Railway Commission Cutlines What it Wants of the Roads.

NORTHWESTERN ASKS INTERPRETATION

Number of Names Being Suggested for the Vacant Place on the Board of Recents of the State University.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, April 17 .- (Special.) -- Benjamin T. White, head of the Northwestern legal department, and Bob McGinnis, general agent of the same road at Lincoln, were before the State Railway commission this morning for an interpretation of the provision in the commission law requiring the railroads to report tonnage on all through and local freight. Mr. White wanted the board to set out specifically just what was

made an order directing the railroads to report tonnage as follows: i-On freight which is purely through traffic. That is, freight which, for in-stance, originates in Council Bluffs and gross through the state to Denver. 2-That freight which originates in the state and has its destination in some other tate.

state. That freight which originates in some other state and has its destination in Nebrasks. tonnage on all freight which originates ions of the corporations.

Under the law these reports have to be made by August and Mr. White assured former state treasurer. In his behalf Mr. the board his road would endeavor to Mortensen's friends argue that he is facomply with the request and furnish any miliar with the finances of the university Information the commission desired by

every railroad station in the state an order calling attention to the fact that unger the law no railroad may charge more as known, however, no one has applied for than 2 cents a mile for tickets to destina-tions in this state. This order suggests to mentioned knows his name has been sugthe purchaser of a ticket that inasmuch gested to the executive department. as tickets bought to destinations outside of Nebraska the roads may charge 3 cents a mile, as that is interstate business, the purchaser going out of the state should buy his ticket to the Nebraska point nearest the state line and then get off the train and buy a ticket to the station across the line. This would enable him to get the full benefit of the 2-cent fare. For Instance, if the purchaser of a ticket starts from the west end of the state for Chicago he should, to get the 2-cent rate, buy his ticket to Omaha and then at Omaha buy a ticket on to his destination. If he does not do this he will be charged the full 3- who has been arrested for selling liquor ment rate if the railroads so elect.

Arbor Day Proclamation. Governor Sheldon last night got out his first proclamation setting apart April 22 called upon to plant trees. His first prociamation is as follows:

The observance of Arbor day was in-tended to accomplish a material purpose and the grove-dotted prairies of the west speak with voices eloquent of an object at-tained.

speak with voices eloquent of an object attained.

The season is again at hand when the thoughts of our people revert to matters pertaining to the planting of shrubs and trees, the ornamentation of grounds, and kindred pursuits. In accordance therefore, with the provision of the statutes, and in harmony with time-honored custom, I hereby proclaim, Monday, April 2, as Arber day, and request the people of Nebraska, on that date, to give special attention to the matter of tree-planting. Parents and teachers are urged to insuipate in the minds of children the importance of the subject and by example as well as precept instruct them in the practical features of tree culture. Wherever convenient let public exercises be held in sonformity with the general character of the day.

Street Car Passes Off.

And now passes on street cars are barred. The State Railway commission today sent notices to all street car companies doing business in the state that, under the anti-



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FREIGHT TRAFFIC REPORTS discriminating clause in the commission law, they would be expected to extract from the pocket of every passenger the little charge made for carrying people.

Osceols Man Wants to Know. The commission received a leter from a fitteen of Osceola this morning asking for information which it probably will require rallroad expert to answer. This man wrote that the rate on a carload of corn from Osceola to Omaha is from \$50 to \$60 a. car, while on live stock the rate is from \$20 to \$30 a carload. He says corn is worth less than 16 cent a pound and live stock from 5 to 6 cents, and he wants to know

why this is thus. Another letter, received from a Philadelphian this morning, said the writer had invented a patent switch which absolutely point. prevents a train from running onto an open switch. This man is willing to let the commission rent out this patent on trial to any railroad in the state, or, he said, he is willing to accept a position with the that the fruit is most all damaged. commission and allow the members to see

how the patent works. The commission has received its new furniture and is now duly installed in what wanted in order that his road could con-Perkins, the secretary, is here and at work is a cold wind blowing from the east and form to the wishes of the commission. As a result of the inquiry the commission

Men Suggested for Regent. Since the vacancy occurred on the State Board of Regents by reason of the resignation of Member Calkins, various parties have called at the executive department and suggested men who, in their opinion, would make good members of the board. Among those who have been mentioned are Senator Randall of Madison, who during The roads are also required to report the the recent session attracted considerable attention to himself by reason of his desire and terminates in Nebraska and in addi- to know intimately just how the affairs of tion a report will be asked for covering the school are managed. Senator Wiltse the amount of the receipts from every of Cedar is another member of the legisroad in the state. These reports are to be lature who stands close to Governor Shelseparate, that is, covering the branch don and in whom the governor has great. Bines and the main lines and the subdivisconfidence, who has been mentioned for the place, while several parties have suggested the name of Hon. Peter Mortenser and with the finances and resources of the state probably better than any other man, The commission also ordered posted in and for that reason he would be a valuable

> Mathews Cannot Practice. firmed by Judge Frost. Dr. Mathews was accused of performing an operation which later resulted in the death of a nurse at

Oldham Appears as Attorney. A half dozen attorneys, among whom was Judge Oldham, who for the first time in ten years appeared other than as a judge argued for the release of M. J. Wilbur, without a license. The issue argued was thirteen months or merely an ordinary as a day when every one in Nebraska is of the twelve months year because he held the visiting knights and candidates met at and was arrested. His attorneys are trying was retained to show the court the municipal year is thirteen months in this instance was listened to by a large crowd.

> WILLIAM SIMMONS RUNS AMUCK Shoots One Man and Attempts to Shoot Another.

RULO, Neb., April 17.-(Special.)-A five miles southeast of Rulo about 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

William Simmons rode up behind William Asher and shot him with a shotgun, tearing all his ribs loose from the backbone and forcing one into the entrails. He then tried to shoot Ell "Asher, but Ell's sister, Ethel, stepped before the gun to prevent it. Ell ran and as he was crawling through a fence Simmons fired at him, but missed. Simmons fired three more shots at Ell, but all missed. Simmons tried to follow, but in crawling through the fence broke the slide to his gun, rendering it use

He went home, repaired the gun and soon appeared at the Asher home. He threatened to kill Mr. Asher, but others present prevented it. Simmons then rode up and down the road, threatening the lives of He continued this till midnight. A farmer being tired of this telephoned to the sheriff of Brown county, Kansas, at Hiawatha and got him out there. By this time, however. Simmons had disappeared and after several hours' search the hunt was given up for the night. Next day Simmons appeared in Hiawatha and gave himself up to the proper officials.

It seems that considerabale domestic trouble had occurred in the Simmons home and Mrs. Simmons fied to the Robert Asher home for safety. Simmons followed her and with open knife threatened her life. As he was about to put his threat into execution Elli Asher picked up a rock, lishes a new scale of prices for northern but before he threw it William Asher Nebraska lands and crowds the high grabbed a club and hit Simmons over the head. Without much talk Simmons went home and got his gun. Thinking all was over, the Asher brothers and some young women started out for a drive in a twoseated wagon. They had not gone far until Simmons overtook them and commenced

Two Hiswaths doctors are caring for the rounded man, William Asher, but have no opes for his recovery.

Lincoln Man Drops Money. FREMONT, Neb., April 17.—(Special.)—H. Payne of Lincoln reported to the sheriff hat he had lost \$70 in a poker game on a little game. Just before reaching Fremont asked by those who quit. one of the men suggested that he had a "fair poker hand," another intimated that his was not a bad one either, and when up four aces, grabbed the money and left just as the train reached the station. Payne appears to be a pretty bright young man, familiar with the ways of the world and not a man likely to be caught by the

old poker swindle. Miss Winty Shows Nerve. BELLEVUE, Neb., April 17 .- (Special.)-While returning from her school at Fort Crook to her home in Bellevue in a buggey, accompanied by two small children, Miss Winty displayed an act of heroism and selfcontrol that is seldom equalled. The horse, an old family animal whom all trusted. was somehow frightened and began to run. The boy driving soon lost control and was thrown from his seat, sustaining several brutses. Miss Winty and the little girl in the back seat still clung to the shaking

vehicle, and, realizing that something must be done, Miss Winty leaned forward on her knees, selzed the lines and after a time brought the horse to a stop. Miss Winty turned around, drove back to where the boy was lying, picked him up and drove

LIGHT SNOWFALL OVER STATE Gives Fruit Raisers Additional Cause for Alarm.

FREMONT, Neb., April 17 .- (Special.)-There was a light fall of snow here this difference and the ground is white. Gar-dners and orchard owners are feeling appre-hensive of heavy damage on account of it. The mercury is just above the freezing

BLUE HILL, Neb., April 17 .- (Special.) -A sudden change took place in the weather here Tuesday, being very cold and snow fell for a few hours. Fruitmen say

AINSWORTH, Neb., April 17 .- (Special Telegram.)-This has been a regular winter day here. The snow commenced to fall at 6 a. m. and continued until it reached the is now the best office in the building. Clark depth of four inches at 5 p. m.. There and the commission is now ready for the the weather is more like winter than

> HUMBOLDT, Neb., April 17 -- (Special.)-Another heavy frost last night killed the fruit buds, if any remained in good shape. and horticulturalists have abandoned all hope of a fruit crop of any kind for this

late severe freezes have been disastrous to fruit, which had never bore such a pro fusion of bloom so early in the season be fore. Early vegetables also suffered more

PIERRE, S. D., April 17,7 (Special Telegram.)—Light anow fell in this city most of today, but melted as fast as it fell. The temperature this morning was 4 degrees below freezing and yesterday morn ing 14 below freezing.

SCHUYLER, Neb., April 17 .- (Special 'elegram.)-A snowstorm started here this oon, which continued until evening, but owing to the mild temperature it melted as fast as it fell. At 5 o'clock the mercury again started to fall, NORFOLK, Neb., April 17 .- Following a

old wave this morning north Nebraska aid in looking after spending the money ap- and southern South Dakota were visited by a snowstorm this afternoon. HERMAN, Neb., April 17 .- (Special.)-

Snow has been falling here since noon today and tonight there is about two inches on the ground. Small grain that has been planted and is sprouted stands a good The action of the State Board of Health show of rotting in the ground, provided in revoking the license to practice medicine it freezes tonight, and everything is favof Dr. J. T. Mathews of Omaha was af- orable for a regular December night of it.

New Knights of Columbus Council. NORTH PLATTE, Neb., April 17 .- (Spe cial.)-in this city on last Sunday, Counci No. 1211, Knights of Columbus, was instituted, sixty-eight being initiated. This is day afternoon from the Methodist church. purely a Catholic organization and only nembers of that church are eligible. The ommittee of arrangements had everything in shape Sunday morning. The Omaha delegation, consisting of twenty-three, came whether the municipal year in Lincoln is up Saturday night in a special sleeper. There were also twenty-five from Grand twelve months. Wilbur did not pay \$1,500 Island and a number from different towns and take out a liquor license at the end along the line. Sunday morning at 9 o'clock the Pacific hotel, and proceeded in a body to the Catholic church, where mass was celebrated and a sermon delivered by Rev. S. F. Carroll. Dinner was served at the Pacific hotel and at 1 o'clock the initiatory services were commenced at the Knights of Pythias hall. These ceremonies were conduded about \$5 o'clock. The work of the first and second degrees was done by the Grand Island council, and the third degree by the Omaha delegation. The women of the church served the banquet in the evening at the opera house and covers were laid for 175, the decorations being carnations and ferns. The hall had also been handsomely decorated for the present.

Collumbus—Dr. L. P. Carstenson of Fremont will build a veterinary hospital was presented to considerable above the minimum strength and into common will build a veterinary hospital was presented to considerable above the minimum strength and into common will build a veterinary hospital was presented to considerable above the minimum strength and into common will build a veterinary hospital was presented to considerable above the minimum strength and into common was first prize in the oral considerable above the minimum strength and made a good showing. Of course Captain BEATRICE—Mr. Emil Novotny and Miss Manuel as good showing. Of course Captain fined here yesterday, Judge Spafford officialing.

GENEVA—The team of the independent of the public, but appeared well satisfied by the military standing of the common will build a veterinary hospital was presented to considerable above the minimum strength and made a good showing. Of course Captain fined here is a saloon license and the prospects are Collumbus—and the chiral corps of the North Health of the initiatory strength and the common was first prize in the oral corp. The corps has been recruited to considerable above the minimum strength and made a good showing. Of course Captain fined with the military standing of the Castell during the minimum strength and made a good showing. Of course Captain fined with the military that with the extension of the terms of the Pacific hotel, and proceeded in a body office in the city officials the license year to the Catholic church, where mass was was extended one mouth. So he kept open celebrated and a sermon delivered by Rev. to release him by habeas corpus. Judge Paelfic hotel and at 1 o'clock the initiatory Oldham, who went off the bench yesterday, services were commenced at the Knights and his last maiden effort before the bar first and second degrees was done by the "Welcome, Knights," Rev. S. F. Carroll; "Columbus," Dr. McDermott of Omaha; 'Poor France," Rev. Wolf of Grand Island; "Catholic Patriots of America." M. C. Harrington of Denver; "The Value of Catholic Education," William Morrow of Scott's Bluff; "Impressions of the Day," Dr. N. McCabe of this city.

Another Victim of Stalk Cutter. HASTINGS, Neb., April 17 .- (Special Tel. egram.)-His body horribly mangled, his clothing torn away and his life almost Will Hughes, aged 26, was found lying in a field on his father's farm near Juniata about noon today. The injured man was taken by his brother and several neighbors to the family home, but he died oon after arriving there. The unfortunate man was operating a cornstalk cutthose in the houses he chanced to pass. ter and the wounds were inflicted by the knives of the machine. It is believed that he fell from his seat and his clothing was caught by the moving blade. The body was rolled over and over and cut deeply about the legs, abdomen, chest and back. It was evident that he had struggled to free himself, but was unable to do so on account of his clothes having become entangled with the machinery,

Big Prices for Nebrasks Land. HARTINGTON, Neb., April 17 .- (Special. -Three thousand two hundred and eighty acres of land in Cedar county sold yesterday for nearly \$68 per acre, which estabpriced lands of eastern states for a high range of prices. The land is all located in the north half of Cedar county and was sold at the referee sale of the lands of the estate of John Lammers. Much of these lands were pasture and hay lands and some of the choice prices brought unheard of prices west of the Missouri river. The land was sold in forty-acre tracts. The top notch was reached when \$144 per acre was paid for one forty.

New Men Replace Strikers. HASTINGS, Neb., April 17 .- (Special Tel. egram.)-With but few exceptions, the positions left vacant by the ten striking Northwestern train this afternoon and he freight handlers of the Burlington force wanted the three men who did him up, at this place have been supplied by new especially the good looking man with the men. Only one of the men who walked amond ring, arrested. It was the same old out has been re-employed. It is understory. Payne was coming down from Albion stood that the new men set to work are and to while away the time he indulged in a employed at \$40 per month, the wages

COLUMBUS, Neb., April 47,-(Special.) Payne looked at his and saw four kings he Mrs. William Spicer, a widow and a piothought he had a cinch, and the game was neer resident of the city, was found dead turned from that to poker. The bets were at the foot of the stairs leading to a celraised until Payne had his entire wad of lar. Her face and body were bruised and 170 up, when the other man called. Payne it is believed she fell down the stairs, dying laid down his kings and the other showed as a result. She lived alone. She was ?

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years old. The funeral took place Wednes-News of Nebraska.

NEBRASKA CITY-Judge Adams is hold-ing the spring term of district court here this week. BEATRICE-The young son of Mr. Mrs. Frank Burger, living northeast of Beatrice, died yesterday. PLATTEMOUTH—The Missouri river is gradually rising, having risen one foot dur-ing the last twenty-four hours. BEATRICE-The Rock Island company has decided not to put in a stone crusher plant at Rockford for the present.

BEATRICE At a special meeting of the hity council last evening Water Commis-tioner Field and Fire Chief A. D. White were authorized to purchase a new fire

OSCEOLA-Samuel Stoner, son of C. D. Stoner, won the first prize in the collegiate debate at Des Moines, Ia., last week. He is putting in his first year at Highland Park college. PLATTSMOUTH—The fine farm home of D. W. Foster, south of Plattsmouth, was destroyed by fire while the family was away. The loss will be about \$4,000, with

no insurance.

CAMBRIDGE—James John is making preparations to move his drug store building and will begin the building of a two-story brick block to be occupied by himself as a drug store.

OXFORD—At the Catholic church this morning Mr. John O'Brien of Benkelman and Miss Nellie Shoncross of Bloomington

and Miss Nellie Shoncross of Bloomington were united in marriage, Rev. Father Bickert celebrating the nuptial mass.

COLUMBUS—Thomas Jaworski has been appointed Deputy sheriff by Sheriff Carrig to take the place made vacant by the resignation of Henry Lachnitt, who looks after the interests of a saloon at Lindsay. COLUMBUS—Decrease in the mortgage indebtedness as shown by the filing and releases of mortgages during the last week amounted to the sum of \$14,007. Transfers of real estate for the week amounted to \$53,218.

OSCEOLA-The Polk County Medical so-ciety elected Dr. L. C. LeMar president, Dr. Potter vice president, Dr. L. M. Shaw treasurer-secretary, Dr. C. L. Anderson delegate to state association and Dr. West-

OXFORD—The Oxford and Cambridge high school base ball teams will play at this place next Saturday. The game be-ween these same nines at Cambridge last Saturday was an overwhelming victory for the Cambridge boys.

the Cambridge boys.

RED CLOUD—Mr. Charles Munger, a ploneer of this county, 84 years of age, died Saturday here at the home of his daughter, kirs. Sanford Fox. Funeral services were held Sunday and the body was interred in the Martin cemetery.

BEATRICE—Lieutenant George A. Withers and Setwant Samuel M. Rinaker of

ers and Sergeant Samuel M. Rinaker of the University cadets were in the city yes-terday and practically completed arrange-ments for holding the annual encampment in this city from May 28 to June I. HUMBOLDT-Scott Blegs, a well knows

in this city from May 25 to June I.

HUMBOLDT-Scott Biggs, a well known farmer and stockman, south of this city, had a narrow escape from death in a railroad crossing accident last evening. His team got across, but the wagon was wrecked and he was severely bruised.

CAMBRIDGE-A company consisting of three of the capitalists of Cambridge has secured plans and is now negotiating with contractors with a view to letting centract for the erection of a large, modern brick hotel. This city has long been in need of such a hotel.

HEATRICE-Yesterday morning the attorneys for J. H. Sparks filed a motion in the district court requiring 8. D. Killen to put up a bond for security for costs in the appeal case against J. H. Sparks, the contractor. The late C. M. Hemler was surety on the bond.

NORTH PLATTE-M. R. Chambers, special agent of the linited States land office, who has been stationed here on government duty for quite a while, will leave the latter part of the week for Cheyenne, where he has been stationed temporarily to look after the removal of fences on government land.

CAMBRIDGE-Cambridge is experiencing

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CAMBRIDGE—Cambridge is experiencing another building boom this spring. W. H. Faling, one of the founders and most successful financiers of Cambridge, has just had pians drawn for what will be one of the most beautiful and costly modern dwellings to be seen anywhere in south-west Nebraska.

NORTH PLATTE-Mr. L. L. Harter, an agriculturist in the employ of the United States government, is now stationed at the experimental substation, south of town, and will remain about two weeks. He will assist in getting the experiments ready which the government has planned to conduct this season.

RULO-Mrs. Pearl Rubedeaux, wife of Gust Rubedeaux, attempted to commit suicide last Sunday svening by taking a large dose of lodine. Her recovery is much doubted, as her condition is very low. She lives on the Indian tract several miles south of Rulo. Financial troubles seem to be the cause of the deed.

SCHUYLER—The funeral of Albert Benjamin, aged is years, was held at the

Methodist church today at 2 o'clock, Rer.
Mr. McKee conducting the ceremony. The
eighth grade of the high school, of which
he was a member, was excused for the afternoon and the entire grade did the singing through the ceremony.

COLUMBUS—The council has passed an
ordinance allowing the mayor \$190 a year,
council man We a year each city clerk \$200.

ordinance allowing the mayor \$100 a year, councilmen \$50 a year each, city clerk \$200, city reasurer \$200, city attorney \$200, city engineer \$3 per day, overseer of streets \$2 per day, chief of police \$65 per month, policemen \$50 per month, water commissioner \$100 per annum, chief of fire department \$75 per year and assistant chief \$25 per year.

FREMONT—Captain C. W. Castle of Fort Crook inspected the signal corps of the Nebraska National Guards here last even-ing. The corps has been recruited to con-siderable above the minimum strength and made a good showing. Of course Captain Castle did not give the result of his inspec-tion to the public, but appeared well satis-fied with the military standing of the com-pany.

BEATRICE—Judge Kelligar yesterday is.
sued an order to the receiver of the
Chamberlain bank at Tecumseh to proceed
at once to sue everyone indebted to that
institution and to realize upon the assets.
It appears that the former receiver has
been slow to act and has not realized as
much upon the assets as he should. In the
case of Gates against Tebette, a suit
wherein the plaintiff sued for deficiency
of judgment, the jury in the district court
found for the plaintiff.

OXFORD—Free Magner, who recently

found for the plaintiff.

OXFORD—Fred. Magner, who recently moved here from McCrok to accept the position of Burlington yard switchman, was struck by a projecting ice chute and thrown to the ground. In the fall his foot was caught under a wheel in such a manner as to strip that member of the flesh from toe to heel. Some of the bones of the foot were also splintered and it is feared that amputation will be necessary. He will at once be taken to a hospital, probably to Omaha, for surgical treatment.

EREMONT—An officer from Bonesteel.

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about 19 years old and apparently a young man who has had a good bringing up, but got into bad company.

NEBRASKA CITY—Since Dunbar has been a village it has always had one or more saloons and it seems strange that a question should be raised as to granting a license again, but such is the case. One of the ministers there some time ago asked permission to educate his children at home, claiming that he did not want them to attend school where money received from saloons was used in defraying the expenses of the schools. This man is now trying to induce all to refrain from signing a petition for a saloon license and the prospects are that he will succeed.

NORTH PLATTE—One hundred and

principal, Mrs. Huldah V. Saylor; Miss Mil-ley E. Tubbs of Peru, for fifth and sixth grades; Miss Winnifred Sherman, primary teacher; Miss Mabel Beckwith, third and fourth grades; Miss Viola Ward, fifth and sixth grades in South ward; Miss Alice Coombs, third and fourth grades; Miss Jencoomes, third and routin grades, size Jen-nie Joy, first and second grades. A prin-cipal for the South Ward school and a teacher for the seventh and eighth grades are yet to be selected. The superintend-ent's salary was raised from \$1,000 to \$1,100. found for the plaintiff.

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FREMONT—An officer from Bonesteel. B. D., came down here this morning after a young man by the name of Tempie, who is wanted there for forgery. It is charged that he forged checks, which he passed on a salcon keeper, amounting to \$1.75. He was arrested yesterday at the depot after quite a lively chase, in which a Northwestern brakeman took the lead. He at first depied the charge, but later admitted that he was the man wanted. He is only

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