

REGRETS AT MAYER'S DEATH

Was a General Favorite Among Members and House Employes.

GOOD GRIST OF NEW CORPORATIONS

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(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 2.—(Special.)—The news of the death of John L. Mayer, who was accidentally asphyxiated in the Merchants' hotel at Omaha Saturday night, was received with sincere sorrow and regret by the members of the legislature who are now in the city. Mr. Mayer was the fourth assistant clerk of the house and had charge of the amendments to bills, to get them in shape for the printer, a most responsible position. He was one of the most popular and well liked employes in either house and was well known, having been a clerk in the house two years ago. Assistant Clerk Bernard in speaking of him said: "He was accurate, painstaking, a hard worker and a genial, sociable man. He was of great assistance in the work of this department and will be missed."

This morning the members of the chief clerk's staff sent a beautiful floral piece to the parents of the young man at Stanton. New Corporations. Considerable incorporating is being done over the state and from the start made this morning, usually a day when very little is done in this line, it will continue this week as it did last. The Garrow-Laverly company of South Omaha has incorporated to do a general live stock business with a capital of \$50,000. The incorporators are Alexander Garrow, Alexander Laverly and Jay Laverly. The Maverick Loan and Trust company of Gordon filed articles of incorporation, with a capital stock of \$100,000, to do a real estate and loan business, with headquarters at Gordon. The members of the company are J. K. Reid, T. M. Huntington and C. P. Bresse. E. Bowker, O. L. Miller and R. Keen have formed the Ravenna Mercantile company, with a cash capital of \$10,000, to do a dry goods and general merchandise business at Ravenna. Louis F. Zieger, a well known real estate man of this city, died this morning as a result of injuries received several days ago by falling while alighting from his buggy. He paid little attention to his injuries at the time and they were not believed to be serious, but Saturday morning he was stricken with paralysis and from the first there was no hope of his recovery. Deceased was 53 years of age and came to Nebraska from Indiana. He was a member of several fraternal societies and leaves a family.

TWO YEARS FOR BANK ROBBER

Prisoner Stays Up the Sheriff and a Scene in Court Results.

BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 2.—(Special Telegram.)—Michael O'Brien, the Clinton bank robber suspect, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary this evening by Judge Letton. When the judge asked him if he had anything to say he remarked that he had. He said that the court and newspapers were prejudiced against him, and that Sheriff Wadlington had told the jury that he was guilty of a postoffice robbery. He created quite a stir in the courtroom when he made the statement that the jail wasn't fit for a hog to live in. Sheriff Wadlington, who sat near by, made an attempt to throttle O'Brien, but was prevented from doing so by H. J. Ubbes, attorney for the prisoner. Judge Letton intervened, and after O'Brien was forced to his chair the judge pronounced the sentence, and in doing so remarked that he was sorry he could not give him a longer term under the statutes.

Church to Care for Its Sick.

DAVID CITY, Neb., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Rev. McFarland, pastor of the First Christian church, has adopted a method whereby the church will care for its members when sick. Yesterday evening he announced from his pulpit that a member seriously sick with a lingering disease, and that a nurse had been hired to take care of him, and the members would be expected to pay the expense thereof. "If this brother was a member of one of the lodges," he said, "they would have sent a nurse out there in a few hours after they heard of it, and there is no reason why the church should not do the same thing." Rev. McFarland said to be congratulated in this new move toward caring for the sick of his congregation.

No Cars to Move Grain.

ANSLEY, Neb., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—The elevator men at this place have their elevators full of grain, and are unable to get cars on only a part of the number necessary. On this account they are refusing to buy corn and other grains, and the farmers are compelled to haul their grain back home. On account of the continued damp weather much of the corn was not fit to shell recently. The banks in this part of the state are refusing to loan money, and have been doing so since the early part of November, and on these two accounts the business tributary to Omaha from this district is seriously injured.

Held for Horse Stealing.

FULLERTON, Neb., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Uriel Higabee, who stole the horse and buggy from D. H. Kellar last Monday night, had a preliminary hearing before County Judge Robinson. He was held in answer to the charge of grand larceny. His bond was fixed at \$1,000, in default of which he was remanded to the county jail to await trial.

Smallpox Scare at McCook.

MCCOOK JUNCTION, Neb., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—The smallpox scare here continues and a most rigid quarantine of the three cases is maintained. There was considerable difficulty at the start to secure the services of a physician. The local physician diagnosed the cases, and pronounced three afflicted with smallpox, and asked the county authorities to secure the services of a physician to attend to the cases. The local physician has a very large practice, and in justice to his patients he could not very well attend the smallpox cases. At present there are three cases, two in the country near town and one in town.

LEGISLATORS HAVE A BRUSH

Aberdeen Normal Brings on Fight Against Bills of This Class.

SCHOOL MEASURE GETS A BACKSET

Proposition to Pay Regents of State Board of Education a Salary Develops Another Contest in the House.

PIERRE, S. D., Feb. 2.—(Special Telegram.)—In the senate today the committee on agriculture reported favorably on the bill to pay members of the state fair board \$100 each annually as were bills completed, the adoption of the codes. Senate bills were passed by the senate to appropriate \$5,000 for fuel and maintenance, deficiency at State university, appropriating \$1,200 deficiency in fund for taking prisoners to the penitentiary, providing for publication of codes of this session; providing for putting the code into force and house bill making the larceny of livestock of any value grand larceny. On motion of Abel the senate concurred in the house resolution for a joint memorial session to commemorate the birthdays of Washington and Lincoln on February 12 and a committee of Abel, Burke and McCaughey were appointed to act with a house committee to arrange a program. Important new session bills introduced were by Dillon, by request, fixing freight rates on coal; by Soney, to prohibit the sale of tobacco to minors; by Dillon, relating to granting of ferry leases; by Abel, fixing the salary of the commissioner of the Soldiers' home at \$5 per day; by Bennett, repealing the law which prohibits sending printing contracts outside the state; by Dillon, appropriation of \$100,000 for buildings at Yankton insane asylum. The house was the storm center of the day, and the fact that there was trouble ahead became apparent before the call to order, each side working up its following industriously up to the hour of meeting. The committees reported bills which had been examined by them, among which were a favorable report for an appropriation of \$45,000 for an addition to the Yankton school. Chairman Longstaff of the appropriations committee moved the adoption of a favorable report and announced that the board of regents, of education and others who were in a position to know declared this bill to be necessary. It was followed by a motion on the part of Burstad of Codington to defer action on the report until Monday, February 23. Starts First Fight. This started the first real fight of the session, in which Gross, Brown of Sanborn and Price supported the motion of Burstad and for delay, with Longstaff and Redding for immediate action. After considerable wrangling the Burstad motion carried by 52 to 29. This is a victory for the anti-appropriationists crowd, but cannot be looked upon as their strength, as many votes for the motion came from appropriation counties which were opposed to pushing the Aberdeen bill through their own measures, wanting all to come up together. The principal house bills introduced were by Rogge, to provide for a State Board of Medical Examiners to be appointed by the governor; by the directors of the State power to administer oaths; by the directors of the Illinois Postmasters land title system and appropriating \$135,000 for a building at the Yankton insane asylum; by Longstaff, to prevent any state officer or employe from securing supplies from any concern in which he has an interest. The bill to provide salaries of \$1,000 per year each for members of the Board of Regents of Education called out another fight, and a motion to postpone action on the measure was carried by a majority of the house, the vote being 32 to 19. But on final passage it received a vote of 50 to 19 against. Other house bills passed were to increase the compensation of county commissioners to \$4 per day; to provide penalties for willfully divulging the contents of a telephone or telegraph message; fixing the limit of a day's kill of game birds at fifteen, and providing means of restoration of destroyed real-estate records.

INDIAN AGENT MATHEWSON ILL

Reports From Winnebago Express Doubts Concerning His Recovery.

PENDER, Neb., Feb. 2.—(Special Telegram.)—Indian Agent Mathewson is dangerously ill at his home at Winnebago and the report seems to indicate doubt for his recovery. Dies of Old Accident. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Charles Stevens, a lad of about 17 years, died Friday night, as the result of injuries received in the storm of July 4, 1901. Stevens was among the several thousand who were in the tent of the Gentry Brothers dog and pony show, and had just witnessed the entire when a fearful storm suddenly came up, and without giving the occupants of the tents or the managers of the show any warning completely wrecked the tents, the poles and rigging caps falling down over the assembled men, women and children. There were no fatalities, strange as it seemed, but several were severely injured. Stevens had his skull fractured to such an extent that he hovered between life and death for weeks. The surgeons finally succeeded in saving his life and reason, and the pieces of skull were made to grow together sufficiently for temporary protection. However, a silver plate under the weak portion was designed, but the lad never became strong enough to dare to undergo the operation. About two months ago he became worse, the ailment resulting from the injury and death resulted. It is related that a similar incident occurred to one of the injured at that time who lives in Hamilton county, though the latter was not nearly so severely hurt, and is now in no danger. He, too, had apparently recovered from injuries received about the head in the wrecking of that tent, and about two months ago convulsions set in. He is now at the hospital in Aurora.

Reception to A. D. Beemer.

BEEMER, Neb., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—A. D. Beemer, who has been appointed warden of the state penitentiary, together with his wife and daughter, Luree, were tendered a reception at the opera house in Beemer under the direction of the Ladies' Industrial society of the Congregational church. The hall was beautifully decorated. The Wiener orchestra of fifteen furnished concert music during the evening, interspersed with a literary program presided over by Ira E. Williams. Organize Commercial Club. HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 2.—(Special Telegram.)—At a mass meeting of the business men of Hastings held in the city hall tonight a commercial club was organized, with the following officers: C. J. Miles, president; V. B. Trimble, vice president; G. T. Brown, treasurer. The selection of a secretary was deferred, and will be done by the officers chosen, in conjunction with an executive committee of seven which is yet to be selected.

Light Docket in Coming.

WEST POINT, Neb., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—The regular spring term of the district court for Cuming county was opened this morning, with Judge Guy T. Graves of Pender on the bench. The docket is very light, no case of very great public importance being for trial at this term. Boy Killed by Fall. KEARNEY, Neb., Feb. 2.—(Special Telegram.)—Chester Kending, 13 years of age, fell forty feet from a ladder at the Union Pacific water softener late yesterday afternoon, and received injuries from which he died last night.

SCOURING YOUR SCALP.

Will Remove the Loose Dandruff Scales, but it Won't Cure Dandruff. If your hair is brittle and thinning, you have dandruff. The mere scouring of the scalp of the loose scales won't cure dandruff; because dandruff is nothing but scales of scalp being thrown up by a pestiferous little germ in burrowing its way to the root of the hair where it saps the vitality, causing falling hair and, in time, baldness. Now you can't stop dandruff, nor falling hair, nor prevent baldness, unless you destroy that germ, and the only preparation that can do it is the new scientific discovery, Newbro's Herpicide. In fact, no other hair preparation claims to kill the dandruff germ—all of them will clean the scalp; soap and water will do that, but only Newbro's Herpicide gets at the root of the trouble and kills the dandruff germ.

THE REALTY MARKET.

INSTRUMENTS placed on record Monday, February 2: Warranty deeds. Jane A. Matlice and husband to T. V. Allison, Jr., w/2 lot 13, block 2, Burlington, Chas. Cummings to Ann E. Kearns, lot 7, block 3, South Omaha. Kate E. Reed and husband to Alex. Smythe, lots 5 and 21, Buckley Place. L. D. Spalding and wife to J. F. Budenrow, lot 4, House & S. subdiv. Gerard Brandenburg and wife to F. J. Schmitt, lot 3, block 7, South Omaha. Maria R. Adams to P. J. Larson, lot 28, Reed's 2d add. N. R. Wilcox and wife to N. R. Wilcox, Jr., lot 4 in subdiv. of lot 13, Bonfield. F. B. Barnes and wife to W. M. Ellis, lots 11 and 12, block 3, Briggs' Place. J. H. Johnson and wife to J. S. McLaughlin, lot 1, block 2, Jetter's add. Arthur East to Emma Matison, w/2 lot 15, block 2, Hoppe's Bonanza subdiv. South Omaha Land company to C. C. Mauderlin, lots 1 to 5, block 322, South Omaha. Deeds. Sheriff to Margaret Sanderson, lot 9 and 11 1/2 feet lot 10, block 4, Sulphur Springs add. 4.371 F. D. Weed et al, referees, to Charles Rogers et al, lot 1, block 18, E. Rogers' add. 2.870 Total amount of transfers.....\$32,982

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NURSE HELD TO GRAND JURY

Accused of Shooting Actress in Her Apartments on New Year's Eve.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 2.—Elsie Barrett, the trained nurse who on New Year's eve shot Beatie Palmer, known on the stage as Mile. Astie, under somewhat sensational circumstances at their apartments on Oakwood boulevard, was today held to the grand jury in bonds of \$2,000. Miss Palmer was able to appear in court, though she had to have her head continually supported because of the bullet wound in her neck. She testified that Miss Barrett had tried to murder her, and said further: "Since her attack on New Year's eve she has come to the hospital where I lay at the point of death and made repeated threats upon my life." Miss Barrett testified that the revolver was accidentally discharged.

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Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

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It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs. The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work. Therefore when your kidneys are weak or out of order you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty. If you are sick or 'feel badly,' begin taking the great kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone. Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for many kinds of disease, and if permitted to continue much suffering with fatal results are sure to follow. Kidney trouble irritates the nerves, makes you dizzy, restless, sleepless and irritable. Makes you pass water often during the day and obliges you to get up many times during the night. Unhealthy kidneys cause rheumatism, gravel, catarrh of the bladder, pain or dull ache in the back, joints and muscles; makes your head ache and back ache, causes indigestion, stomach and liver trouble, you get a sallow, yellow complexion, makes you feel as though you had a heart trouble; you may have plenty of ambition, but no strength; get weak and waste away. The cure for these troubles is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the world-famous kidney remedy. In taking Swamp-Root you afford natural help to Nature, for Swamp-Root is the most perfect healer and gentle aid to the kidneys that is known to medical science. If there is any doubt in your mind as to your condition, take from your urine on rising about four ounces, place it in a glass or bottle and let it stand twenty-four hours. If on examination it is milky or cloudy, if there is a brick-dust settling, or if small particles float about in it, your kidneys are in need of immediate attention. Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and is used in the leading hospitals, recommended by physicians in their private practice and is taken by doctors themselves who have kidney ailments, because they recognize in it the greatest and most successful remedy for kidney, liver and bladder troubles. If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular



Swamp-Root is pleasant to take fifty-cent and one dollar size bottles at the drug stores everywhere. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

EDITORIAL NOTE—You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful remedy, Swamp-Root, sent absolutely free by mail, also a book telling all about Swamp-Root, and containing many of the thousands upon thousands of testimonial letters received from men and women who owe their good health, in fact, their very lives, to the great curative properties of Swamp-Root. In writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure to say you read this generous offer in The Omaha Daily Bee.

Advertisement for Storz Blue Ribbon Beer, featuring a bottle illustration and text: 'STORZ Blue Ribbon THE FAVORITE FAMILY BEER. AGE PURITY STRENGTH FROM Storz Brewing Co. Phone No. 1260. Bottling Department Omaha, Neb.'

Advertisement for a room with a large vault: 'A Fair Sized Room With a Large Vault