(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Oct 5 - (Special.) - The State oard of Purchase and Supplies finished its ork at 10 o'clock Friday night and the conhave been checked up. They show nat tea and coffee in the several cities of The contracts for coal are said a be about the same as heretofore. At Nebraska City no coal was bought because it eas thought the board could do better on he open market. Some of the contracts are as follows:

Contract for Coal. in Asylum-Union Fuel company, rg steam, 700 tons, \$3.15. a and Soldiers Home. Milford— Fuel company, Wier City steam, ons, \$3.65; Walnut Block, twenty higs Asylum—Schneider-Fowler com-hard coal, five tons and a half; preast company. Cleveland mine run, na. 14.18, total 182. strial Home for Girls, Geneva—White-company. Cleveland mine run, 14.30. 'I'sland Satiors' and Soldiers' Home— White, Sheridan mine run, 300

to arrive.

For some weeks the shipments have not handsome and commodious one reserve stock has been called upon from pit and is equipped with electric lights time to time to make up the shortage,

Cannot Remember His Wanderings Frank Bender, who disappeared from his me two weeks ago at North Lincoln, eaving his team standing in the field which he was plowing, was found at 4 /clock this morning lying in the road round the country roads. He was brought





into the police station and there stated BUYING STATE SUPPLIES that he did not remember leaving home nor did he have any recollection of wha loard Lets Contract for Cotl. Groceries, the two weeks his family had been searching for him. The first time he remembered anything since he was at home was wher two men waked him this morning. He fel the a man after a long sleep he said. When taken to the station he recognized the officers and his wife, who called there for him. After a short rest Bender said he was preparing to cut came in the field near his home and broke the machine. The broken part, he said, he took to go to the house and that was the last he remem bered. Some time ago Bender made a like the road near Cheney.

Soldiers' Home Committee.

The visiting board of the Old Soldiers home was here today to take up the matter of the construction of the hospital-for the Milford soldiers, an appropriation for which was made by the late legislature. Another matter discussed by the members of the board was the quality of the food furnished the soldiers. It is said many of the inmates of the home at Milford are in bad shape and should by all means by ir has not yet authorized the work of con struction. The work of repair at the home also came in for a share of the attention o fthe visiting committee and its members wanted to know why more haste was not being made in this direction. The delay it is said is due to the inability of the archi-

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in outside. The services of the mornund afternoon were conducted in Gerwhile those of the evening were for
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lish speaking people. The muste was to furnish enough coal to keep the road ing and afternoon were conducted in Gersupplied from day to day. The most urgent man, while those of the evening were for requests have been made recently to the English speaking people. The music was mines indicated to rush the shipments, and furnished by the choir from the German this has been promised, but the coal fails Lutheran church of Lincoln and by the BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION young women's choir of the local church The road has had thousands of tons The new church was erected at a cost lying in its yards at Lincoln, but the end of about \$4,000 and was dedicated pracis in sight and only a few tons are left. tically free of debt. The edifice is met the daily demands for fuel and the furnished with a beautiful altar and pul-

and other modern conveniences.

Rock County Republicans. BASSETT, Neb., Oct. 5 .- (Special.)-The delegates in attendance. republican convention for this county was session was devoted entirely to the social sathering of delegates and a meeting of in the nomination of the following candithe old board. Tonight at 8 o'clock the anbout seven miles north of this city. He dates: Clerk, R. A. Recroft; treasurer, C. qual sermon was delivered by Rev. J. W. ras ragged and torn and emactated and H. Patch; sheriff, G. D. Marsh; county Conley of Omaha, to a large and appreciaras ragged and torn and emactated and howed the effects of his two weeks' roam judge, E. Oison; superintendent of schools, tive audience. The meeting opened with a round the country roads. He was brought G. M. Hopkins; coronor, David Peacock; praise service at 7 o'clock, conducted by sor, U. S. Miller. The republican candidates a brief address of welcome by Dr. A. H. for district judge, A. G. Fisher and W. T. Felch of this city.

Wills, were present and addressed the con-

> Catholic Mission at West Point. ten-day mission was commenced yesterlay in the Catholic church of this place. the convention, which remains in session Services are conducted by two missionary friars of the Franciscan order from St. Louis. A large attendance of both Catholic and Protestant people is present at all the services. The mission, in the economy of the Catholic church, occupies the same place as a revival in the Protestant bodies. These functions are held periodically, generally every three or four years and invari-

ably attract great numbers of worshipers. Attempt to Burn Home. BEATRICE, Oct. 5,-(Special Telegram.)-The officers discovered yesterday that some person had attempted to burn the home of Howard Hastings in West Beatrice. The floors in two rooms had been saturated with kerosene and a match applied. The fire burned two large holes through the port. floors, but as the house was tightly closed the flames died out before doing much dam-age. Hastings was home Saturday, but his family has been in the east for some

Hans Case Set for Trial.

Telegram.)-District court commenced today with Judge Harrington presiding. after which the case against Heiney for the young man was released. kidnaping and Weinfach for seiling liquors to minors was continued to next term of court. The case of state against Hans, for murder will be tried October 12, to which date court adjourned with instructions for the shariff to summon forty men to appear as special jurors.

Dies as Result of Injuries. FREMONT, Neb., Oct. 5 .- (Special Telea runaway accident pine miles south of this city last week, died today from the effects of his injuries at the home of his brother in this city. He was thrown into a fence and a heavy farm wagon passed over him, breaking five ribs and crushing his chest. He was 33 years of age and unmarried. His relatives live in Omaha.

Held for Attempt to Kill. NEBRASK'A CITY, Neb., Oct. 5 .-(Special.)-Grant McFarland who Saturday attempted to shoot Robert Levi, was today charged with assault with intent to kill, had his preliminary hearing and was placed under \$500 bonds for appearance

INTO THE MACBINE

Fr ghtful Accident Ocongs on Farm Northwest of Papillion.

BODY OF MAN CRUSHED - TO ATOMS

rator and Portlone of His Flesh Are Carried Out Through the Elevator.

PAPILLION, Neb., Oct. 5 .- (Special Telegram.)-News of a horrible accident that cocurred ten miles northwest of Papillion has

just been brought here A young man named Schroeder while engaged in pitching bundles of grain into s threshing machine jost his footing and fell headlong late the grain separator. His body was crushed and torn, going en tirely through the machine, while small pieces went out through the elevator.

PREACHERS GIVEN CHARGES

Appointments Announced at Lexington for the West Nebruska Conference.

LEXINGTON, Mo., Oct. 5 .- (Special.)-The following appointments were made th s

Large Attendance at the Opening Session and More Constantly

Arriving.

BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 5 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Baptist state convention convened in this city this afternoon at the First Presbyterian church with about 100 surveyor, L. A. White; and county asses- John R. Webster of Omaha, followed with

vention, and each made a good impression. the evening trains, and it is thought by tomorrow that most of the visitors will have arrived. Many prominent ministers WEST POINT, Neb., Oct. 5.—(Special.) from this and adjoining states will appear ten-day mission was commenced yester on the program from day to day during until Friday evening.

> BOY IS MADE TO EAT SAND Playmates Responsible for Death of Five-Year-Old at

> > Onkdale,

LINCOLN, Oct. 6.-The 5-year-old son of Fred Wagner at Oakdale, Neb., is dead as the result of an attempt made by two of his playmates to make him eat

They dislocated his neck and a quantity of sand was found in the boy's stomach. The offenders are known and will be arrested as soon as the coroner's jury makes its re-

Surrenders to Court.

BEATRICE, Oct. &-(Special Telegram.)-Ralph Chipperfield, for whose arrest a wartime. The authorities are investigating the rant was issued several months ago on a charge of attempted criminal assault on Miss Elma Carpenter, a resident of West Beatrice, walked into Judge Inman's office AINSWORTH, Neb., Oct. 5.-(Special today and gave himself up. He pleaded not guilty, waived preliminary examination day with Judge Harrington presiding. A and was bound over to district in bonds of number of equity cases were disposed of, \$300. His father appeared as surety and

Find Body of Child.

BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 5 .- (Special Telegram.)-A rough box supposed to contain the remains of a child was found buried on top of a grave in the Beatrice cemetery today. The matter has been reported to the authorities and an investigation will be gerous

gram.)-Fritz Schneider, who was hurt in ANARCHIST DIES OF WOUNDS They Are Indicted by a Socialist and a Bloody Fend is Now

> MONYPELIER, Vt., Oct. 5-From a but-Barre, in a riot between anarchists and Mrs. Coape and Miss Hernandes were shot

Impending.

meeting of socialists brought about the attack by the anarchists, is still under arrest on the charge of a breach of the peace.

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DOUBLE MURDER AND SUICIDE President Butler Says that the Plans Man in New Mexico Shoots His Wife £10,000,000. and Sinter-in-Law and Kills

LAMBERTON, N. M., Oct. &-Albert P. P. Butler of Columbia university declared that let wound said to have been inflicted by Coape has shot and killed his wife, his \$10,000,000 was needed to carry out the in 1898 after a quarrel with Indians camped Alexander Guretto, a socialist leader at sister-in-law, Miss Hernandez, and himself. plans of the university. socialists at that place Saturday night, Ell with a revolver. Coape ended his own life school of journalism, Mr. Butler says;
Corti died here during last night. with a shotgen. With the establishment of a school

Himself.

COLUMBIA WANTS MORE CASH of the University Require

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.-In his annual re-Concerning the Pulltzer gift for the

MURDER OF HALFBREED SHOWN Been Missing Four

Body Found in Brush After Man Had Years. GLASGOW, Mont., Oct. 5 .- The clothing

on a skeleton found in the brush along a little trodden bank of Milk river today unearthed a murder four years old. John Foster, a half-breed, disappeared near here. The skull found today has e bullet hole between the eyes. Foster's rifle with his name scrutched on the butt

estimated to weigh an average of five pounds cach, or a total of 230,000 pounds, and will be sold at about 3 cents per pound, which will give him a handsome return from his six acres of ground.

Church Reduces Debt.

Instead of an incumbrance of \$1.500 but \$1,500 now rests upon the congregation of Grace Baptist church. Pledges of from \$1.500 to \$2,000 were secured Sunday afternoon, which reduced the independence on the building and sent a thrill of delight through the congregation which has labored so zealously to free the church from debt.

Headache Cured

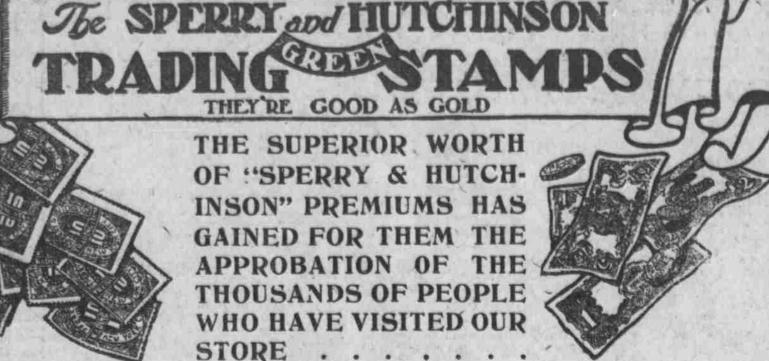
and prevented by Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain-Pills, unequaled for neuralgia, tooth-ache, backache etc. No oplates. Non-laxative. Never soid in bulk. Send for-free book on the cure of headache. If does is cents. Soid and guaranteed by all drugaccialists at that place Saturday night, Ell Corti died here during last night.

The death of Corti, who was an anarchist, has aroused much excitement in Barre and threats are heard of further trouble.

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