.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Forecast:

For Nebraska and Kansas—Fair Wednesday and warmer in west portion; Thursday, fair.

For Iowa—Warmer Wednesday; Thursday, fair.

For Illinois—Fair and warmer Wednesday; Thursday, partly cloudy; brisk to southeast winds.

For South Dakota—Fair and warmer Wednesday; Thursday, fair.

For Missouri—Fair Wednesday and warmer in east portion; Thursday, fair.

**Local Record.**

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Dec. 30.—Official record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

| | 1902. | 1901. | 1900. | 1899. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Maximum temperature.... | 38 | 40 | 30 | 10 |
| Minimum temperature.... | 10 | 31 | 6 | — 0 |
| Mean temperature..... | 24 | 40 | 18 | 5 |
| Precipitation ..... | .00 | .06 | .04 | .00 |

Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1902:

| | |
|---|---|
| Normal temperature..... | 21 |
| Excess for the day..... | 3 |
| Total excess since March 1..... | 152 |
| Normal precipitation..... | .03 inch |
| Deficiency for the day..... | .03 inch |
| Precipitation since March 1..... | 29.64 inches |
| Deficiency since March 1..... | .54 inch |
| Deficiency for cor. period, 1901.... | 6.07 inches |
| Excess for cor. period, 1900..... | .01 inch |

**Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.**

| STATIONS. | Maximum temperature. | Temperature at 7 P. M. | Precipitation. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Omaha, clear | 24 | 33 | .00 |
| Valentine, clear | 24 | 34 | .00 |
| North Platte, clear | 26 | 32 | .00 |
| Cheyenne, clear | 26 | 40 | .00 |
| Salt Lake City, clear | 28 | 34 | .00 |
| Rapid City, clear | 32 | 42 | .00 |
| Huron, clear | 14 | 18 | .00 |
| Williston, part cloudy | 24 | 32 | .00 |
| Chicago, clear | 18 | 18 | .00 |
| St. Louis, clear | 30 | 32 | .00 |
| St. Paul, clear | 30 | — 0 | .00 |
| Davenport, clear | 24 | 26 | .00 |
| Kansas City, clear | 36 | 40 | .00 |
| Havre, cloudy | 28 | 28 | .00 |
| Helena, clear | 28 | 28 | .00 |
| Bismarck, clear | 32 | 40 | .00 |
| Galveston, cloudy | 48 | 50 | T |

— Indicates zero.
T Indicates trace of precipitation.

L. A. WELSH,
Local Forecast Official.


# FOR NEW YEAR'S DINNER DESSERT

try JELL-O, prepared according to the following recipe:

WINE JELLY.

One package lemon Jell-O, 1 pint of boiling water, 1 cup of sugar, 1 cup of sherry wine, juice of six oranges. Cut each orange in two, being careful not to break the case. When jelly is partly congealed fill cases and set in a cool place. Serve with whipped cream piled on top. May be served in sherbet cups if desired. A delicious wine jelly can also be made by adding one glass of good sherry or port wine to any of the Jell-O flavors.

A nice dessert for any meal, at any time. Four flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry.

At grocers, 10 cents.

GET A PACKAGE TODAY.



# BACKACHE - AND DIZZINESS.

## Most of the Ailments Peculiar to the Female Sex Are Due to Catarrh of Pelvic Organs.

**Catarrh of the Pelvic Organs is a Very Common Disease Among Women Nowadays.**

**This Affection Is Generally Called Female Weakness, Female Disease, and Many Other Similar Names.**

99 Eleventh Street,
Milwaukee, Wis.

**"A short time ago I found my condition very serious, I had headaches, pains in the back, and frequent dizzy spells which grew worse every month; I tried two remedies before Peruna, and I was discouraged when I took the first dose, but my courage soon returned. In less than two months my health was restored."—Mrs. M. Brickner.**

Peruna has cured thousands of cases of female weakness. As a rule, however, before Peruna is resorted to, several other remedies have been tried in vain. A great many of the patients have taken local treatment, submitted themselves to surgical operations, and taken all sorts of doctor's stuff, without any result.

The reason of so many failures is the fact that diseases peculiar to the female sex are not commonly recognized as being caused by catarrh.

**FEMALE TROUBLE NOT RECOGNIZED AS CATARRH.**

These organs are lined by mucous membranes. Any mucous membrane is subject to catarrh.

Catarrh of one organ is exatly the same as catarrh of any other organ. What will cure catarrh of the head will also cure catarrh of the pelvic organs. Peruna cures these cases simply because it cures the catarrh.

Most of the women afflicted with pelvic diseases have no idea that their trouble is due to catarrh. The majority of the people think that catarrh is a disease confined to the head alone.

This is not true. Catarrh is liable to attack any organ of the body; throat, bronchial tubes, lungs, stomach, kidneys, and especially the pelvic organs.

Many a woman has made this discovery after a long siege of useless treatment. She has made the discovery that her disease is catarrh, and that Peruna can be relied upon to cure catarrh wherever located.

Miss Florence Murphy, 2703 Second Avenue, Seattle, Wash., writes:

"I suffered for over a year with female trouble, and although I tried several physicians, none of them seemed able to help me permanently.

"It took only a little over three bottles of Peruna to make me well and strong. I never have backache, headache or bearing down pains any more."—Miss Florence Murphy.

Mrs. Judge McAllister writes from 1217 West Twenty-Third Street, Minneapolis, Minn., as follows:

"I suffered for years with a pain in the small of my back and right side. It interfered often with my domestic and social duties and I never supposed that I would be cured, as the doctor's medicine did not seem to help me any.

"I took Peruna faithfully for seven weeks and am happy indeed to be able to say that I am entirely cured. Perfect health once more is the best thing I could wish for, and thanks to Peruna I enjoy that now."—Minnie E. McAllister.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.



# No Railroad Runs

Three through trains daily to California, Oregon and all Western points, except the **Union Pacific**, viz.:

"THE... California Express"
"THE... Pacific Express"

UNION PACIFIC OVERLAND LIMITED

and that great California train "THE... Overland Limited"

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