

city, was found unconscious at Fifth and

He died a few hours later.

professional life certificates. Those who took the examinations were: Agnes R. Aksamit, Crete; Dorothea Kolls, Grand Island; W. R. Pate, Grafton; D. S. Musselman, Auburn; Charles R. Weeks, Crete; L. P. Grundy, Valley; I. N. Clark, Sterling; Mrs. F. Bertha Hosford, Garrison; W. D. Kave, Kimball; Grace Greves, Fremont; R. A. Johnson, South Omaha; J. S. Miller,

Avery: Thomas J. Jones, Lawrence.

PROGRAM FOR TUESDAY. Forencon-Examination for professional e certificates, state superintendent's of-e, 8:30 a. m., geology and physical geog-26 raphy. on-Examination for professional certificates, siste superintendent's of-1:20 p. m., intellectual philosophy and

Liable for Uncollected Fees.

Judge Cornish has decided that C. O. Boettcher and his bondsman, the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, are rensible for \$2,700 fees, which as district clerk of this county Boettcher failed to collect. The court held that a clerk of the court is responsible for the statutory fees due for work done in his office and must

account for them whether collected or not. The case of Boettcher contains some rather unique phases. Sam E. Low was elected clerk in 1895, but died before his term expired. His chief deputy, J. H. Mallalicu, was appointed to fill the remaining nine months. Before six of these nine months had passed he died himself, and Boettcher, who was also a deputy, was This was on September 14, 1899. At the legislative session the preceding

far has been unable to get any clue to the you never hear anything about. There are thieves. The same store was broken open more interests than one trying to get the and several hundred dollars' worth of lapse to succeed, and there would be more goods taken about two months ago. The afficers are convinced that there is an or- braska has ever been told about who would ganized gang operating in this vicinity, as rejoice at the change of plans. this is the fourth burglary within the last three months.

Has Both Legs Broken.

FREMONT, Neb., Dec. 28.- Special). will be done? -Martin Enright, a laboring man about years of age, who has, been working around town for some time, fell under the cars while trying to board a freight train bound west this afternoon and was seriously injured. His left leg was broken at the ankle, both bones protruding several inches. Both bones of the right leg were fractured just below the knes. The accident occurred about half a mile tospital. west of the depot. A team was secured and the injured man brought to town as soon as possible. It may be necessary to amputate his left foot. Enright was on the map. his way to North Bend when the accident occurred.

Poultry Show for Papillion.

PAPILLION, Neb., Dec. 28,-(Special). An organization to be known as the Sarpy County Poultry association was

formed in Papillion Saturday night with the following officers: President, G. D. McClaskey; vice president, M. P. Brown; secretary, C. B. Tower; treasurer, C. D. Brown. The first annual poultry show will be held here February 4, 5 and 6 and ground by September? What of their winter a bill had been passed making the preparations are being made to make this promises that the plans would be comoffice of district clerk a salaried one instead show a very successful event. Besides a plated by November 1 and that the conof a fee office, as it had been for years. Ine display of birds the visitors will be tract would be let by December 15? And The district clerks in the larger counties entertained with music and a moving picwhy haven't they been kept? Why hasn't ture of a cock fight. the state architect been busy a long time ago-weeks and weeks and weeks ago, at Admits Being a Forger. those plans? Why weren't the bids adver-KEARNEY, Neb., Dec. 28 .- (Special Teltised for during the summer? And why egram) .-- Jack Ottis was brought here from was it that the whole board came to Nor Elm Creek yesterday charged with forfolk the other day, after The Bee had a speculation. In many of the cases that gery. Saturday he got two pay checks from mentioned their delay, with only a little the Standard Bridge company for his comrough lead pencil sketch of a couple of ords had not been made. Boettcher hired panions and endorsing their names on them buildings, which could have been drawn had them cashed. Later he was arrested in two hours at most? What did they say and gave up the money. When arranged in explanation? The board said it had here today he admitted his guilt and will seen so busy that it couldn't get together. to date. In this way some \$13,000 worth of probably be arranged in district court to-So busy that four men found no time morrow, when it is said he will plead within ten long months when they could attend to a state appropriation of \$100,000. guilty. Ottis is a young man and says drink is what caused him to commit the And if they haven't had time during those crime. ten months, what assurance beyond their repeated promises is there that they will Lodge Elections. find time in the next ten? For what has there been during the past year to es-TECUMSEH, Neb., Dec. 28.-(Special.)-The members of Heckathorn post, Grand pecially take up their time-except the Norfolk asylum and the Kearney Nor-Army of the Republic, of this city have elected the following officers for the commal school? And what has the architect

people in Lincoln than Norfolk or Ne Reason for His Bellef. "What makes me think there is a de liberate plan to delay so long that nothing

"Well, for one thing the Norfolk hospi tal is never mentioned in the corridors of his slayer. nor the halls nor the offices of the state house unless the matter is forced. There is never a whisper about the appropriation, nor is there ever a word as to when the contract may be let. Out at the asylum it is precisely the same. There is never a word there about the Norfolk

You wouldn't know there even had existed one and you couldn't be convinced from plans that are made there. that there ever would be such a thing on "What of the promises of the board that the asylum would be done by fall? and

that the contract would be let in January and that the plans would be drawn right away and that bids would be advertised for after a while, you ask?

"Well, what of the promises that the work would have been almost done by now? What of the promises of the board that they would get the blds advertised for along last summer-eight months ago and that the material would be on the

when the additions already authorized are complete the United States will have a Frank McNamee, who was the head of the more powerful navy than any other nation. syndicate that stole more than sixty negro except Great Britain. bodies from the Lebanon cemetery in this

Benson's Hearing Postponed.

Walnut streets with his head fractured. United States Commissioner Taylor, by agreement of the counsel, postponed the hearing in the case of John A. Benson of posed to have aroused the deep enmity of San Francisco, recently arrested here in connection with the investigation of land

land Would Admit Military

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-The Society of the Army of the Cumberland headquarters in Washington, by unanimous decision of its officers and executive committee, has taken action of great interest to survivors of the United States military telegraphers of the civil war, among whom are such prominent persons as General Thomas T. Eckert, late president of the Western Union; Colonel R. C. Clowry, president of the Western Union; Colonel L. C. Weir, president of the Adams Express company, and several hundred others holding high executive positions throughout the country with telegraph companies and with many of the most powerful firms. The soclety has admitted privates to membership Now it has acted favorably on an application for admission from a member of the litary telegraph corps and he has been

If there is any doubt in your mind as to your condition take from your urine on fising about four twenty-four hours. If on examination it is milky or cloudy, if there is a brick-duat settling, or if small of immediate attention. Swamp-Root is pleasant to take, in need a particles float about in it, your kidney, are in need of immediate attention. Swamp-Root is pleasant to take, in the private practice, and is taken by doctors themselves in it the greatest and most successful remedy for kidney, liver and bladder troubles.

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We offer our professional services to men suffering from any private dis-sess resulting from indiscretions and dissipations. Does this concern you, and point heak the trembling in the balance? Are your conductor, and the services and do point feel the need of sympathy, counsel and medical aid? If so, come to me scientific examination of your aliments. An examination that will disclose your the physical condition, without a knowledge of which you are grouping in the dark. Many a man alls, and he laken treatment elsewhere without wuccess, I will show you why it failed i will explain why you have not been treated by our method. It has cured to thers fail. You have need been the use of others. Is will cure you, it will explain why you antit and in other day. No disease remains at a tandstill. Delays are dangerous. itract disease t y being indiscreet. Others inherit weaknesses and suffer for the shortcomings of their parents and drag themselves through a life of decreptitude because through a life of decreptitude because they are trying to conceal the serious errors committed. Strength can no more proceed from weakness than pure water from a polluted fountain. A lifetime of suffering often results from meglecting the first symptoms of dis-case. It is not so much of a calimity that a man contracts diseases or weak-besses, but that he neglects them-faits to secure the proper treatment for their cure or he has experimented with too many FREE TREATMENT and QUICK CURE SCHEMES. We treat men only and cure them quickly, safely and thoroughly. Every man suffering with any private diseases.

Owing to the fact that McNamee is sup negro lot holders who lost relatives in Lebanon cometery, the police are investi- frauds, from next Wednesday to Janugating, but thus far have found no trace ary 6. McNamee was arrested for the grave ASK TELEGRAPHERS TO JOIN robberies at the Lebanon cemetery and sent to prison for two years. When he left the prison he was followed by negroes bent on killing him. For years he lived in constant

fear and regretted ever having left prison Announcements of the Theaters.

"Not Guilty," filled to the brim with senations and hairbreadth escapes, will be the attraction at the Krug theater tonight and tomorrow afternoon and night. The principal characters in the drama are natives of Sheldon's *Corners, Pa., where the scenes of the first and last acts are laid. In the first act the, villain murders his

benefactor and falsely accuses another man who unfortunately is found with the body, of the crime. The accused passes through many persecutions before he is freed from guilt and resumes his honorable station in "Peggy from Paris," the successful George Ade satire, will be given at a special matinee at the Boyd theater this afternoon. This piece has repeated in Omaha

Society of the Army of the Cumber-Telegraphers.

handed together, raised a fund and disputed the legality of this act.

Mr. Boettcher, believing that the act was bad and that the office would be put back upon a fee basis for the three months in which he would hold at least, started in on had been tried in past years complete recsome fifteen stenographers and put these at work making these and and in other respects bringing the records of the office up fees were carned within less than three months. For only a part of these, however, was Boettcher able to collect.

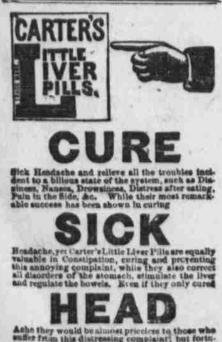
Church Loses in Litigation.

The First Christian church congregation lost out in its lawsuit in district court against the Northwestern Life Insurance company. It secures a small judgment, for \$77.36, where it asked for \$1,995. The Northvestern filed a motion for a new trial, which was overruled.

Years ago, when the boom time was on. the congregation built a costly edifice at Fourteenth and K streets. It was compelled to borrow \$17,000 from the Northwestern company, and when the hard times came the congregation was compelled to J. A. Dillon; alternate, George Miller, allow the church to go under the hammer. The company had to take it, and still

owns It . Some time ago the church brought suit against the company, claiming \$1,995 dambattred up from the holidays. Roy Mason ages for conversion, it being claimed that of Long Pine has a charge from a shotthe life insurance people had no right to gun in his knee. The gun went off outside. the boiler, the twenty-five radiators, sixtyof the house and the full load was lodged nine church pews, fourteen two-light gas in the lad's knee cap. Tearing a hole fixtures, nine one-light fixtures, one threethrough the door the load carried a portion light and one four-light fixtures, and a of the wood into the wound. Miller McClinthirty-eight-light combination chandelier. tock of Newman Grove fell twenty feet The case turned upon whether these arfrom a telephone pole and broke both of his

arms.



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been doing to keep him so rushed and why ing year: Commander, Rev. P. C. Johnson is it that they all blame each other?" senior vice commander, Abe Sherman; junior vice commander, John Roberts; quar-COZAD WATCHMAN IS SHOT termaster, W. Robb; chaplain, Thomas Goodman; officer of the day, O. S. Mason Unidentified Enemy Peppers Samuel surgeon, Robert Dew; officer of the guard Danile Ray; delegate to state encampment, Burgess with Buck-

shot. COZAD, Neb., Dec. 28.-(Special Telegram.)-This morning about 1 o'clock Sam-

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28 .- Forecast: uel Burgoss, night man at the Pendee hotel, For Nebraska and South Dakota-Fair was shot while standing in the office. The Tuesday and colder in east portion; Wedshot was fired through the window by nesday fair. someone unidentified. The weapon used For lowa-Fair Tuesday, colder in west was evidently a shotgun loaded with buckportion; Wednesduy fair. shot. The charge struck Burgens in the For Il'inois-Clearing in northeast, fair in face, four of the heavy buckshot passing outhwest portions Tuesday; Wednesday through the lower part of the face. The fair; fresh southwest to north winds. wound is serious, but not necessarily fatal. For Missouri-Tuesday, fair; colder in There is no clue as yet as to the identity northwest portion; Wednesday fair. of the would-be assassin. The wounded For North Dakota, Colorado, Wyoming

man has been marshal and night watchman Montana and Kansas-Fair Tuesday and for the last six weeks. Wednesday.

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 28.-(Special.)-The members of the Woman's Relief corps Buying Right-of-Way.

whose birthdays have occurred during the PAPILLION, Neb., Dec. 28.-(Special). past three months were entertained in Grand Army of Republic hall last night -Representatives of the Omaha, Linby the corps. A musical program was rendered, after which a banquet was held. Those in whose honor the reception was given are Mesdames Mary Hagy, Alice road will commence work of construction Wade, Nancy Lowe, Emma Hughes, Elda in the early spring. Work on the Omaha Treadwell, Catherine Spink, S. C. Crangle and F. J. Cole. & Southwestern line has stopped on ac-

Tecumseh Ready for Suffragists.

Pair of Holiday Accidents.

Bestrice Corps Entertains.

NORFOLK. Neb., Dec. 28.-(Special). -Two boys in north Nebraska are

TECUMSEH, Neb., Dec. 28.-(Special.]-The state headquarters of the Nebrasks Woman's Suffrage society will be removed from Omaha to Tecumseh, for the coming year, at least. This action has been decided upon by the exceutive committee. The work of the headquarters will be un der the personal direction of Mrs. H. T. Ward of this city, who is the state secrethe Baptist church, and this evening he tary. Tecumsch has a good local society. addressed a union meeting at the Methoand Mrs. Ward is a very active worker in dist church. the cause

Kindles Fire on Parlor Floor. TECUMSEH, Nob., Dec. 25.-(Special.)-Dean, the 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Buffum of this city, kindled a firs on the parlor floor at the Buffum house, and before it was discovered the carpet and some of the furniture of the room was considerably damaged. took. The saloon burglar declined to take

Beatrice Fair a Success.

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 28-(Special.)-The firemen's fair closed last night at the Auditorium after a run of one week. The affair, both from a financial and social standpoint, was the most successful of any yet given by the firemen.

the success that has greeted it everywhere duly received. and Manager Burgess feels complimented that he was enabled to secure a special The decision was based on the position performance this afternoon for the benefit

for \$50 and \$65, handsome lace gowns for

less than cost, cheviot walking skirts for

Attention, Odd Fellows,

the funeral of our late brother, George

Smith, from his late residence, 2234 North

18th street, at 2 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, De-

with Fair Wednesday in/

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Local Record.

Report from Stations at 7 P. M.

"T" indicates trace of precipitation. L. A. WELSH, Forecaster,

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taken by General Sherman when at the head of the army that "they were as of the matinee patrons of the Boyd. The much a part of the army as though armed engagement closes this evening with muskets in the ranks," and upon the fact that both General Thomas, com-Terrill. manding the army of the Cumberland, Finding that I am greatly overstocked in and General McPherson, commanding the all sorts of materials, I will for the next month make a great reduction on everyarmy of the Tennessee, prescribed a uniform for the members of the corps in all thing in stock-making evening and dinner respects similar to that of commission gowns for less than cost, shirtwaist dresses

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officers except the shoulder straps.

Advertisement for Construction Bids to Be Published Jannary 15.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-(Special Tele-Chairman. gram.)-The Lincoln public building will be put on the market about January 15. Speci-More mis-spelled words this week in the fications are now being prepared and bids will be invited for the complete building, which is to occupy the space north of the FORECAST OF THE WEATHER present building, except heating, electric wiring and elevators. The building will be Promise of Fair and Colder Tuesday, stone faced with either limestone or sandstone, the appropriation of \$55,000 not being sufficient to warrant a building to be constructed of granite or marble. Rural carriers appointed for Iowa routes:

Elliott, regular, Francis A. Hubbard; substitute, Ellas Ashburn. Emerson, regular, Alexander A. Patrick; substitute, William A. Brown.

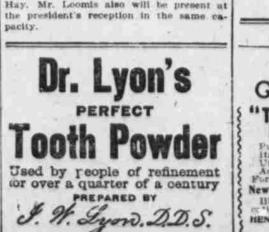
An additional rural route has been ordered established February 1 at Shelby, Shelby county, Ia. The route embraces an area of thirty-seven square miles, containing a population of 550.

Thousands will read your want ad, word for word, if run this week during the misspelled word contest.



Trouble Makes Southern Visit Imperative.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28-The condition of Secretary Hay remains unchanged. Con-trary to the expectation of his physician the secretary's bronchial trouble has not vielded readily to treatment and Mr. Hay probably will leave Washington early in January for Thomasville, Ga., for a visit, .03 inch es inch to Colonel Oliver Payne. The mild climate there has helped the secretary before, and it is hoped may again prove an effective Unless a decided and unexpected cure. change for the better in Mr. Hay's condition occurs within the next few days Mr. Loomis will officiate at the breakfast on New Year's day to the diplomatic corps at the residence of the secretary and Mrs. Hay. Mr. Loomis also will be present at the president's reception in the same capacity.





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coin & Beatrice electric line have been in this vicinity during the past week buying up the options on the right-of-way of the proposed road which were made last summer. It is positively stated that the

count of the frozen condition of the ground.

Tecumsch Hears Temperance Talks. TECUMSEH, Neb., Dec. 28.-(Special) series of temperance meetings were held in this city today, with Hon. Thomas Darnell of Lincoln as the speaker. Mr. Darnell is the attorney for the State Anti-Saloon league. This morning he spoke at the Prosbyterian church, this afternoon at

Two Small Robberies.

NORPOLK, Neb., Dec. 28.-(Special). Two small burglaries were effected Norfolk last night. The saloon of Wilmaha, clear lian) Berner was entered and 15 in nickels stolen, while thieves broke into the city Cheyenne, clear Salt Lake City, clear Rarid City, clear Huron, cloudy Williston, cloudy station of the Northwestern railroad and found \$1.95 in the cash drawer, which they

15 in pennies, For a Cold on the Lungs, and to prevent Pneumonia, take Piso's Cure. All drugglass, 25c.

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