

SEATS FOR LEGISLATORS

Secretary of State Marsh Conducts Drawing in Place of Old Method.

DOUGLAS MEN FARE WELL IN HOUSE

Superintendent of Hastings Inmate Asylum Makes a Good Showing in the Way of Reduction of Expenses.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Seats in the senate chamber and in the representative hall have been selected by lot conducted under the supervision of Secretary of State Marsh.

The senate chamber, first come first served, but this year the rule was changed because the old way gave the advantage to those representatives and senators who reached Lincoln early.

In the house, the Douglas delegation, beginning in the front row, has seats directly in front of the speaker, the best in the house. The men who go to make up this body will be seated as follows: Beginning on the north side and running south...

The legislators will occupy seats in the different rows in the order named. The suggestion made in The Bee that the legislature organize without a caucus has been received with favor.

Secretary of State-elect Galusha was here today, coming in from Omaha, where he had been to call on W. N. Huse of the Norfolk News, who is in a hospital there.

Friends of Senator Alden of Pierce county are making strenuous efforts to have him named for superintendent of the Norfolk asylum, now under course of construction.

Reports on Hastings Asylum.—The report of Dr. W. D. Kern, superintendent of the Hastings insane asylum, embracing the work of the institution for the last two years, filed with the governor, shows that many improvements have been made there.

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BILL TO AID NEW SETTLERS Supplemental Measure of Judge Kinkaid Liked at Well.

YORK, Neb., Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Considerable interest is taken in this locality in the new bill introduced by Congressman Kinkaid for the purpose of extending the time of settlers on homesteads from the middle of winter until the first of May next.

Banker Post May Retire.—YORK, Neb., Dec. 15.—(Special.)—For some time there has been a rumor there would be a change in one of the banks here the first of the year or thereabouts.

Scott Pleads Guilty.—NORFOLK, Neb., Dec. 15.—(Special.)—One blower from his first sent out from his shoulder after he had helped win the Nebraska state championship freeman's belt.

Rev. Johnson to Be Chaplain.—TECUMSEH, Neb., Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Rev. C. A. Johnson, D. D., of Tecumseh has received notice of his appointment as chaplain of the state penitentiary by Governor Douglas.

Young Couple Elopes.—PLATTSBOROUGH, Neb., Dec. 15.—(Special.)—A party of youngsters, while making an overland trip from southwestern Kansas to Mills county, Iowa, camped on this side of the Missouri River.

News of Nebraska.—SEWARD, Dec. 15.—Seward county has twenty-three students enrolled at the State Normal school.

Engineers Adjust Differences.—SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Dec. 15.—The engineers and firemen of the Santa Fe have adjusted their differences which threatened to cause a strike on the coast line of the railroad.

Princess Fushimi at Chicago.—CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Princess Fushimi of Japan was the guest of Acting Consul Komma at the Japanese consulate today.

Y. M. C. A. Building Plans.—The Young Men's Christian association's new building plans will be discussed tonight at the reception for George B. Hodges.

Butterfield, occur. Al Hales; watchman, Martin Bush; sentry, Lou Boss; manager, W. W. Wain; physicians, Drs. Morris Gandy and Marsh.

TABLE ROCK, Dec. 15.—Table Rock camp annual election of officers and directors held their election on Monday evening and chose the following officers: V. C. D. Andrews, president; Frank J. Shumard, banker, C. J. Wood, clerk, S. H. Dapp, secretary.

CRETE, Dec. 15.—The Saline County Medical society met here today, with a large attendance of members and friends.

HUMBOLDT, Dec. 15.—The fire at the normal college yesterday noon did not interrupt the work of a single class, although the school building was badly damaged.

OSCEOLA, Dec. 15.—The Ancient Order of United Workmen of Osceola have just held their annual election of officers and directors.

NEBRASKA CITY, Dec. 15.—Nickolls lodge No. 1, Ancient Order of United Workmen, held their annual election of officers and directors.

BEATRICE, Dec. 15.—The Beatrice Woman's Christian Temperance union held an important gathering at the home of Mrs. S. P. Lester.

GRAND ISLAND, Dec. 15.—Julia Burke, a minor, has filed suit in the district court against William J. Hynes and Richard McConn.

BEATRICE, Dec. 15.—The annual congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian church was held last night with a large attendance.

SEWARD, Dec. 15.—The Blue river in frozen over and Seward young people are enjoying a Christmas season.



Miss Nellie Holmes, treasurer of the Young Woman's Temperance Association of Buffalo, N. Y., strongly advises all suffering women to rely, as she did, upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Your medicine is indeed an ideal woman's medicine, and by far the best I know to restore lost health and strength. I suffered misery for several years, being troubled with menorrhagia. My back ached, I had bearing-down pains and frequent headaches.

Miss Irene Crosby, prominent in Social Life in East Savannah, Ga., adds her testimonial to the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"It always gives me pleasure to find an article of real value and unquestioned merit. I have found Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound well calculated to relieve and cure the various troubles arising from irregularities and menstrual pains.

Remember that every woman is cordially invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about her case or symptoms she does not understand.

PRINCE FUSHIMI AT CHICAGO

His Imperial Highness Will Pass Through Omaha Saturday Morning Enroute for Home. CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Princess Fushimi of Japan was the guest of Acting Consul Komma at the Japanese consulate today.

The Little Gift

Is often worth more than the gift of cost. It's the little token that carries with it a message from the heart and fills the day with gladness. Spread the little gifts around—they make warm spots like the bright red berries on the green holly bush. Remember everybody! And you can with holiday packages of Nabisco Sugar Wafers, the most acceptable little gift that well-wish ever conceived.

Advertisement for Ayer's Hair Vigor. Text: "We wish you would feel perfectly free to write the Doctor at any time. Ask him anything you wish to know about your hair. You will obtain the best medical advice free, and no one will see your letter but the Doctor." Includes an illustration of a woman's face.

Advertisement for Dr. J. C. Ayer, Lowell, Mass. Text: "Testimonials? We can furnish them by the thousand. Here is one: For over half a century Ayer's Hair Vigor has been sold in every civilized land on the face of the globe." Includes an illustration of a woman's face.

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