GRAND JURY WILL BE CALLED

Body Decided on by District Judges, Who Fix Schedule.

SUTTON TAKES THE CRIMINAL BENCH

Jury Dockets Will Be Handled by Estelle, Sears and Reddick, and Kennedy and Day Take Equity.

At their annual meeting on the morning of January 1 the seven judges of the district court resolved to call a grand jury in Douglas county to report on the first day of the May term, which will begin on

Judge Sutton will take the criminal docket for the ensuing year. He also will be the presiding judge of the juvenile court, with Judges Redick and Estelle as

assistants. Jury dockets will be handled by Judges Estelle, Sears and Redick. Judge Sears has heretofore had one of the equity dockets as has Judge Sutton. They will change places with Judges Kennedy and Day, respectively. There will be the same number of equity dockets as heretofore. The terms of court will be as follows: Douglas county, February 5, May 7 and

Burt county, March 12, October 1; Judge Kennedy.

Sarpy county, February 19, September 17; Judge Day. Washington county, March 26, October

22; Judge Troup. In accordance with the statute the judges appointed the following gentlemen as members of the South Omaha Park board, to serve for three years: E. R. Leigh, J. H. Van Dusen, John F. Schultz, A. L. Hunter

and M. G. Mewins. Dr. George F. Tilden and Attorney Charles Elgulter were reappointed as commissioners of insanity for Douglas county. Clerk of Courts Broadwell is the third

member of the commission. Section 4 of rule 5 was amended to read as follows: "Any case may be transferred to another docket with the consent of the two judges whose dockets are involved in the transfer."

The resignation of D. M. Haverly as assistant probation officer was accepted. His successor will be named at a meeting of the judges to be held Thursday morn-

PLANS FOR HYDE LECTURE

Committees Are Appointed to Promote Interest of Gaelie League President's Visit.

Messrs. John Rush, C. J. Smyth, P. C. Heafey, Con Sheehan and D. J. O'Donahoe, constituting the subcommittee of the general executive on the Dr. Douglas Hyde lecture, met Monday morning at the office of Smyth & Smith and named the following committees to have charge of the various details: Hall-P. C. Heafey, D. J. Donahoe, T. J.

Fitzmorris. Printing and Tickets - P. O'Malley Thomas F. Dunn, Con Sheehan, Daniel Stafford and George Holmes. Advertising-T. J. Fitzmorris, Dr. Mc

Crann and Dan J. Riley. Subscriptions-T. J. Mahoney, John O'Hern, C. J. Smyth, P. C. Heafey, John Power, D. J. O'Brien, George Parke, Richard O'Keefe, Joseph Hayden and John J.

The committee desires to have it understood that Dr. Hyde, who is president of the Gaelic League of Ireland, does not for his services in the cause of the Gaelic revival and pays his own expenses. Irishmen in America, how ever, who sympathize with his great work are raising a fund to be used for its advancement. The literature, the language, the arts and the general culture of ancient Ireland are even now experiencing a wonderful rejuvenation under the impetus of the work of Dr. Hyde and his associates.

"There is nothing of the dreamy or the impractical in the plans of the Gaelic league," said C. J. Smyth, "Dr. Hyde and the other men at the head of the movement are moving along practical lines. To get the best development of their plans funds are of course necessary. So it is the intention here, as elsewhere, to appeal to those among the Irish people who are most fortunately situated as to this world's goods to contribute to the fund. Dr. Hyde himself gives his valuable time and his great talents free.

HEZEKIAH STARTS OUT GOOD Kansas Citizen Pays Two Dollars for Piece of Paper with Writing

on It.

Hezekiah Jones of Cancy, Kan., received quite a setback in Omaha Sunday afternoon, when he paid \$2 to a stranger for an order on the ticket agent at the Webster Street station, the order to be exchanged for a first-class ticket to Alexandria, Cal. For many years Jones yearned to bask in the sunshine of that dear old California, and when he reached Omaha he believed he was grasping his opportunity when be allowed a stranger to grasp his \$2 for a worthless order.

Charles E. Brink of 602 North Seventeenth street was arrested by Detectives Patullo and Horne on the charge of being a suspicious character. Jones identified Brink as the man who received the \$2.

Gus Volumis reported to the police he paid \$2 to a stranger for an order which

read;
To whom it may concern: Please carry bearer of this message to any destination of this road, providing he has the price. Yours truly,

HARRY BARBER,
G. B. M. R. R.

After reading the order over several times Volumis rushed into the police station and confided his suspicions to the police captain in charge. Harry Barber was arrested on the charge of having swindled

FROM LINKS TO PREACHING

Fred Bartach, Former Golf Expert. Now Exhorter in Volunteers of America.

Fred Bartsch, former golf expert and instructor at the Omaha Country club and brother of the crack bowler who was in Omaha during the holidays with the champlon Gunthers, was in the city last week in a different capacity from his last appearance in the city. Since leaving Omaha Bartsch has joined the Volunteers of America and is going around the country seeking recruits for this organization. During his visit to Omaha Bartsch called upon many of his old friends and told them of the new life he was leading and how he enjoyed working for the betterment of mankind. and talked to several to induce them to take up the work of the Volunteers.

Queer Sensations

in stomach, back or bowels, are signs of certain dangers, which Electric Bitters are guaranteed to cure. 50 cents. For sale by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co.

Deaf Man Killed by Train. WATERLOO, Ia., Jan. 1.—Samuel Husted, a prominent citizen, was killed by an Illinois Central train today. He was deaf and did not hear the train. He was a brother of Judge Husted of Dubuque.



Tuesday we inaugurate the greatest linen sale in the history of the west. For months we have planned this sale and Brandeis' immense purchasing power and our close touch with foreign markets have enabled us to sieze many wonderful bargains for this event. Hundreds of Omaha housekeepers who have been watching for this sale will be delighted with the great values. More handsome linens than ever shown in a sale in the west.

PATTERN TABLE CLOTHS

UNHEARD OF VALUES FOR TUESDAY—EVERY HOUSEKEEPER SHOULD SEE THESE CLOTHS.

Double Satin Damask Cloths, 3, 3 1/2 and 4 yards long and 21/2 yards wide-actual value \$20.00-January sale price, each..... \$12.00 and \$15.00 Napkins to match cloths, a dozen,

assorted lot of 21/2, 3, 31/2 and 4 yards Double Satin Damask Pat tern Table Cloths that are worth up to \$15.00—January sale price, each..... 2.98-3.98-4.98

Napkins to match all cloths at January sale prices.

Four Extraordinary Bargains in Bleached @ Silver Bleached TABLE DAMASK

Fifty pieces of 2 yards wide fine soft finished Bleached Table Damask made by the celebrated A. E. Stiller & Son, Seifendorf, Germany, and sold everywhere at \$1.25-January sale price, yard...... All the Table Damasks in differ- | The 50c and 60c qualities Table Damask in bleached and silver bleached ent widths that were 75c and 85c — January sale price, yard. 48c -Jan. sale price, yd.

Damask, value 35c-January sale price, BED SPREADS We offer 2,000 fine Marseilles and Satin Marseilles Bed Spreads at a fruction of the second state of the second seco value. An enormous purchase from a celebrated factory at practically our own price enables up to offer Tuesday \$3.00, 1.98 \$4.00 and \$5.00 Marseilles Spreads, at,

One lot of cream and bleached heavy weight Table

each........

All the fancy linen pieces, doilies, tray cloths, lunch cloths, scarfs, squares, centerpieces, etc., at January sale prices.

Special Basement Bargains Tuesday

lew spring ginghams in mill

Extra heavy quality of full bleached muslin, a well known brand that usually sells at 10c-per yard...... 5c Extra heavy quality of unbleached muslin, usually sells at 71/2 per yard, goes at, per

Extra heavy unbleached sheeting, 21/4 yards wide, usually sells

Clearing Away Our Fine Dress Goods at The Most Marvelous Prices \$3 Imported Dress Goods 50c Yd.

3,000 yards of fine goods on big double bargain square, cloths for coats, fine stuffs for skirts, rich dress goods for entire costumes-silk and wool crepes, voiles, eolienes, worsteds, Scotch and English Suitings-black and all colors. These elegant fabrics are much superior

to the usual fine dress goods, being exclusive importations. Have been selling everywhere at \$2.50 and \$3 a yard, Tuesday, a yard......

TUESDAY-EXTRA BARGAINS in SALE of

Thousands of yards of beautiful new crisp embroideries, dainty patterns of cambrics and nainsooks-many corset cover embroideries $3\frac{1}{2}c-7\frac{1}{2}c-15c$ and flouncings, at,

yard..... LACES-Torchons, Normandy Vals, etc., at, yard, 3c and 5c

BIG SILK SAI

The greatest silk bargain of the whole season. Thousands of yards of high class silks-neat shirt waist silks, pretty foulards in new designs-plaids, plain and changable taffetas, messalines, waist and dress silks-actually worth up to \$1.50 a yard, at yard..... Have you seen them in the window?

BRANDEIN

Heat-electric light-janitor service -all night and Sunday elevator service—a fire proof building—all cost the tenant of The Bee Building nothing extra.

Bennett Company

We wish customers, friends, employes and everybody

A Happy and Prosperous **NEW YEAR**

Great Annual Stock Reducing Sales

Begins Tuesday Morning.

PRICES MERCILESSLY CUT.

BERKA FREES ALL AND QUITS

Police Judge Discharges Prisoners

and Leaves Beach for Bryce

Crawford.

Police Judge Berka was just twenty sec

New Year's morning. A bunch of twenty

netty offenders was lined up before the

judge. After turning his rubber stamp se

the impression would read "Junuary 1, 1906,"

when placed face downwards on a piece of

paper, and then throwing the 1905 calendar

in the wastebasket, the judge addressed the

Rising to his magisterial height, the judge

said: "This being the first day of the year

nineteen hundred and six, I am going to

discharge all of you. I hope you will star

the new year right. Be good and you wil

have money and better clothes. You may

Everyone smiled but Boston Green, who

was hiding his diminutive form behind the

taller prisoners, as a few weeks ago he was discharged on the promise he would so con

duct himself as to not be brought up in

police court during the wantng days of

Judge Berka's term, which will end next

Wednesday morning. So, when Boston

Green found himself before Judge Berka on

New Year's morning, after what he had

promised the magistrate, there arose in the

neart of Mr. Green a feeling of contrition

and shame-so much so that he hid behind

the other prisoners and rode to freedor

Judge Berka's official term expired with

the last of the year, yet he will guide the

ship of state at the people's bar for a few

days until Judge-elect Crawford shall hav

PHONE EXCHANGE NOT READY

Harney Station of the Nebraska Com-

pany Will Be Opened About

"The exact date of the opening of the

new Harney telephone exchange is uncer

tain," said General Manager Lane of the

Nebraska Telephone company. "Approx

imately it will be February 1. The build

ing has been finished and practically all

the equipment installed, but the task of

arranging the wires and subscribers so as

exchange is one requiring time and much

"The Harney station will start off with

about 3.600 instruments to be operated by

a force of about forty employes. All num-

bers handled by it direct will have the

prefix 'Harney,' the others will have the

prefix 'Douglas.' Any telephone instrument

that the new branch exchange will better

SOOTHING SYRUP

the service all around."

MRS. WINSLOW'S

to get the best results out of the branch

with the rank and file.

become acquainted a little.

care.

all go now. Happy New Year."

gathering of expectant ones before him.

TOAST TO OLD YEAR MEROES

Oldest Inhabitant and Careful Observer Drink Cereal Coffee to Their Idols.

HEROINES GET IN THE FELICITATIONS

the Judgment of These Saplen. Souls Real Heroism is to Be Found in the Ranks.

"Here's to the heroes of the year just closed," was the toast offered by the Careful Observer yesterday afternoon when he and the Oldest Inhabitant sat on stools in a dairy lunchroom and drank cups of cereal

"While wandering around town reading incle Sam's billboard advertisements for male help wanted in the navy, I have been thinking that thousands of last year's heroes 'were born to blush unseen,' yet did not waste the fragrance of their deeds on desert air. I do not have in mind the heroes who, night after night, received passing plaudits for mimic deeds, but real flesh and blood heroes who have fought the battles of life for themselves and loved ones, without a whine or whimper, without thought of reward or to be placed on the free list. The submerged majority of heroes are those who plod through the slough of despond with a stiff upper lip, believing hopefully that beyond the pale of present ills and misfortunes are green pastures, flowing brooks and good fishing,

continued the Careful Observer. Limelight Not Essential. "It has long been my belief that the name of hero is not necessarily synonymous with valiant deeds on the bloody field of battle, the risking of life or limb ous ways on land or sea for that of another, or the tossing of a recalcitrant gasoline stove from a top-story window; all of which are, however, deeds of bravery, yet easily overestimated. To those who

have figured in such acts of heroism during the last year, I doff my hat and say, Bravo! yet I believe there were more who lived the lives of heroes every day and for whom the Master will have a special blessing when the great roll shall be called up yon. To the latter I not only doff my hat, but would invite all over to chicken dinner if Sall was not bothered with rheumatism and rather short of chairs," replied the Oldest Inhabitant, as he pressed two slices of buttered toast

with his knife

What a Live Hero Really Is. "My observations during the year just finished have been that we in Omaha grew in the matter of heroism even as we advanced in the more material things," continued the observing drinker of cereal coffee. "It is no idle task to be a hero in the strife, in the face of trials and open switches; to be stouthearted when the roof leaks and the rent comes around at the same time; to bear up and notice things when your daughter wants a sealskin sacque and the boy craves for a new sled the same day. To be more serious, however, the greatest heroes-using the noun without gender-are those who 'with each low, descending sun, view from their mansion some worthy actions done' - to change the poet's language. That person is a hero who suppresses his own cares and troubles and leaves pleasant words and smiles in his wake, though his heart may be racked with things the world knows not of and cares less. He is a hero who always moves up in front of a crowded street car when the conductor requests him to, though he may have paid 6 cents to stand where he was standing and though by moving up he may have his corns trespassed on and come in contact with a man who relishes gurlic. He is a hero who gets up in the middle of the night with a song on his lips and warms the baby's milk for the tired wife who had so much to bear the day before. He is a hero who lives within his means and saves a little, though by so doing he may smoke stogies until his pay is raised, wear last year's overcost until the baby carriage is paid for and be content with a mouth harp until he can afford a plata. He is a hero who is not always ready to fight at the drop of a hat or at defeat in an argument, but who is ever willing to protect the weak and innocent and lift the fallen one. He is a hero who will turn the washing machine for his wife rather than sit around the house and talk of setting the world on What About the Heroines!

"But what about the heroines which you

did not include in your illustrated catalogue of heroea?" questioned the Oldest Inhabitant. "Bless the women folks," replied the man who observes, as he raised the second cup

of cereal coffee to his lips. (Drinks coffee.) 'Nearly all women are heroines," he continued. "I believe there is more real heroism in woman than in man. A few women will pout when the goods won't match, the jell won't jell or when baby cuts the sewing machine belt, but most of 'em are yardwide heroines.'

"I, too, am glad to note the race is growing more heroic and that men are beginning to give each other a 'equare deal' and the right change," rejoined the Old Settler. Then the philosophers drifted down town and caught a woman who stepped backward

from a street car. "'Rah for nineteen-naught-six," shouled the Careful Observer and Oldest Inhabitant

22-M. wedding rings, Edhorm, jeweler,

Big Linen Sale

Big Linen Sale Today

Haydens Buy a Stock of Linens

One of the largest linen importers of New York sold out to us for Spot Cash their entire importation of Irish, Scotch and German Linens-about 3,600 pieces of Table Linens, 10,000 Cloths, Scarfs and Center Pieces, about 250,000 dozen Linen, Huck and Turkish Towels. We bought the entire stock at-

Fifty Cents on the Dollar

This is undoubtedly the greatest Linen purchase ever brought to Omaha. All go on sale

Tuesday Morning

at prices that will both please and astonish. Sale will continue for entire week.

Bleached and Unbleached Linen-

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These goods sell regularly at about double this price. TOWELS-Linen, Huck and Turkish Towels will go at nds dispensing justice at the people's bar 5c, 71/2c, 10c, 15c and 25c.

These towels are worth about double this price.

In connection we will give a muslin sale and also a sheeting sale at greatly reduced prices.

Ready-Made Sheets 39c, 49c and 59c, worth 33 1-3 per cent

BE SURE AND ATTEND THIS SALE.

HAYDEN BROS.

Some Cozy Offices.

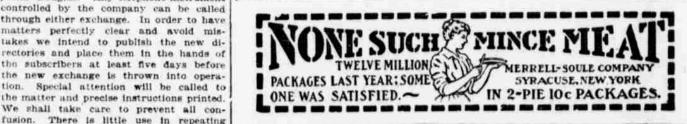
There is one office building in Omaha that is always warm in winter and cool in summer. There are not very many offices vacant at the present time in

The Bee Building

Among them, however, are some very choice small offices, which rent from \$10 to \$18. This price includes electric light, heat, water and janitor service and the advantage of being in an absolutely fire proof building. If you want a comfortable office, see us before they are all gone.

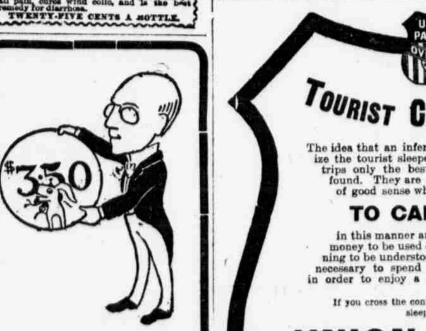
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Ground Floor, Bee Building.



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