

Calls Council Into Court.

Then it was that Attorney Rose, for the The members of the city council of purchaser, asked that the judges define Omaha have been cited to appear before what was being bought. The judges held the supreme court at its next sitting. Febthat the order of sale was sufficient to do ruary 16, and show cause why they should that and the bidder under the circumnot reconvene as a Board of Equalization stances refused to pay down the money. and hear protests against the low assess and the order was vacated. It is likely ment of railway property in Omaha. Leave that a new sale will be ordered, the to file a petition asking for the mandamus traction company asked that its bid for the was granted to George Morton, F. D. Wead property he accepted. and W. G. Ure of Omaha by the court this morning upon an application filed Saturday.

The petition filed stated that the council Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers of as a Board of Equalization had refused to the B. & M. finished the business of its hear arguments of the relators, though a first biennial session this morning. The showing was made to prove that they had | meeting was called yesterday morning at 9 evidence to prove that the rallroad prop- o'clock. erty in the city of Omaha instead of being The general board is composed of the

ed at its cash value, as was other chairman of each local board of the sevproperty in that city, had been assessed eral divisions of the order on the B. & M. upon one-half of 1 per cent of its value. It consists of the following members: The petition contains the figures returned George H. Moore of division 98, Lincoin: by the board and the figures showing the James Shields of 62, Wymore: S. G. Tlivaluation of the property as gathered by lett of Deadwood, 622, Alliance; C. T. Millithe relators after careful and thorough gan of Red Cloud, 41. McCook, and C. B. nvestigs tion. Godwin, 642, Sheridan, Wyo.

The relators in the case are members of the Omaha Real Estate exchange that that it is the first one of its kind in Linhas for some time been waging war on the coin since the great strike of 1888, when a nounced later. The Masons' lodge of this

Masons Will Bury Bliven's Body.

DAKOTA CITY, Neb., Feb. 2-(Special) -A telegram was received this morning by the secretary of Omadi lodge, No. 5, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, of this place, dated Albuquerque, N. M., February 1, stating that William A. Bliven had been killed by a train at that place on that day and asking what disposition to make of the body. A reply was sent, statng to hold the body for further instruc-

tions. Mr. Bliven was the eldest son of Curtis B. Bliven, pioneer resident of this ounty, who for several years past has resided in Sloux City, In. Last spring Mr. Bliven, who for about ten years past has been farming his father's farm, about five miles southwest of this place, disposed of

his personal property and retired from farm life, and since that time has been stopping with his parents in Sloux City. About two weeks ago he left for New Mexico looking for an investment. The deceased was unmarried and was about 34 years old. He is estimated to be worth about \$20,000. George Bilven of Sloux City, Hepburn to the chair and explained his a brother of the deceased has left for Al-

buquerque to accompany the remains home The meeting is memorable from the fact The interment will be in the Taylor ceme-

tery in this county, the date to be an-

the supreme court and in the course of his remarks said something which Supervisor Mead considered an imputation on his veracity, which Mr. Mend resented in forcible language. Mr. Boyd called Supervisor position. The resolution was placed.

Warm Time in County Board.

Hunter Accidentally Shot.

the penitentiary.

While but hunting in this county John or ninety days at the most."

lin made a treaty with the Indians reto the penitentiary and in a conversation garding these lands September 34, 1903. and this morning said that would probably take this treaty was signed by about threethe full thirty days, to give Biair every fourths of the adult Indians. Following opportunity to secure a new trial. His this an amended treaty was drawn up. attorneys have appealed to the supreme which a majority of the Indians refused to court and will make every effort to secure sign. Congress then declared the lands for Blair a new trial and keep him out of open regardless of the number of signers and the supreme court of the United States upheld the legislature in its action. "The government has decided to adopt FREMONT, Neb., Feb. 1-(Special.)the plan used in Oklahoma reservation, There was a rather exciting time for a and the privilege of securing a quarter few minutes at the meeting of the Board section shall be determined by lot and as of Supervisors this morning. Chairman there are 2,900 quarter Sections to be opened and about 50,000 people expecting Boyd introduced a resolution for the reconsideration of the allowance of a claim to draw you can easily determine the ratio of \$75 to G. G. Martin and \$75 to R. J. Stin as to success. One thing is certain, the on for extra services in the case of Rosebud reservation land is about the last good farming land to be opened to public Dodge county against Saunders county in settlement in the United States under the bomestead laws. The plan pursued for spects similar to that adopted at the open-

opening the reservation will be in all reing of the Klowa and Comanche lands three years ago, and the same officials who conducted that opening will be employed in this. It is now believed the proclamation of the president throwing the land open for PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Feb. 2-(Special.) settlement will be issued within sixty



much lower than the value of the property that it has become familiar history throughout the state. It is said the fight begun now will result in a test being made of the practice of the city assessor of Omaha being compelled to take the figures of the State Board of Equalization on the valuation of railroad terminals for assessment for valuation for city purposes.

Moves on Northwestern Trust.

Attorney General Prout this afternoon filed a petition in the supreme court asking that the corporation known as the orthwestern Trust company of Omaha be dissolved because it is doing an instalment and suggesting ways and means of fosterinvestment business without having socured a certificate from the Banking board of the state. Attention was called to this company some time ago by parties in Fremont and the petition filed today is the result

The Northwestern Trust company seils a "contract." so the petition states, which the order and the officials are reported to agrees to assist parties in buying homes. the terms of the contract the purchaser pays \$ for the certificate and for its registering he then pays \$4.50 a month." Of this sum \$2 goes to the home fund, 30 cents Ashton Man Accused of Attempt to goes to a reserve fund, to be deposited in a bank and drawn out according to the contract, and \$1.30 goes to pay the company for its trouble. The contracts shall mature in numerical order, when \$150 a month has been paid in by holders over Sheriff Williams left for Ashton this noon and above sums which are required to be with a warrant for the arrest of Robert neld on a contract of a lower serial numher or when \$2,000 has been paid in. The attempt to burn the elevator belonging to company then agrees to pay \$150 a month E. G. Taylor at Schaupp's Siding last Satfor twenty months to help out the pur- urday night. The attempt was by means chaser. to the company on what the company advanced for him \$15.50 a month until all is the candle used as a slow match bovered paid back. Should the purchaser fail to the fuse and it failed to burn. This is the keep up his payments or violate his con- same Robert Watks who was accused of tract J C. Miller of Hastings, by the burning the Ashton elevator last spring. terms of his contract, becomes his attor- but was acquitted on trial. ney, with power to sell the contract to

Novel Point in Murder Case.

Among the cases argued before the suyceme court today one of much interest was the Robinson murder case. The plaintiff was sentenced to a life term in the penitentiary by the McPherson county district court for murder in the first degree. He appealed to the supreme court and one of the contentions of his attorneys was that it was proven that the murder was committed in Arthur county and that the indictment was filed in McPherson county. The plaintiff held that the two counties

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Luikart this morning says that he is much

great body of the Burlington enginemen place, of which deceased was a went out and precipitated one of the will have charge of the funeral. fiercest battles between capital and labor in Wants Dempster for Delegate. the history of railroading. BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 2.-(Special)-The The meeting was called in conformity to the laws of the brotherhood to form a gen-Beatrice Roosevelt league held a largely

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Brotherhood Organizes on B. & M.

The general board of adjustment of the

sral board of adjustment for the proper attended meeting at the court house last supervision of matters of a general nature. night and endorsed C. B. Dempster, presi-In the formation of a general board dent of the Dempster Mill Manufacturing George H. Moore of Lincoln was elected company, for delegate to the republican permanent chairman and C. B. Godwin of Sheridan, Wyo., secretary. sional district. Brief addresses were made Following the organization of this gen-

by Samuel Rinsker, H. J. Dobbs and Mr. eral board the principal business was re-Dempster, all touching upon the fitness of viewing the conditions of the brotherhood Theodore Roosevelt for the presidency. Temporary Chairman M. B. Davis aning the goodwill of railroad officials, benounced the appointment of the following sides arranging for participation in the advisory committees from the First and coming convention of the international Third wards: First ward, L. A. Scroges, brotherhood, which is to be held in Los A. P. Sage, R. A. Phelps and W. J. Todd; Angeles in May of this year. Third ward, Harry Ford, B. F. Gurney, D. W. Carre and A. T. Milburn. A resolu-

Good cheer prevails in brotherhood circles on the B. & M. and the relations between tion endorsing C. B. Dempster for delegate to the convention was read and unanibe very gratifying. mously adopted.

CHARGES WATKE WITH ARSON

Burn an Elevator at Schaupp's Siding.

between this city and Nebraska City. LOUP CITY, Neb., Feb. 2-(Special.)-When the river froze over Til Sheldon, a In., look a team and started to cross the Watke of Ashton, who is charged with an main channel of the river to get one of the boats, which he thought he could use to advantage at home. When near the center of the channel the ice began to crack and The purchaser is then to pay of a fuse, which, however, failed to work, owing to the fact that the meited tailow of

Loses Hand to Feed Grinder.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Feb. 1-(Spe cial)-- R. Knox, an old and highly esteemed resident of Alda township, lost his left hand yesterday afternoon, the member bestood for some time that there would be ing caught in a feed grinder and literally a change at the close of this year and the ground off. The feeder had become choked up and Mr. Knox was pressing down the select the new man and they did so in a feed with his gloved hand. The glove bevery short time. While they decline to say came caught and pulled the hand in with it. who he was, it is understood County Su-It was half an hour before Mr. Knox could perintendent Charles Arnott was appointed. be relieved from his position. An effort is Mr. Arnott is a native of West Verginia. being made by the attending surgeon to save the thumb. The fingers and palm of Telephone Lines to Jain.

Destroys Saloon at Basectt.

the hand are gone.

wrong to a neighbor.

chance for recovery.

arrangements to connect with the Peters-NORPOLK, Neb., Feb. 1-(Special)-Imburg local company and as soon as the personating Carrie Nation, Mrs. J. Courtweather will permit the work of running ney visited a sploon at Baseett, Neb., with the line from Eigin to this place will be a hammer and smashed all of the giass in completed. This will give the patrons of the mirrors behind the bar, pounded the the local exchange communication with bottles into bits, rolled amber fluid and Eigin, Oakdale, Neligh and Tilden. Arliquors out upon the floor, poured beer rangements are also being made to coninto the cuspadores and scared the little nect with O'Neill, Cedar Rapida, Newman crowd of men who were standing up to drink until they trembled. Mrs. Courtney all about 700 'phones. has not yet been arrested.

Wisner Woman Kills Herself.

Luikhart Much Better.

NORFOLK, Neb., Feb. 2-(Special.)-A

better, resting comfortably and has every

NORFOLK, Neb., Feb. 2-(Special)-Mrs Districh Medricks committed suicide at Winner during the early morning by putting a rope around her neck in the barn was shot not a great distance from the and strangling. She has been despondent for the last few days over an imaginary of pigs, chickens or other prey,

PENDER, Neb., Feb. 1-(Special Tele gram.)-The funeral of Gosine Meierdiercks, builetin issued from the bedatide of G. A. wife of Diedrich Meierdiercks, residing twelve miles southwest of this place, took place at the Lutheran cemetery near Plum creek today. Mrs. Melerdistuks was found

Wade accidentally shot himself with an charge of shot entered his head just above

his right eye, penetrating his brain. At the time of the accident two other young men were with him and they were nearly a mile from the house. The unfortunate man was taken to a hospital in Lincoln where it was learned that three inches of the skull had been torn away. After dressnational convention from this congres- ing the wound the physician said the patient now has some chance of recovery.

Collecting Delinquent Taxes.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Feb. 1-(Special.)-For the first time since 1895 the county treasurer's office paid into the county an excess of fees, to the amount of \$215, all salary and clerk hire having been paid. Under the new law the time for the payment of delinquent personal taxes expired on Sunday and the treasurer issued 300 distress warrants today, placing them in the hands of the sheriff for collection.

Gage County Mortgages.

BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 2.-(Special.) PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Feb. 2.-(Special.) Following is the mortgage report for Gage -Last summer nearly all the boats formounty for the month of January: Number ing the Plattsmouth pontoon bridge broke of farm mortgages filed, thirty-one; amount, oose and went down the river. They lodged \$51,343; number of farm mortgages released on the various sand bars along the river hirty-one; amount, \$33,3%. Number of city mortgages filed, thirty-nine; amount, \$18,715; number of city mortgages released, thirtywell known farmer residing near Percival. two; amount, #28,144

Administrator for Harmer Estate. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Feb. 2-(Special.) -County Judge H. D. Travis has appointed Issac D. Harmer of Avoca administrator of the estate of Barton W. Harmer, placing his bond at \$116,500. The personal property is valued at \$100,000 and the real estate in Cass and Otos at \$45.000. There are four other heirs.

Smallpox Stamped Out.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Feb. 1-(Special.)-The last case of smallpox at Alda. seven miles west of this city, has been stamped out and the guarantine removed. The village and vicinity had quite a siege of the disease about four weeks ago, but board at once went into executive session to there were no severe cases,

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Telegram.)-Judge Carland of the United States court today denied a motion for a new trial in the case of Amelia E. Kirkland against the Northwestern railroad. The plaintiff, at a term of the United States ourt held at Aberdeen, was by a jury awarded damages in the sum of 100.000 against the company for the loss of her husband. The company will not take an appeal from the action of Judge Carland, out will settle the suit by paying the plaintiff the amount of damages awarded her.

Prospectors Hurry to Strike.

GRAND ENCAMPMENT, Wyo., Feb. 2-(Special.)-Prospectors are leaving here as rapidly as transportation facilities can be secured for the scene of the big copper strike near Battle Lake a few days ago. The discovery is believed to be a counterpart of the Ferris-Haggerty veln.

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Burned Bridge Delays Trains.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Feb. 2-(Special.)-The burning out of a small bridge at Markell, eighty miles west of here, last night delayed all passenger trains on the Union Pacific today. The fire was discovered in time to prevent any accident.

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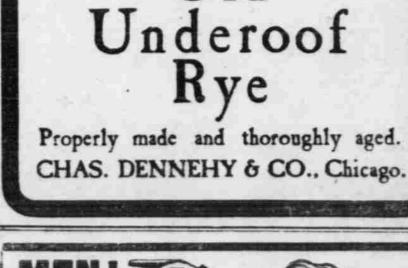
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Grove and other nearby towns, making in Kills Large Wolf. BEATRICE, Neb., 7vb. 1-(Special)-While hunting on the farm of A. T. Cole, adjoining this city, Fred Gouid killed a large wolf Saturday morning. The animal

PETERSBURG, Neb., Feb. 2-(Special.)-The Cedar Telephone company has made

barn, and it is supposed it was in search Woman Hangs Herself.

thinking that his life was of more value to him than the boat made haste to save himself and reached the shore in safety, while the team, wagon and harness went under the ica. Fremont Has New Superintendent. FREBONT, Neb., Feb. 1-(Special)-At a regular meeting of the School Board last evening Superintendent Laird formally notified the board that he would not be a candidate for re-election. It had been under-

Saves Life, but Loses Team.