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missioners and they had, after first refusing to indorse H. R. 255, later instructed est took occasion to take a shot at Dodge particularly the bridge people, whose afof Douglas, who was absent, for stating on the floor of the house that the farmers were tax shirkers. It was because of this statement, he said, a number of farmers had voted against the county engineer

Every member in attendance talked of pending legislation, but not a single measure was indorsed, the meeting being on the informal order.

Those present were: Ernest, Cassell, Knox, Warner, Parker, Caldwell, Whiteham. Ward, Senator Laverty, Line, McLeod, Lahners, Luce, Junkin, Johnson and Peabody. The members expressed the belief that at the next meeting a much larger number would be in attendance.

Talks for Road Bill.

George B. Darr of Lexington, chairman of the legislative committee appointed at the meeting of the commercial clubs, recently held in Fremont, tonight with other members of the committee appeared before the senate committee on roads and spoke for the Griffin bill. This bill provides for the abolition of road districts and overseers and makes members of county boards road supervisors in their respective districts; provides that all poll taxes shall be paid in cash and that 50 per cent of the county general fund shall be devoted to the permanent improvement of roads and creates a county engineer to supervise the construction of bridges and draw plans for the same. This part of the bill does not apply to Lancaster and Douglas counties, there being a separate measure pending to provide these counties with engineers. This bill was indorsed by the Association of Commercial clubs, composed of twenty-four clubs, with a total of 5,000 members.

Harrington Has Rate Bill.

M. F. Harrington of O'Neill is the auther of the latest maximum freight bill. It was introduced in the house today by Bedford of Holt. In the matter of penalty the bill is more drastic than either the Caldwell maximum rate or the commodity rate bill. For the first violation of the act the bill prescribes a fine of from \$1,000 to \$5,000, for the second offense from \$5,000 to \$25,000 and for any offense subsequent to that a fine of \$25,000. The bill applies to every railroad in the state and provides that no rate shall be charged higher than those in effect January of the present

This bill says: This bill says:

The minimum weight of a carload of hogs within the meaning of this act is 15,000 pounds; the minimum weight of a carload of cattle within the meaning of this act is 15,000 pounds; the minimum weight of a carload of horses or mules is 20,000 pounds; the minimum weight on a carload of sheep is 10,000 pounds; the minimum weight of a carload of hay is 16,000 pounds; the minimum weight of a carload of flour or other mill stuffs is 24,000 pounds; the minimum weight of a carload of wheat, corn, cats, barley or other grain is 2,000 pounds less than the capacity of the car. Following are the rates based on carload lots:

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Ballroads Are Pleased. has been hinted the more rate bills that get in the better it will please the railroads, which go on the theory always that it is far easier to forestall legislation where there are several measures of the same general character than just one. However, the sentiment of the legislature, particularly the house, still appears to favor some such laws as are proposed in these bills and the belief seems to prevail that the railroads will be unable to reverse the current of affairs. A rumor is going the rounds that in order to make a last desperate effort the allied railroads have arranged a combination of lobbies with the

bridge people, the irrigation interests and

LINIMENT WAS EVER MADE THAT EQUALS ALL EMERGENCIES KILLS PAIN

said he had been before the county com- sievator concerns. This report is stoutly denied by the various interests involved. The railroad agents assert it is folly to him to vote for it. In this connection Ern- talk of their tying up with these interests,

> fairs and theirs are in no way common. ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS OF HOUSE

House Indefinitely Postpones Sales Law.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 27 .- (Special.)-The house convened at 3 p. m. A resolution of-fered last Thu: day by McMullen of Gage to fix the salary of the sergeantat-arms at \$4 a day for six days a week came up under the rules. Jackson of Antelope and Kaley of Webster opposed the resolution on the grounds that the statutes fixed the salary at \$3 a day. Lee spoke for the resolution, but said if it was in conflict with the law he would offer an amendment to insert \$3 for \$4 and allow pay for six days a week. Kaley seconded the amendment. It was carried and the vote on the resolution as amended stood 52 to 26.

The bulk sales bill, S. F. 48, by Gibson of Douglas, was indefinitely postponed by a vote of 46 to 25 after a hard fight. All the Douglas county members voted for the bill. Douglas of Rock, Andersen of Douglas and Gliem of Red Willow led in the debate for the bill and Wilson of Pawnes and Perry of Furnas against it. The argument of the opposition was that the bill contemplated class legislation.

At 4:20 p. m. the house adjourned. These bills were introduced in the house: H. R. 359, by Bartoo of Valley—To relieve persons from paying for newspapers, magazines and other publications in certain cases. Prevents collection of subscription on papers not ordered.

H. R. 350, by Bartoo of Valley—An act to require pharmacists to register every two years and to notify the board of change of location.

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H. R. 361, by McClay of Lincoln—An act in relation to the use of the flag of the United States. Prevents flag desecration.

H. R. 382, by Kyd of Gage—An act to prohibit pooling of grain dealers, partinerships, companies, corporations or associations of grain dealers.

H. R. 363, by Bolen of Butler—An act to amend section 55, chapter 43, entitled 'lisurance companies,' of the compiled statutes of Nebraska, 1903, providing for insuring grain and hay in stack.

H. R. 364, by Voter of Cedar—An act authorizing county courts to empower executors, administrators and guardians to mortgage real estate and to appoint an administrator for that purpose.

H. R. 385, by Hoare of Platte—An act for the relief of the First National Bank of Columbus, Neb. To appropriate \$379.14 as reimbursement of Warrick Saunders on Mexico railroad commission.

H. R. 365, by Clarke of Douglas—An act to define mortgages on real estate as real property and tangible property as anything which may be seized.

H. R. 367, by Clarke of Douglas—An act to create the revisite for a state bar association, to

which may be seized.

H. R. 367, by Clarke of Douglas—An act to provide for a state bar association, to examine applicants, consisting of four mem-

bers.

H. R. 368, by Clarke of Douglas—An act to require collectors of taxes and assessments to furnish on demand to a taxpayer or person against whom a tax or assessment has been levied a statement of such tax or assessment.

H. R. 369, by Lee—An act to provide for the consolidation of Omaha and South

SENATE PASSES NUMBER OF BILLS

Upper House of Legislature Does Big Day's Work. (From a Staff Correspondent,)

LINCOLN, Feb. 27 .- (Special.)-In the senate this afternoon Bresee of Sheridan introduced a bill prohibiting pawnbrokers from purchasing from wholesale houses any goods to be displayed and offered for sale or from selling or offering for sale any goods except those secured through the regular channel of the pawnbroker business. This is the material change from the pawnbroker shall sell any article until after twenty-four hours after he has resuch article in his possession. Senator Bresee said he introduced the bill in order to prevent pawnbrokers from hiding stolen its work? articles in a large stock of goods bought from wholesalers and to prevent pawnbrokers from carrying on any business ex-

cept the pawnbroker business. Hughes of Platte introduced a bill to regulate the observance of Memorial, or Decoration, day, May 10. Benator Hughes would make it unlawful and punishable by a fine of \$100 or a jail sontence of thirty days, or both, for any person to play ball or indulge in any sport on that day which would tend to disturb the peace. His bill,

Any person or persons who shall, on the 30th day of May, commonly known as Decoration day, engage in horse racing, ball playing or in any game or sport which may tend to disturb the public peace on the 30th day of May shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner and shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding 100 or by imprisonment for not more than thirty days, or both, in the discretion of the court.

The bill was introduced by request.

In the matter of passing bills the senate B. F. 232, reads:

In the matter of passing bills the senate was right to the front, the first to secure senatorial endorsement being the bill by Epperson to abolish the office of the state architect, Mockett, Harsh and Shreck be ing the only members opposing it. Each explained his vote, saying he believed such an office would save money for the state. These other bills were read a third time

S. F. 168, by Epperson of Clay-To repeal the law creating the office of state archi-8 F. 125 by Thomas of Douglas Defining the dependency and delinquency of chilthe dependency and delinquency of children.

S. F. 18, by Gibson—To define bribery of jurors and to fix punishment.

S. F. 18, by Thomas—To allow the Omaha Board of Education to elect a secretary for a term of three years.

S. F. 18, by Gibson—To provide punishment for a juror who accepts a bribe.

S. F. 40, by Beghtol—To prevent the overworking or formenting of animals.

S. F. 149, by Thomas—To allow county treasurer of Douglas county to pay into the school district fund money which had been paid for thitien of high school pupils.

S. F. 22, by Tucker—Providing for the laying of sidewalks in cities of the first class.

S. F. 41, by Saunders—Providing that

Bee, Feb. 27, 1905. corporations shall act as administrators, executors, etc.

S. F. 136, by Epperson—Providing for the appointment of referees.

S. F. 145, by Bresec—Providing that no divorce shall be granted unless the applicant shall have resided in the state for at least one year before making application.

S. F. 150, by Thomas—Making the punishment for daylight entry the same as night burglary.

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S. F. 148, by Bresse-Providing for the appointment of a commission to determine the matter of vacating or altering a road which crosses a bridge over a stream forming a county boundary line.

S. F. 28, by Fries-Providing for the organization of irrigation districts.

H. R. 55 was read a third time and the secretary proceeded with the roil call. secretary proceeded with the roll call Harsh asked that the bill be explained Jackson started to explain, but was ruled out of order. Haller objected to any business intervening between the reading of the bill and the vote. Sheldon moved that the vote be suspended and the bill passed over the records to show that it had not

been read a third time. Mockett held the proceedings were clearly unconstitutional and that the bill would be worthless unless the vote was aken. At this juncture Wilsey moved an adjournment, but the president refused to entertain it.

Epperson moved the bill be recommitted for specific amendment. This carried. bill provides that insurance panies shall deposit a minimum of \$100,000 securities with the state auditor. H. R. 102, appropriating \$3,000 for construction of a fish pond at South Bend, was

H. R. 31, paying a bounty for killing wild animais, was recommitted. S. F. 145, by Vore, to require book agents

to take out a license, was killed. These bills were read a first time: S. F. 225, by Bresee, to regulate pawn shops.

8. F. 226, by Good, allowing incorporators to

S. F. 226, by Good, allowing incorporators of building and loan associations each to own not more than \$5,000 worth of stock.

S. F. 227, by the revenue committee, providing that agents or others employed by a firm or corporation must make returns of property to assessors under oath.

S. F. 228, by revenue committee, fixing a schedule of charges for filing of protests with a Board of Equalization.

S. F. 229, by Sheidon, to fix the number of employes of the senate. Under the bill the employes are as follows: One president; a secretary; two assistant secreof employes of the senate. Under the bill the employes are as follows: One president; a secretary; two assistant secretaries; one clerk committee of the whole; one chapism; one sergeant-at-arms; one assistant; one postmaster; one mail carrier; one bill clerk; one messenger; one night watch; one custodian; one custodian cloak room; eight stenographers; one clerk to lieutenant governor; one legislative clerk; seven copyists; three pages; one clerk judiciary committee; one clerk finance committee; four other clerks and three janitors.

S. F. 230, by Sheldon, providing for the filing of petitions when it is desired to decrease the width of a road.

S. F. 231, by Shreck, allowing insurance companies to invest in stock of companies organized in other states.

S. F. 232, by Hughes, to regulate the observance of Decoration day.

CLAIMS BILL READY FOR REPORT Carries Little More than Half Amount sof Two Years Ago. (From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Feb. 27. (Special.)-The claims oill will be ready for introduction in the house tomorrow, the last day for ordinary introduction of bills. The committee was kept busy until the last minute tonight completing the bill. It carries a total appropriation of \$38,000, as compared with \$62, 000 two years ago. Two years ago the wolf bounty alone, \$40,000, exceeded the total of the bill this year. The largest item this year is \$10,000, for the relief of T. P. Kennard. The committee was still wrestling tonight with the claim of State Architect Tyler, \$2,000 or \$3,000 of which it once had been determined to cut out, but he was given a new consideration.

Chairman Detrick of the committee said that on a written opinion from the attorney general the committee reached a decision on the claim of Sheriff Power of Douglas county for the keeping of state prisoners. If the prisoners were ker days the sheriff will be allowed 75 cents a day straight and if more than six days 50 cents straight. Most of the prisoners, the committee finds, had been kept at the county jail thirty days. The sheriff, through his attorney, E. P. Smith, contended that the original law of 1868 fixed the rate at 75 cents a day and that he had been paying out the money from his own pocket. He said he would lose between \$300 and \$400 if his claim was cut from 75 cents

Thompson, Livengood and Barton were appointed to make a thorough investigation of the case of State Architect Tyler, the affairs and accounts of his office and summon witnesses, and if witnesses refuse or hesitate to attend the meetings the committee will secure the adoption by the Omaha.

H. R. 370, by Knox of Buffalo—An act to require assessors to furnish copies of schedules on application.

H. R. 371, by Bedford of Hall—An act to regulate railroads, to fix reasonable maximum rates to be charged for transportation of freight.

H. R. 372, by McLeod of Stanton—An act to allow persons to catch trout in all seasons for family use only in private streams.

house of a resolution forcing them to respond to the summons. There is little or no likelihood that the claim of the state architect for his stenographer and additional draughtsman will be allowed. It is as good as rejected now.

The bill introduced in the house by Doran of Garfield to fix a rate of speed for tracket trains of sixteen miles and compel house of a resolution forcing them to re-

freight trains of sixteen miles and compel he railroads to issue stock passes to shippers was reported back from the railroad committee today for indefinite postponement, and the house in committee of the whole adapted the report. The report of the committee came in several days ago, but in deference to Doran, who was not present, the house laid the bill over. Doran was not present today and it was decided to delay action no longer.

The Norfolk asylum investigation committee, appointed on a resolution by Jones present law: The bill also privides that no of Polk, fusionist, and of which Jones is chairman, has made no report nor finished its mission, so the members say At presported to the chief of police that he has ent the committee seems to be peacefully resting and the question is being asked, Does it mean to proceed any further with

> The following amendment to the Omaha city charter bill was adopted by two-thirds of the Douglas delegation this morning, it having been agreed on motion of Clarke some days ago that every step in the formation of this bill should be taken finally by a vote of two-thirds of the members, but when it came to the adoption of this provision Clarke and Saunders revolted on their own proposition:

Section 7669—The city clerk shall during the month of June of each year advertise for proposals for publishing in some news-paper, printed in the English language and published in the city, all public advertise-ments, notices and ordinances on account

GROWING UP

There's something the matter with the child that fails to grow up. A child that grows up too much, however, without proper filling out of flesh, is almost as badly off. Nothing will help these pale, thin "weedy" children like Scott's Emulsion. It supplies the rounding out of flesh and the rich inward nourishment of blood and vital organs which insures rapid growth a healthy and uniform developof the city, for the period of one year

of the city, for the period of one year and until another contract has been negotiated. Such daily paper must have been published continuously for at least five years immediately preceding the time of making the bid and must have had at least 5,000 paying carrier delivery subscribers in said city during at least one year and immediately preceding the time of making the bid. All bids shall be directed to the city clerk and shall be presented to the council at its first meeting in July. The lowest and best bidder (taking into consideration the relative circulation in such newspaper in said city), shall be awarded such contract designating it the official newspaper of said city. In such contract it shall be stipulated that copies of the newspaper shall regularly be left at the office of the mayor and city cierk as ordinarily distributed to resular subscribers.

Provided, that all notices required to be

lar subscribers.

Provided, that all notices required to be advertised relating to registration of voters, the holding of elections, the sittings of boards of equalization, the exercise of eminent domain, the letting of contracts for public improvements and the selling of bonds shall be published in two daily newspapers, the second newspaper likewise to be designated by the city council, provided further that the prices for such advertising shall in no case exceed the lowest rate charged for such advertising in such paper.

Representative McMullen of Gage will in troduce in the house tomorrow a bill em powering cities of more than 5,000 people make their own charters, taking and thus avoiding either continual failure of getting charters or a great deal of confusion, which interferes with other legis lation. The bill, of course, is a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the con

Sheldon of Cass introduced in the senate today two measures affecting railroads. One provides that the governor, attorney general and auditor shall constitute a railroad ommission to regulate freight rates and pass on grievances, while the other prolibits the acceptance of passes by state officers, members of the judiciary and members of the legislature.

Fight returns by special wire at McVittie's moke house tonight.

OYSTERS DROP OFF IN PRICE Return of Open Water Sends Prices Backward from Their Recent High Notches.

Once more a fair supply of oysters is had In the local market and as a result a sharp decline in prices has taken place. Bulk standards have been reduced from \$1.75 at wholesale to \$1.40; extra selects from \$2 to \$1.75, and New York counts from \$2 to be got at after the firemen had hewed

For some time local jobbers have not been able to get anywhere near enough stock to fill the requirements of their trade, even at the high prices ruling, but it is thought that from now on the supply will be am-According to reports from the east the boats are now able to make their way through the ice, so that the catch will in all probability soon be of normal propor-There may be storms during the month of March which will temporarily interfere with operations, but it is not to be expected that there will be any lengthy delays.

Omaha dealers are anticipating a heavy demand as soon as the reduction in prices becomes generally known, as oysters have been so scarce for the last month that the majority of people have not been able to satisfy their oyster taste.

The egg market is still attracting considerable attention. It was generally supposed that this warm, weather would bring a large supply but in that local dealers have been disappointed. As a result the market has reacted and fresh stock is now selling at wholesale for 26 cents and sometimes for a trifle more than that,

MATTERS BEFORE PARK BOARD Road Rollers and Golf Links Get ation at the Monthly

Meeting.

Members of the Park board at the regular monthly meeting yesterday discussed the advisability of buying a steam road roller and having the department do its own paving, macadamizing and grading instead of letting the work by contract. Every commissioner present, Cornish, Gonden, Craig and Mills, expressed the opinion that the new plan should be given a trial. Part of the meeting was given over to the inspection of road roller catalogues, the board is disposed to go slow about the matter, and it may be a month or two befor a roller is decided upon and purchased, and something depends upon the price at which a suitable machine can be obtained. Messrs. Foster and Hohl, representing the Field club, asked the assistance of the board in laying out its new golf course and adjacent ground. They were told that the board had no power to do this, but that Superintendent Adams in his private capacity as landscape gardener. Mr. Hohl golf course in Miller. Elmwood or Fontanelle park, and the commissioners seemed to view the project with favor.

It was decided to advertise for bids to be

CITY PAVING PLANT ORDER Advisory Board Gets Word that Con

tract as Altered is Accepted by Contractor.

At the meeting of the Advisory board yeserday City Engineer Rosewater announced that the Star machine works of Indian apolis had assented to the alterations desired by the city in the bond and contract for the municipal asphalt plant, and he had wired them to sign and forward the documents to Omaha without delay, together with plans for the plant.

Contractor Carter's acceptance of onditions made by the city for the acceptance of the Eleventh and Jackson street engine house was received and placed

The appraisers appointed to determine the damage in extending Bemis park on the ng street reported that the amount would be \$13,475. Several houses have to be removed from the lots. The report was approved and ordered forwarded to the

NOT BUILT FOR A THEATER Schlitz Roof Garden is Not Intended for the Dime Vaudeville

Building Inspector Withnell says that alhough he has informed President Meliander of the 10-cent theater syndicate that th Schlitz roof garden cannot be remodeled nto a theater, that Mr. Meliander has proceeded with negotiations directed to mak-ing such a contract. The matter is now pefore the Schlitz people in Milwaukee.

"There is no way that the old garden at Sixteenth and Harney streets can possibly be made into a theater complying with he ordinances regulating theaters except by the practical reconstruction of the whole uilding," says the inspector. "I have so nformed Mr. Meliander, but he seems determined to go ahead and make the contract if he can. Provided he is successful, his further efforts may meet with unexpected, but firm, opposition,"

Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for signature of E. W. Grove. Mr

CHURCH FLOOR COLLAPSES

Eleven Persens Killed and Fifty Injured by Accident in Brooklyn.

BEAMS AND SUPPORTS ARE DECAYED

Panie Occurs Among Part of Audience Not in Danger and Many Jump from Windows-All Victims Colored.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.-Thirteen persons were killed and upwards of fifty injured some probably fatally, by the collapse o the flooring of the Fleet Street African Methodist Episcopal church in Brooklyn tonight. Of those killed ten were women two men and one child.

The building was an ancient ramshackle frame structure, erected sixty years ago, in the heart of the colored section of Brooklyn, in Fleet street near Myrtle avenue Arrangements had been made tonight to matter out of the hands of the legislature | hold funeral services of Sydney Tainter, one of the older members of the church, and ceptor; W. T. Burke, second sub-preceptor the auditorium, which is on the second floor of the building, the ground floor being used J. Mercer, marshal. The music, which was by the Sunday school, was crowded with an audience of upwards of 300 persons, of ular Masonic choir. The service was given whom the majority were women

Half the Floor Falls. The congregation was waiting in silence

for the arrival of the body and Pastor Jacobs was standing at the altar awaiting the summons to meet the funeral procession at the door when a splintering of timbers was heard and in an instant the half of the auditorium nearest the door collapsed, carrying down more than a hundred persons who were crushed in the wreckage of the flooring and pews. A great volume of dust for a few moments hid the rictims. The remainder of the audience finding themselves cut off from the door and expecting every instant that the resi of the floor would collapse under them fought madly to reach the windows and in some instances leaped from them and sustained serious injuries.

On the arrival of the police and firemer the work of rescue began. Those remaining uninjured on the portion of the floor remaining intact were taken from the windows by ladders. Those lying in the mass of wreckage on the lower floor could only their way to them with axes. Out of the wreck ten bodies were recovered and taken to a station house and about thirty 'nfured were removed to the Procklyn hospital, where three women died. All the ambulances in Brooklyn were called out, and about a score of those hurt were able to go home after their injuries had been

List of the Victims. Heartrending scenes were witnessed the station house, which was thronged with relatives and friends. Those killed were

BERTHA GREEN.
TERESA ELLIS.
BAMUEL CHISHOLM.
ANNA BEAN.
ANNA SULLIVAN.
LOUISA SMITH.
MARY SCOTT.
TWO UNIDENTIFIED WOMEN.
ONE UNIDENTIFIED CHILD.
ONE UNIDENTIFIED MAN.

The cause of the collapse was the deeaved condition of the beams and supports of the flooring.

After examining the bodies, Coroner Flaherty pronounced death in nearly every case to have resulted from suffocation caused by the victims being piled on top of each other in a mass several feet deep. The coroner said that the church was condemned as unsafe several years ago, and that he intended to prosecute a thorough inquiry to fix the responsibility for the dis-

YOUNG WOMAN TAKES OWN LIFE Despondent Over Ill Health and Swallows Fatal Dose of

Carbolic Acid,

Lillian Firth, 20 years old, committed suicide at the home of her sister, Mrs. Finefield, 512 William street, by taking carbolic acid. The girl has been an invalid for the last two years and it is thought she became despondent because of

Lately Lillian seemed to be improving in health and accepted a position at the Model laundry, where she has been working for the last four weeks. The work was more than she was able to endure and Monday she did not go to work. She stayed about the house all day and seemed to be in the very best of spirits. Some friends came to spend the evening and about 8 o'clock Lillian excused herself, saving she undoubtedly help could be secured from was tired and was going to bed. A short time afterwards they heard her groaning and thinking she was having a nightmare also spoke a few words favoring a public Mrs. Finefield went to her room to awaken her. Upon opening the door of her room she saw a bottle and a glass lying upon the floor near her. Picking up the bottle she saw that it had contained carbolic acid. opened at a special meeting March 11, for Drs. Wigton and Kennedy were at once the refreshment privileges at Riverview summoned and did all that could be done to save the life of the young woman, but their efforts were in vain, as she died a few hours later. She was the daughter of Joseph Firth, who lives at 505 South Thirty-third street. The body was taken in charge by the coroner.

GIRL IS RUN DOWN BY AUTO Broken and She Other Injuries as a Result.

Marion Hanrahan, the 6-year-old daughter of M. J. Hanrahan, who lives at 2016 Castellar street, was struck and run over by an automobile. The machine is owned by Ber Schneider and was driven by John Mitchell The accident occurred at the corner of Six teenth and Castellar streets at about 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Marion was on her way home from school and was crossing Sixteenth street on Castellar when the automobile struck her, throwing her to southeast corner to Thirty-third and Cum- the ground, breaking her right leg below the knee, cutting a gash across the face and nose and bruising her forehead.

The automobile was coming down Six teenth street at a high rate of speed and either the little girl did not see it or eise thought she could cross in front of it. As soon as the accident occurred Bert Schneider, who was riding in the machine, jumped

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from the car and ran to the assistance of the little girl and had her taken to the house of a friend, living at 235 South Sixteenth street, and had medical nid summoned. Dr. Elizabeth Lymans and Dr. Kennedy were called and relieved the sufferings of the little girl as much as possible Marton Hanrahan was then takenato the home of her parents in the police am bulance, where the broken limb was set.

MIDNIGHT SERVICE IS HELD Knights Kadosh Pay Last Tribute to Memory of Robert W. Dyball.

The solemn midnight services of the

Knights of Kadosh were held last night in Masonic temple in honor of the late Councilman Robert W. Dyball. The assemblage, composed of relatives, brother knights, city officers, friends and acquaintances, including the members of Clan Gordon in regalia exhausted the possible seating capacity of the large lodge room. The ceremony began about 10:30 and lasted nearly to midnight comprising the prescribed ritual. The prin cipal officers in charge were W. A. Sum mers, preceptor; John Stein, first sub-pre Rev. Luther N. Kuhns, chaplain, and John beautifully rendered, was given by the reg with full elaboration and was strikingly im pressive. Candles held by the black-robed knights, who surrounded the bler contain ing all that was mortal of the late councilman, afforded the only light, making the words and forms of the ritual inexpressibly solemn and tender. After it was concluded the body lay in state for a time and was riewed by many of those who attended. The funeral services will be held today at o'clock at the residence, 2510 Poppleton venue, and will be in charge of St. John's

HOTEL CLERKS' ASSOCIATION Meeting of Local and State Bodles Last Night Devoted to Routine Business.

lodge of the Masons.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the maha Hotel Clerks' association was held last night at the Her Grand hotel, jointly with the Nebraska State Hotel Clerks' association. The meeting was well attended and its general purpose was to further consider the constitution of the state association. Already fifteen cities and towns in the state are associated in the organiza-

Associated with the Omaha association are the hotel clerks of several of the Counell Bluffs and South Omaha hotels, and cil Bluffs and South Omaha hotels, and about all of the Omaha hotels are represented in the organization. It is yet in its infancy, but is making a very encouraging growth as its purposes become known to the hotel men of the state. Inquiries have been made of the local association from other states as to the scope of its work and asking to co-operate with it with a view to making a national organization. Only ro ne business was transacted at the meeting last night. The executive committee was instructed to correspond with every hotel in the state and seek to have every hotel in the state and seek to have each hotel co-operate in the enterprise in order to increase the efficiency of the organization and make it mutually beneficial to the entire hostlery of Nebraska.

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Pressmen's Union Dance. Omaha Printing Pressmen's union No. 22 gave its sixth annual hall last evening at Chambers' academy. The dance was a most pleasant affair and everybody present reports having had a good time. There were about 150 couple present.

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Special revival services will be held in the
Free Methodist church 1737 South Eleventh
street, beginning Monday February 27, and
continuing every night. Rev. E. Hatfield
the pastor will have charge.

L. H. Robinson, a colored man of Omaha,
was arrested last evening on a charge of
statutory assault. Ethel Camper. a 17year-old colored girl of Hastings, was arrested and held as complaining witness.
The two parties were arrested in a rooming
house at Twelfth and Dodge streets on a
complaint made to the police by her
brother.

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onths ago for the best farm in the state of Arkansas. I can give proof and reference of the wonderful cure to all who are afflicted as I was. Please publish my letter that I may advise the afflicted." W. E. Wallis, Piggot, Ark., Box 26.

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