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Dear Sir:

Please take our ad out of The Bee. I gave you the ad for three days but exchanged the stove on the first day and since that time we have been bothered to death by people who saw the ad and wanted to trade. We made a deal early on the first day.

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- Caughlin, C. R., 6th and Pierce, streets.
- Clifton Hill Pharmacy, 2213 Military Avenue.
- Conte, J. B., 31st Avenue and Farnam street.
- Crisey Pharmacy, 24th and Lake.
- Cormak, Emil, 1262 South 13th street.
- Eastman Pharmacy, 4046 Hamilton.
- Ehler, P. H., 2802 Leavenworth.
- Foster & Arnold, 213 North 25th street.
- Freymy, John J., 1914 North 24th street.
- Florence Drug Co., Florence, Neb.
- Goldman Pharmacy, 1929 Lake street.
- Green's Pharmacy, corner Park Ave and Pacific.
- Greenough, G. A., 1025 South 10th street.
- Greenough, G. A., 10th and Hickory.

- Hayden, Wm. C., 2930 Farnam street.
- Hanscom Park Phar., 1501 South 29th avenue.
- Holst, John, 624 North 16th street.
- Huff, A. L., 2924 Leavenworth street.
- King's Pharmacy, 2238 Farnam street.
- Kountze Place Pharmacy, 3004 North 24th.
- Patrick Drug Co., 1602 North 24th street.
- Lathrop, Chas. E., 1324 North 24th street.
- Peyton, L. E., 24th and Leavenworth.
- Saratoga Drug Co., 24th and Ames avenue.
- Schaefer's Cut Price Drug Store, 16th and Chicago.
- Schaefer, August, 2631 North 16th street.
- Schmidt, J. H., 24th and Cuming streets.
- Storm Pharmacy, 16th and Martha streets.
- Walnut Hill Pharmacy, 40th and Cuming.
- Walton Pharmacy, 20th and Grace streets.
- Wirth, O. H., 40th and Hamilton streets.

### CHANGE IN INSURANCE LAW

Deputy Auditor Pierce Makes Some Recommendations in His Report.

PLANS FOR SECURING SOME MORE FEES

Treasurer Mortensen Receives Twenty-Five Dollars from Colorado Man to Start Concurrence Fund.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
LINCOLN, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—In his biennial report Insurance Auditor John L. Pierce recommends the passage of a fire insurance law, passage of a law limiting the liability of a surety company on any one risk to one-tenth of the amount of the company's capital and surplus, an act providing for publishing brief abstracts of annual statements of foreign legal reserve life insurance companies, a new section providing for fees to be paid by all legal reserve life companies, the publication of the auditor's certificate of authority, accompanying the published abstract of the annual statement of surety companies, also that the publication be made in two newspapers of general circulation, one of which is published at the state capital. He recommends that the law relating to fees be extended to surety companies, so as to include fees for the certificate of authority and for the certificate of publication.

### PERFIELD'S ADVICE

#### To Piano Buyers

If taken, means money in your pocket. In this great bankrupt piano sale no one can possibly be hurt but the dealers. Every person buying a piano at this sacrifice sale gets a guarantee from a millionaire piano manufacturer; also from local national banks, if you so desire.  
A new feature for Friday and Saturday. During these two days we will offer at the intervals of every hour in the day any upright piano on the floor or in our factory for just so much money. This will be regardless of the tags that have been hung on these pianos during the receiver's sale. This feature should invite cash buyers to make an attempt. No dealers will be supplied, however much money they may offer us for these pianos. We are bound and determined that these pianos shall go exclusively to the homes of the surrounding territory. A beautiful steel and piano scarf will be given free with such piano, and will be delivered to your home at any time you may desire before New Year's day.  
Former prices: \$250, \$275, \$300, \$325, \$350, \$380. Bankrupt sale prices: \$87, \$97, \$115, \$128, \$135, \$175, \$215, etc.  
This sale is absolutely an unprecedented and these pianos must be sold regardless of cost. Omaha piano dealers say it is an outrage to sell pianos at these prices. You will never again have the opportunity to buy high grade pianos at such low prices.  
This sale is in its last hours and you must hurry to take advantage of this opportunity. Do not forget the number.  
1611 Farnam St.  
Open All Day and Evenings.  
Phone Douglas 701.

tion; that the law governing accident and sickness companies should have a new section providing for fees to be paid by this class of companies. At present there is nothing relating to them in the act relating to fees. Two laws which he says are virtually a dead letter he asks to be repealed. They are section 23, chapter XIII, governing foreign insurance companies and requiring a special deposit of \$25,000 in some of the United States or territories; section 75, chapter XIII, relating to the auditor's certificate of the investment of funds of mutual benefit associations.

**Two Apply for Pardons.**  
Governor Mickey for pardons today—Harry Dow, sentenced for three years for grand larceny from North Platte, and Charles Schear, sentenced for three years for robbery from Douglas county. Both men entered the penitentiary last December. Dow stole a grip and an overcoat from Conductor Anderson of the Union Pacific, which the jury valued at \$52. Anderson has filed a letter with the governor that the value of the two articles when new was \$26. Judge Day wrote the governor last June recommending a clemency to Schear and Deputy County Attorney Fitch, recently wrote him recommending the pardon. Judge Day wrote he sentenced the man for three years because that was the minimum under the law.

**Mortensen Starts Concurrence Fund.**  
State Treasurer Mortensen has started a concurrence fund and at this time it contains \$25 received from a man who once upon a time broke a Nebraska law, since which time his conscience has never ceased to trouble him. With the \$25 which was received today came the following letter dated at LaJuna, Colo.:  
Nebraska State Treasury Department: Having broken the laws of the state of Nebraska I will endeavor to make it right by enclosing \$25, which please accept as a concurrence fund.  
The letter was not signed.

**Store for Adjutant General.**  
Colonel Storck of the First regiment came in this morning to boom his candidacy for adjutant general. Inasmuch as Governor Sheldon has not yet shown up, Colonel Storck is doing some hustling among the legislators and says he has many endorsements from a number of the National guard.

**Teachers Elect Officers.**  
The nominating committee of the State Teachers' association this afternoon selected the following officers for the ensuing year: A. H. Waterhouse of Omaha, president; E. E. Magee of Ashland, vice president; Katherine Woods of Peru, secretary; R. D. Overholt of Minden, treasurer; E. B. Sherman, member of the executive committee to take the place of W. H. Gardner, whose term expires.

The list of officers was reported to the general meeting last night, and the nominees all elected.  
Richard Hobson addressed the teachers at their meeting tonight and during the day each of the sections carried out its particular program already published. The attendance at this time has reached 1,138.

**Brown Moves to Kearney.**  
Attorney General Norris brown has gone to Kearney to prepare to move his family back to that place as soon as his term of office expires. Mr. Brown lived at Kearney before being appointed deputy attorney general six years ago.

**ATTEMPT TO BURN SCHOOLHOUSE**  
Excelsior Soaked in Oil Found in the Structure.  
BRADSHAW, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—An attempt was made a few nights since to set fire to the public school building at this place. The scheme had been carefully planned by the would-be incendiary. A box about ten inches square had been filled with excelsior which was well soaked with coal oil, while over this had been drawn a sack well soaked with oil. The steps and wall of the building had also been well saturated with oil and matches were found in profusion, some of which had been lighted, but for some reason had failed to ignite the excelsior. Probably the incendiary was frightened at his own work and fled without accomplishing his design. At a meeting composed of the most prominent citizens held at Dr. Allen's office last night it was decided to offer a large reward for the arrest and conviction of the would-be incendiary. There is much excitement over the affair and if the guilty party or parties are found the limit of the law will be their portion.

**Casualties Near Ashland.**  
ASHLAND, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The holiday season seems to have brought an unusually large number of accidents of various kinds in this vicinity. Charles Benedict of Cass county has a broken knee, due to letting a wagon box fall upon it. Miss Pearl Munn of the same county looked into a stove where she had poured kerosene to start the fire and backed out of range with a badly burned face and head. Carl Wohlfarth, a young boy, became mixed in the spokes of a revolving wheel of a delivery wagon. After "lopping the loop" several times he emerged with a broken leg. Barney Williams of Cedar Bluffs fell off a stock car while loading cattle and was picked up unconscious. A detail inventory of his injuries included two fractures of his right leg, a fracture of his hip and a badly splintered ankle. About the same time the fireman on a Burlington freight train fell off his locomotive near Greenwood and was badly bruised, and a stranger giving his home as in Iowa attempted to commit suicide with a knife on the public highway near the same village. The latter was found unconscious in the road, and when brought to consciousness expressed his regret at the failure of his attempt.

**Allen Returns to Tecumseh.**  
TECUMSEH, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Hon. A. B. Allen, secretary to Governor Mickey during the two terms of office that gentleman has held, is making arrangements to move his family back to Tecumseh from Lincoln shortly after the first of the year. Mr. Allen is as yet undecided as to business plans for the future.

**Banker's Assistant in Jail.**  
TECUMSEH, Neb., Dec. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Erwin and Harry Snyder, of Cedar Bluffs, who were arrested at Tecumseh, are in jail and unable to give bond. Their preliminary hearing is set for next Saturday.

**News of Nebraska.**  
COLUMBUS—The county treasurer will close his office January 2 while he makes a tour of the county.  
OSCEOLA—In the recent election on the subject of bonds for a proposed railroad in

Polk county Canada and Osceola precincts voted in favor.  
BEATRICE—At a meeting of the city council last night Treasurer Jones was instructed to buy \$2,000 of 2 per cent bonds at 95 cents on the dollar.  
BLAIR HILLS—Mr. Ernest Johnson and Miss Emma Eftman were united in marriage at 5 o'clock this evening at the Lutheran church in Pleasant Hill precinct.  
BEATRICE—Mrs. M. M. Coe passed away last night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Saunders. She was 79 years of age and one of Beatrice's oldest residents.

**GRAND ISLAND—Mrs. N. D. Mann died at her home near Cairo at the age of 77 years. Lung fever was the fatal illness. She was a husband and two small children.**  
EDGAR—Mr. William T. Caldwell and Miss Maud Anderson, both of Edgar, were united in marriage Wednesday at 8 p. m. at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. F. Anderson of this city.  
BEATRICE—Mrs. J. M. Goodnight died yesterday at her home on East Court street, aged 31 years. She is survived by her husband and one son. The remains will be taken to McMinn, Tenn., for interment.

**GRAND ISLAND—William Kern died at 78 years. He was a member of Company B, First Minnesota volunteer infantry, and was admitted to the home from Arcadia, Valley county, in 1904.**  
TECUMSEH—Dr. P. C. Johnson of Tecumseh, chaplain of the Nebraska penitentiary, was handsomely remembered by the convicts of that institution on Christmas day. He was presented with a beautiful solid gold hunter case watch.

**GENEVA—William Thompson, aged 70 years, was buried here yesterday. He died at Fort Collins, Colo., and the body was brought here Monday. Mr. Thompson for many years lived just north of this city and went to Colorado last fall.**  
BEATRICE—The local barbers' union met last night and elected these officers: A. L. Sherwood, president; G. H. Purvance, vice president; George West, secretary; Charles Avey, treasurer; J. J. Manion, guide; Clement Drew, recorder, and Harry Humphrey, guard.

**OAKLAND—Jesse Weaver and Miss Mary Hansen, daughter of Mrs. Robert Hansen, of this city, were married at the bride's home at high noon Wednesday by Rev. Mr. Lang of the Methodist church. They left on the afternoon train for a visit with relatives at Wakefield, Neb. They will reside on the John F. Linberg farm, east of town, which the groom recently purchased.**  
TECUMSEH—The coming meeting of the Johnson County Farmers' institute, which is to be held in Tecumseh the last two days in January and the first two days in

**FOR 1907**

- Desk Trays
- Box Files
- Board Clips
- Stationery Racks
- Desk Pads
- Loose Leaf Books
- Post Binders
- Loose Sheet Holders
- Office Ticklers
- Vertical File and Card Index Supplies
- Transfer Cases for Letters, Documents and Card Cabinets.
- Orchard & Wilhelm Carpet Co. 414-16-18 E. 16th St.
- Agents Globe-Trotter Line

### WHITES PROTECT NEGROES

Mississippi (Floors Are on Trail of Men Responsible for Trouble.

LYNCHERS FLEE, BUT WILL BE TAKEN

Twelve Persons Believed to Be Dead as Result of Conflict and Innocent Men Are Murdered.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—That white men protected innocent negroes and that an effort is being made by the whites to punish the "hoodlums" of their race who were responsible for the Christmas riots in Kemper county, Mississippi, was the information in detailed accounts arriving early today from the little towns which were the scene of the bloodshed.

"A conference has been held," the dispatches say, "between the civil and military authorities, at which evidence was produced that will establish the identity of two white men of good families of the county who took part in the lynchings. District Attorney Currie has made a public statement in which he says: 'I found, upon an investigation, that the trouble was caused by a lot of hoodlums and outlaws, who openly violated all laws of God and man and decency. The four men killed Christmas were not connected with the affair in any manner, and I am informed that the houses burned were occupied by negroes who were not even in sympathy with any of those who were connected with the outrages. These men will be captured, if it is in the power of the state of Mississippi to do so.'

**Officers Want White Men.**  
The dispatches say the death list is probably twelve; that the mob element

### ROUNDEUP OF HORSE THIEVES

Two Halfbreed Indians Arrested Near Pierre.

PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Louis Brock and John Arpan, both mixed-bloods living on the Cheyenne river reservation, are in jail in this city on a charge of horse rustling, having been captured in Stanley county with a good sized bunch of horses which they had stolen. In the preliminary hearing Arpan implicated a number of others in the work, indicating a general band of rustlers working in the country west of the river. He said other stolen horses were in the care of Alfred Brock on Moreau river and that William George, known as "Buffalo," and several other Lyman county rustlers were in the work. Officers are out after all the parties accused by Arpan.

**Miner Killed by Cavel.**  
STURGIS, S. D., Dec. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Carl Patterson, 25 years old, was killed in a mine near North Moreau river Saturday. He and his father were getting out coal and were working in a place that had been undermined, which gave way, burying them. The father was buried all but one arm and his head and dug himself out. The son was killed almost instantly. The father was badly bruised. The funeral was held today at Whitewood under the auspices of the Odd Fellows. He leaves a wife and two children.

**Attempt to Wreck Trolley Car.**  
LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Dec. 27.—An attempt was made early today to wreck a trolley car near Leavenworth. An obstruction placed upon the track was discovered in time to prevent a collision. A report that it was the work of negro soldiers, who had trouble with a street car crew on Monday night, is being investigated.

among the whites has mostly fled toward the Alabama state line, while negroes in terror have gathered at Wapak and Scooba to place themselves under the protection of troops or of citizens. The killing of a negro named Calvin Nicholson is reported as "one of the most brutal which has occurred since the days of reconstruction."

Nicholson was a negro of the best class. While a posse was searching for a negro named Simpson, who had killed a deputy, they entered Nicholson's house and several persons began shooting at him. Deputy Sheriff Alexander and two others rushed to the negro, shielding him with their bodies. They protected him until overpowered, after which he was shot and his house burned. District Attorney Currie says he has fixed the blame for this murder upon three men and will arrest them if they are still in the state.

**All Troops Leave Scooba.**  
MERRIDIAN, Miss., Dec. 27.—All the troops stationed at Scooba, the scene of the recent race troubles, returned this afternoon in charge of Governor Vardaman, who went there last night to take personal command. Returning military officers and others say that apprehension of further trouble is passed. There were no outbreaks today.

**Personally Conducted Tour of Old Mexico.**  
A special party for a thirty-day tour of Old Mexico, embracing practically all the important cities and principal points of interest, will leave Omaha January 13. Rate covering transportation, berth and meals only \$200.00.  
For further information call or address Rock Island City Ticket Office, 123 Farnam St.

**Police Launch Safe.**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Police launch No. 6 with three men aboard, which was reported missing in Jamaica bay last night, is safe. The men succeeded in making a landing and reported to the Canarsie police station early today.

## BERGER'S SECOND GREAT Clearance Sale

Starts Saturday Dec. 29, '06

and will continue until space is made for our new Spring goods.

### THE GREAT SALE OF THE YEAR

In Ladies' CLOAKS, SUITS, FURS, SKIRTS, WAISTS, OPERA WRAPS, GOWNS, CRAVENNETTES, PETTICOATS, ETC.

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See Our Ads Friday Night.

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