Davis, drugs. Stockert sells carpets. Ed Rogers, Tony Faust boer. Buy a diamond for her at Leffert's. Schmidt's elegant new photos. A diamond is a good buy at Leffert's. Lewis Cutler, funeral director, 'Phone 97 Woodring Undertaking Company, Tel. 339, Pictures and frames, Borwick, 20 S. Main. Beautiful new fancy and plain oval frames. Alexander's, 333 Broadway. MALF PRICE SALE OF LACE CUR-

The beauty of buying at Leffert's is that you can get what you want when Office space for rent, 35 a menth; central location, steam heat and electric light furnished. Omaha Bee, 15 Scott strest. At a meeting of the Council Bluffs High school foot ball team last evening Roy Gretzer was elected captain for next year. Council Bluffs Tent No. 33, Knights of the Maccabees, will meet Wednesday even-ing for the semi-annual election of officers. BUDWEISER BOTTLED BEER IS SERVED AT MIL FIRST-CLASS BARS AND CAPES L ROSENFELD CO., Agts. Albert N. Rader and Bertha M. Kage, both of Sprague, Neb., were married in this city yesterday by Rev. Henry De-Long.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hermsen, formerly of this city, have returned to their home in Colorado Springs after a visit with friends here.

The Woman's Missionary circle of the First Baptist church will meet this after-noon at the residence of Mrs. J. E. Hollen-beck, 830 Avenue E. The branch public library at the Thirty-

second street school has proved so suc-cessful that it has been decided to open one at the Harrison street school. Ladies' Aid and the Woman's For-Dr. J. W. Terry at Leffert's is regarded throughout southwestern lows as the most reliable optician. He is a man of ability and with years of experience.

Star chapter, Royal Arch Masons, will et in regular convocation this evening which time the newly elected officers the ensuing year will be installed. Many Christmas buyers at Leffert's are having their gifts laid aside until later. We do that. We also make it convenient for you in the matter of pay-

Mrs. R. H. Grady of Sixth avenus is home from Iowa City, where she was called by the serious illness of her mother. Mrs. Grady left her mother much improved.

We can save you money, labor and the inconvenience of wash day by sending your family washing to the Bluff City laundry. Finished work by the dossn. Rough dry 6c per pound. All flat prices are iroued. The commission appointed by the Pres-bytery to consider the matter of organizing a church congregation at Bethany chapel has reported favorably. The organization will be effected next Sunday afternoon at

The December number of "Service," a monthly magazine published by the Bapstist Young People's union of America, contains a short story, entitled "A Roof of Evergreen," by Miss Mary P. Denny of this city.

Lady Mary hive, Ladies of the Modern Maccabees, will meet in regular session this afternoon to cleet officers for the ensuing year and to make arrangements to entertain Mrs. Frances E. Burns, great commander, on December 18, at an open acceptance.

Mrs. Carrio Schuster has brought suit in the court of Justice Greene against Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nash for 119, the value of a goat alleged to have been killed by dogs owned by the Nashs. The parties to the suit are neighbors and reside in the vicinity of Thirty-seventh street and Avenue A.

Edmundson hospital.

The sum of \$10,000 was ordered transferred from the police fund to the general fund.

The question of selling the pesthouse property near Mynster Springs, containing

A share of the proceeds of the benefit wrestling entertainment to be given Priday night at the New theater is to go to Cenrad Booten, the lad who recently lost a foot by being run over by a switch engine in the Northwestern yards, while the balance will go as originally planned to the fund for Fireman Walker. The annual meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church will be held this evening. It will be preceded by supper served by the women of the church. The Woman's Ald society will give a social Thureday afternoon in the church pariors. The Woman's Missionary society will meet Friday afternoon in the church pariors.

FRUIT GROWERS COME TODAY

Attendance Expected from

Southwest Part of State. The thirty-second annual meeting of the Eouthwestern Iowa Horticultural society will open in Council Bluffs today and last over Friday. Owing to the fact that court will be in sension this wack in both court ing, the sessions of the society will be held in the auditorium of the public library building, while the displays of fruit will be in one of the rooms in the basement of the same building.

J. P. Hess, chairman of the local com mittee, expressed the opinion yesterday that there would be a good and representative attendance of fruit growers at the convention. None of the fruit displays were in yesterday, but a number of This morning will be spent in examining and arranging the fruit, the regular program not opening till the afternoon. Headquarters will be at the Grand hotel during the meeting. This is the pro-

gram for today: 10 4 m. to II m.—Greetings and examining tables of fruit.
1:10 p. m.—Directors' reports: D. B. McCalla, Clarinds: George H. Van Houten, Lenox; P. T. Young, Garden Grove; J. H. M. Edwards, Logan; James McGinnia, Oriswold; N. C. Wrang, Waukeo.
"Successful Strawberry Growing." D. A. Hund, Sidney; Robert McKinsie, Council Bluffs.

1:00 p. m. Address of welcome, A. T. Flokinger, Council Bluffs. Paply, J. H. M. Edwards, Logan. Real Estate Transfers. These transfers were reported to The Bee December 3 by the Pottawattamie County Abstract company of Council

\$ 1,600

Three transfers, total Marriage Licenses. Ligenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following: Name and Residence.

Council Blufts

adia Waybright, Omaha

Best N. Hader, Sprague, Neb.

Rage, Sprague, Neb.

PAIR OF WATER ORDINANCES

Councilmen Fleming and Smith Each Get Into the Running.

SURPRISE FOR YOUNKERMAN

The Two New Ones, Together with State Board of Parole. The postoffice at Pending Ordinance of Younkers man, Go Over for Action at Some Future Time.

Two new water rate ordinances were inroduced at the meeting of the city council last night, one fathered by Councilman trisl in the case of Roy W. Stevens, conreading they were referred to the commit-tee of the whole along with a similar ortee of the whole along with a similar ordinance which Councilman Tounkerman of Miss Nellie Buckley, a teacher in a the Rock Island, and there has been no prepared some months ago and which he country school in Norwalk township, had intended to bring up last night, but against F. T. C. Jehnson, one of the school decided not to in the absence of Council- directors of that district, was begun. At man Wallace.

present in force with the evception that the the article. minimum meter rate is eliminated. It was this minimum meter rate which met with vorce from Albert Christensen, to whom such a vigorous objection from the small she was married in this city January 17, householders.

all flat rates, which Mr. Smith said "were on more than one occasion during the short only guesswork at the best." In support time they lived together as man and wife dgn Missionary societies will meet this of his ordinance Mr. Smith contended that to kill her, and says he would have carafternoon at the home of Mrs. A. C. water was a commodity the same as gas, ried his threat into execution but for the and there was no reason why it should not interference of others. be measured out to the consumer in the same manner that gas is and that the consumer pay for only what he used. The or- whom she was married September 29, 1900, per 1,000 gallons:

Up to 18,000 gallons, 35 cents.
From 15,000 to 30,000 gallons, 30 cents.
From 20,000 to 60,000 gallons, 35 cents.
From 60,000 to 420,000 gallons, 25 cents.
Over 420,000 gallons, 1s cents.

to charge a rental of 25 cents a month for test against the probating of their father's meters where it installs them at its own expense.

The introduction of these ordinances ever under duress and the undue influence of dently took Councilman Younkerman some- his son, Henry James Clark. what by surprise and he lost no time indisclaiming any responsibility for them. He stated he had intended to bring up his rate ordinance at the meeting, but decided This Time the Charge Against Him is to postpone doing so until Councilman Wallace was present. His request that his ordinance be referred to the committee of the whole was granted.

Considerable time was devoted to a disussion on the method of appointing inspectors for public work, such as sewers, Charles Cheyne, 120 Gien avenue, and Francis Monte, 725 Fifth avenue, were reported to the Board of Health yesterday as suffering from dipntheria. Helen Monson, 227 Sixth avenue, was quarantined for by the city sugineer. G. H. Brown and W. T. Abdell were appointed sewer inspec-

On recommendation of the judiciary committee it was decided to dismiss the appeal of the city in the J. Kattelman suit and accept Mr. Kattelman's offer to accept the C. H. Noies of the Omaha Builders' company reported to the local police yesterday morning that he had lost or had been robbed of his pocketbook containing 321 in currency. Sunday night on a Rock Island train, which arrived in Omaha at hydrant on Main street. amount of the judgment, \$500, without in-

Edward Leutsinger, son of Mrs. A. Mahoney, dicd yesterday. He leaves a wife and one child. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock from the residence at Forty-fourth and L. streets, Bouth Omaha, and burial will be in Fair-vlew cemetery, this city.

P. McDonald representation the Description of the Wednesday and France of the Whole.

R. D. McBride was granted a permit to A petition to open Curtis street north

P. McDonaid, representing the Rounds
Jeweiry company of Omaha, who was arrested November 20 for pedding goods in police court yesterday morning. McDonaid contended he was not pedding, but merely soliciting orders.

Mrs. Carrie Education of the Edmundson hospital

property near Mynster Springs, containing two acres, was referred back to the committee on city property, there being some question as to whether the county had not an interest in it. Lewis Hammer had submitted a proposition to purchase the property.

The council adjourned to Thursday afternoon, when it will assess up some of the recently completed sewers and curbing. BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

Manual Training School Coming Up to Expectations.

The monthly session of the Board of Education held last evening was devoted to routine matters solely. The contract for inishing the room in the basement of the Avenue B school was awarded to Nells Rasmussen on his bid of \$640. Charlotte Rief was appointed a teacher

at the Twentieth avenue school and her salary placed at \$50. The report of Superintendent Clifford on the new manual training department showed that the results up to date had been up to the superintendent's expectation. The report of Truant Officer Herner stated

sponsible in most cases where he had found children not attending school. In the case of Paul Blackburn, the colored boy dismissed from the Washington avenue echool on account of alleged misthem, it is expected, will be here this conduct, the board after considerable discussion upheld the action of the principal

that the lack of proper footwear was re-

and teachers and left the matter of the reinstatement of the boy with them. Superintendent Clifford's statistical report for the second month of school, closing October 31, submitted last night, is as

follows: Entire enrollment, boys 2,815; giris, 2,760; total, 5,855. Menthly enrollment, boys, 2,576; giris, 2,760; total, 5,255. Average delly attendance, 4,935. E: per cent of attendance, 95.42. Number cases of tardiness, 220; number neither absent nor tardy, 3,380.

Adrian Saloon Robbed. Burglars broke into the saloon of S. F. Adrain at 548 East Broadway Sunday night

and stole a quantity of cigars, several botties of whisky, \$12 in silver and a number of foreign coins, most of which were German. Entrance was effected by forcing open a rear window after an attempt had been made to break in the rear door with a wagon axle. The thieves left behind them appeared today in the person of Mary D. a pint bottle of whisky of a different brand Kirkus, but the date of her marriage was to that sold by Adrain.

Funeral of Mys. Anna Ehlers. The funeral of the late Mrs. Anna Ehlers, who died Sunday evening at her home in Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung Garner township from pseumonia, aged 78 troubles is not affected by the National years, will be held this afternoon at 2 Pure Food and Drug law, as it contains o'clock from the German Evangelical no opiates or other harmful drugs, and church. Rev. George P. Cawelli, the pas- we recommend it as a safe remedy for tor, will conduct the services and burial children and adults. For sale by all drugwill be in Walnut Hill cemetery. The fu- gists. neral cortege will leave the family rest-

Mrs. Enlers and her husband, who died eight years ago, located in Garner township in 1889, coming here from St. Louis, where they were married in 1884. Mrs. Mrs. Max Reichanberg, frame dwelling, 110,000; where they were married in 1884. Mrs.

Ehlers came to America in 1856. She is Ehlers came to America in 1856. She is RAIL survived by one son, H. L. Ehlers of Garner township, and two daughters, Mrs. W. C. Yoder of Omaha and Mrs. P. H. Ladiger

ERVIN SAYS CUILTY TO ROBBERY Given an Indeterminate Sentence of LITTLE CHANGE IN CASUALTIES

Ten Years.

In district court yesterday G. A. Ervin, allas Emery Haskins, entered a plea of guilty to breaking into and robbing a general store in Weston, In., and was given an indeterminate sentence of ten years in the penitentiary in Anamosa. Ervin's term of imprisonment may be shortened by the Weston is located in the store entered by Ervin, and after his arrest by the countyauthorities he was proceeded against by

await the action of the federal grand jury.

the former trial Miss Buckley secured a The first rate ordinance introduced was verdict for \$2,500. The action grew out of The women of the West Side Christian church will hold their annual basar and that prepared by Councilman Fieming. It an article in the Bentley paper and the free supper Thursday evening of this is identically the same as the ordinance at plaintiff held Mr. Johnson responsible for

> Mrs. Ada Christensen filed suit for di-1906, and from whom she was forced to Councilman Smith's ordinance is some separate July 1 of the same year on acthing entirely new. It provides for the count of his alleged cruel and inhuman compulsory use of meters by all patrons treatment of her. The glaintiff recites in of the water company and does away with her petition that the defendant threatened

> Lillie M. Owen filed original notice of suit for divorce from Manford J. Owen, to dinance provides for the following rates on charges of alleged cruel and inhuman treatment, and asks for the custody of their minor children.

Mrs. Rachel E. Winchester and Mrs. Henrietta Wright, daughters of the lake John Clark, who died November 3 of this The Water company is to have the right year aged 88 years, filed yesterday a prowill. They allege that their father was not of sufficient mental capacity at the time to make the will and that he made it

M'KOWN IS ON THE RACK AGAIN

Embezzlement.

is alleged to have financially wrecked the home about Saturday of this week. company by embezzlement and then burned the plant of the Northwestern Felt Shee company of Webster City, was begun for him by Birns while he was on a purchasing trip to New York in the sum of hinge the whole case. Wide interest is ! being taken in the trial. At its opening attorneys for the defense made the claim to the court of prejudice being established against the defendant by reports in the Fort Dodge newspapers and asked an investigation. The selection of jurors occupled today's session. McKown sat with his counsel and took new interest in each man chosen.

Device to Heat Box Cars. IOWA FALLS, Is., Dec. 2,-"Scott" Benson, a commercial agent for the Illinois Central, states that with the advent of freezing weather this winter this division of the Illinois Central will see experiments made with an invention of his with a view to solving the problem of perishable goods being shipped in average box cars in severe weather. Benson has bad two cars equipped with kerosene stoves, so arranged that there is no danger from fire and cannot be jarred loose except in a wreck. The cost of the equipment of one of these cars is about \$250, but Mr. Benson is convinced that it is a solution of the transportation of vegetables, fruits and other perishable goods in freezing weather. The sloves are automatic and will keep a uniform heat in the car and will have sufficient fuel to

last until the car reaches its destination. Iowa News Notes.

DOWS-A couple of weeks ago, Mayer oslin decided that it was time that the d was down at Dows and accordingly in tructed his police force to "get busy."
The drag-net brought in eleven bloods of
he town who were fingering the long green
on the gaming table.

IOWA FALLS—Secretary W. J. Souder of the Des Moines, Iowa Falls & Northern Rallway company has just issued notices to the stock-holders of the road for the annual meeting of the company which will be held in the general offices of the company in this city. Tuesday, December 10, at 11 a. m. Election of officers and other matters will be transacted.

THREE WIDOWS CLAIM ESTATE Deceased Boston Millionaire Seems to Have Been a Much Married

Man. BOSTON, Dec. 3.-Three widows apseared in the supreme court today as claimants to the estate of the late Joseph F. Greenough of this city, whose property is valued at \$1,900,000.

According to the testimony Greenough married Mary H. Higgins in 1874. It also appeared that Greenough married Emma Eaton Pomeroy in 1885, and remarried her. after their divorce, in 1887. A third widow

not stated. We are pleased to announce that Foley's

Building Permits.

EARNINGS INCREASE

Past Year Has Been a Good One for the Roads in Iowa.

Reduction in Sheep Rate Ordered by the Commission is Held in Abey-

ance Pending a Hearing

December Eleventh.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 3.-(Special.)-In the report of the Iowa State Railroad commission, which is practically completed and the government officials and bound over to | ready for publication, it is shown that the mileage, of the railroads in lows is ten Owing to the attorneys for the defendant | miles less than the year previous. The renot being prepared the motion for a new port is for the year ending June 30, 1907 This decrease in mileage is due to the fact Fleming and the other by Councilman victed of attempted criminal assault on that the Rock Island abandoned the line Smith. After being passed to their second 11-year-old Christina Christensen, was not from Wilton to Lime Kiln and shortened the line near Brighton in Washington county. Practically all the decrease is on

> new mileage on any of the roads. The report shows that the gross earnings of the roads for the year was \$72,800,000, and for the year before \$65,800,000. The net earnings were \$21,700,000, and for the year before \$19,100,000. The number of cars reported on June 30, 1907, was 333,715, and for the year before 297,925.

In the amount of injuries and fatalities the report shows that there were 211 killed as against 210 the year before, and 1,835 injured against 1,975 the year before. Of the fatal accidents thirteen were passengers, sixty-four employes and 134 other persons. including trespassers and persons killed at crossings and the like. Of the injured 178 were passengers, 1,584 employes and 173 other persons.

The report shows that the number of the year before, and their wages \$29,667,-722.85 as against \$200949.687.62. The average daily wages is \$3.18 as against \$2.00 the year

Flynn in Command.

that tries Captain Kulp on December 10. of fun.-Clearwater Record.

Cummins to Washington. Governor Cummins, who spoke in Davenport last night, left from there for Washington, D. C., where he is to deliver an FORT DODGE, Ia., Dec. 3 .- (Special.) - address before the River and Harbor Im-The second trial of George McKown, who provement association. He will return

Hunt for Herbert Shears. Herbert Shears, a page of the last two \$2,500. This draft is claimed to be furged. Benton county, where he stayed up to the Holbrook Observer. and to be only a small part of McKown's last state fair. Somehow the people with embezziement. On the testimony of Birns, whom he had lived since infancy surrepti-

> found. Hold Up Sheep Rate. At the request of a number of the railroads the state railroad commission has decided to withhold the 75 per cent sheep rate recently decided upon till a further investigation is made. A hearing has been ordered by the commission for the purpose on December II. The rate was ordered in for the benefit of feeders who shipped into the state to feed and then reshipped to the market. The rate will be held in abeyance till the hearing of the commission.

LESSONS OF MONEY FLURRY Financial Situation is Discussed by Academy of Social and Political Science.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 3.-The financial situation in its verying phases was dis- Crofton Journal. cussed here last night by financiers of na-Academy of Political and Social Science Probably no meeting of the academy ever Concern of Which State Treasurer attracted as much attention in this city and Witherspoon hall in which the speakers discussed "Lessons of the Fnancial Crisis," was so crowded that the doors were closed against hundreds who sought ad-

mission. of the currency; Charles H. Treat, United Mich., would not open for business to-States treasurer; Jacob H. Schiff, of Kuhn, day. The president of the bank is Loeb & Co., New York; Isaac N. Selig- State Treasurer Frank P. Glazier, who

been accomplished, however, in a much Detroit banks. more orderly, quiet way."

YOUNG CONTEMPT CASE UP Appeal of Attorney General of Min-

Nesota Argued Before United

States Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.-The case of Attorney General Edward T. Young of Minnesets, involving a fine of \$1,000 on the charge

olve the same questions. an effort by the Northern Pacific Railway company to prevent Young, as attorney 1907. The United States court for the district of Minnesota, Judge Lochren presidordance with the prayer of the railroad today's conference. company, but notwithstanding this order Mr. Young instituted proceedings in the state circuit court for Ramsay county, ask- wounded with a gun, or pierced by ing for a writ of mandamus compelling the rusty nall; Bucklen's Arnica Salve heals reliroad company to comply with the law. the wound. Guaranteed. Mc. For sale He was promptly summoned before Judge by Beaton Drug Co.

Lochren, who imposed a fine for con- BROWN SEATED IN THE STRIP

The attorney general sought relief by applying in an original action to the supreme court for a writ habeas corpus on the ground that the Minnesota federal ourt was without jurisdiction.

The case involves the constitutional ques ion whether an action like this is not a suit against a state, which is prohibited by the eleventh amendment to the constitution. So important is the point considered that Attorney Hines sought on behalf of the Southern Railroad company to file a brief in the case, because of the probable effect of a decision on the point in the various rate controversies of that company, and a similar request was made in the case of the Concolldated Gas company of New York, involving the eighty-cent law, by former Assistant Attorney General Whitney, who appeared for the public service corporation of New York.

NEBRASKA FROM DAY TO DAY Quaint and Curious Features of Life in a Rapidly Growing State.

Rural Physiology-A teacher in a rural scholars in the physiology class to define heels. It has a hinge in the middle, so have to sit standing.-Pilger Herald.

Water Haul-Our reporter was hurried to the freight train Wednesday to take notes while the marshal arrested a runaway couple-boy and girl, aged about 16. It seems the two had skipped with the evident intention of getting married. They were not found here. The 'phone message to stop them came from Fairfield.-Lawrence Locomotive.

Brother Marvin's Latest in the Direction of Auburn-"When a man says 'I love you' with the same emotion in his voice that he asks 'Is that train on time' turn him down; he doesn't mean it."-Annie Vio Gates. If we ever have the pleasure of a personal mployes is 43,402 as against 42,564 reported in mind, and endeavor to use a different tone of voice in addressing her, from the one we use on the station agent.-Beatrice

By direction of Governor Cummins Adju- Myers, the next day after election, made A Hat Jag-John Ingram and George tant General Thrift today issued an order the remark that if John Lupfer was elected placing Lieutenant Colons! Flynn of Sloux they would burn their hats, so they pro- of Montana. Senator Brown, already well City in temporary command of the Fifty- ceeded Thursday afternoon to sacrifice sixth regiment of the Iowa National guard, their Stetsons on the altar of John's elec- soon surrounded by many with whom he week, having gone to the West Indies with with headquarters at Sioux City. This is tion. It was so much fun for the rest of will have to associate for the next six Mrs. Pollard after the campaign in Noto relieve Major Parker, senior major of the boys that they got started and made a years, and given a warm welcome. the regiment, who has been in command general cleaning up of the hats around since the resignation of Colonel Humphrey the town, and the number of bareheaded and Lieutenant Colonel Cooke. It is the men that was seen around the city was a intention that the trial of Colonel Chant- surprise to visitors. We expect our genial land will be before the same military court | barber, George Myers, had about \$40 worth

Holbrook's Sprinter, or the Mysterious Barber-Rasteceivous Rude has gone into training as a sprinter in connection with his barber trade. He does most of his sprinting after dark and no one has been able to get his record so far, although the party who saw 'Rastus speeding down the north road in from West Holbrook the other evening said he was fairly setting a degree. sessions of the legislature in the house and the atmosphere on fire, and he doubted here today. McKown was tried for arson a boy who attracted the attention of every- that even a stop watch could have caught and is now being tried on the embezzle- body because of his ability and intelligence. his time. When it is understood that 'Rasment charge. The star witness will be has disappeared. Herbert was living with tus was wearing Sunday clothes and was Louis Birns, one of the principals of the a family that treated him brutally and handleapped by having the lower extremfirm of Musliner & Co. of New York, Mc- finally he was forced to run away. It was ity of his sprinting machinery encased in upon the rules of the house, there was Kown's company bought heavily of supther discovered that they were not his a pair of snug fitting patent leather shoes, parents and court proceedings were insti- some idea can be had of his ability to tuted to take him from them. He was sent sprint when he has the regular trotting to the home of Representative Hanna in harness on-spike shoes and so forth .--

tiously got possession of him and they the fire of last week, the relic hunter is to the delight of the women and some men. branks and South Dakota, \$597,000; educaquaintances and wealthy friends are ing a person was seen carrying off a silver anxious to send him to school if he is platter, and when questioned, said it would conference with Mr. Hitchcock and Mr. reservations, \$15,000. make a fine souvenir of the fire. It had Bourke Cockran, one of the Tammany been saved from the jeweler's cabinet in the drug store. A good deal of the jewelry and other things saved from the drug store went the same road. The editor had no insurance on his paper stock and worked hard to save it from the flames. Among other things which we dragged to safety were 10,000 envelopes, which we had just bought. An inventory now shows only 4.500. Those missing are probably making fine souvenirs somewhere, but they ought to be printed. The fire affected others differently. The crackling of the fire made a fine accompaniment for the latest ragtime songs, and still others were able to execute a jig step or two, while the firemen were ugging at burning walls and breathing the hot smoke in an effort to save the balance of the town. It is never too late for a person to repent, but hell is too good for some people at any stage of the game .-

tional prominence before the American BANK IN MICHIGAN CLOSES

Ginzter is President Will Not

Open Today.

DETROPT, Mich., Dec. 3 .- In order to avoid a threatened run on the bank tomorrow and to afford all depositors and creditors an equal chance in the settlement of The speakers included F. A. Vanderlip. the bank's affairs, State Bank Commisvice president of the National City bank, sioner Zimmerman yesterday announced New York; William B. Ridgeley comptroller that the Chelsea Savings bank of Chelsea, man of J. & W. Seligman, New York, and has deposited in the bank approximately William A. Nash, president of the Corn \$684,000 of the funds of the state of Mich-CHARITON—Mrs. Mailory and Mrs.
Thayer, chief stock holders in the defunct
First National bank, have not yet announced what course they will pursue. The
two women cut short their tour of the
world and hurried back when the disaster
happened. They are in consultation and
will announce their policy in a few days.
At a meeting of the depositors it was decided to ask the controller of the currency
at Washington to appoint H. M. Bosswick
of Woodbine as permahent receiver. Ho
has been acting as temporary receiver.
More duplicity in the affair has come te
light, it has been discovered that Crocker
application. The should have
been accomplished, however, in a much
THORE MIROLING OLARS FOREST. Exchange National bank of New York. | igan. Attorney General Bird said that the

It is stated that the banking commissioner has been closely scrutinizing the affairs of the Chelsea Savings bank for some time in connection with the private cusiness of State Treasurer Glasier, and that of the Glasier Stove company of Chelses. The impression was held that if Mr. Glaster could pull these latter in terests through the hank would not necessarlly fall into difficulties.

The banks above mentioned, showever, of contempt of court, was argued in the in today's conference announced a de supreme court of the United States today, cision to petition for a receiver for The case deals with the rights of states the Giazier Stove company in order to proto prescribe railroad rates, and the im- text approximately 2606,000 of paper which portance of the matter was indicated by they are reported to have been carrying the efforts to intervene which was made in for Mr. Glaster and the stove company. behalf of the corporations doing business This action or the part of the banks, it in other parts of the country, which in- was thought would cause a run on Mr. Giarier's bank tomorrow, and the diosing The case against Mr. Young grew out of the bank was decided upon by. Bank Commissioner Zimmerman in order to protect all interests alike. The bank is cap general, from enforcing the state law of italized for \$100,000 and has a surplus of

about \$100,000. Mr. Glazier is reported to be sick at his ing, granted a temporary injunction in ac- home in Chelsea and was not present at

Slashed with a Razor

With Other New Senators He Has to Take What He Can Get.

HOUSE MEMBERS ARE FORTUNATE

Norris Presents Bill for Protection of Bank Depositors and Hitcheook Has Postal Savings Bank Bill.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 - (Special Tel-

egram.)-Since flowers were excluded Beyond the crowds that have always school not far from Pilger had one of the capitol for admission at the beginning effect. On the first day of July sanually, the spine. He did as follows: The spine is that stood out prominently in today's a long bone reaching from the skull to the gathering of the nation's lawmakers beyend little personal incidents which broke that you can sit down; otherwise you would have to sit standing.—Pilger Herald. up the monotony, particularly in the house. The session of the senate issted less than half an hour, in which time the new and old senators whose terms began on March 4 were sworn in. In this list was Senator Norris Brown of Nebrasks, who was escorted to the arena in front of the vice president's desk by his colleague, Senator Burkett; Senator Dolliver, who had as his escort the senior senator from Iowa, William B. Allison, while Senator Kittredge gingerly and with "I hate to do this" manner presented his lleague, Senator Gamble, for the oath contrast to the harmony and happiness with the postmaster general on the same which Senctors Burkett and Brown subject, it will be interesting to watch the showed as they moved up the aisle to the rostrum of the vice president.

Immediately after the administration of the oath, which the new senators and all stead of 160 as now and a bill restricting representatives are compelled to take at the beginning of each new congress, Senstor Brown took his seat in the so-called Mondell also wants a fish hatchery in Wyo-"Cherokee strip," buttressed by Borsh of ming, to cost \$15,000. Idaho and Stephenson of Wisconsin. Behind him is La Follette and in front Dixon known to a majority of the senators, was lard will reach Washington the last of the

House Less Dignified. The proceedings of the house lacked the

dignity which characterised those in the senate. The great hall of the lower branch of congress was filled early with a jostling mass of humanity, both on the floor and in the galleries, and members had difficulty in moving about, much less having quiet talks with colleagues. In view of the fact that there are 121 new members in the Sixtieth congress the presence of old-timers and even second-term men was more noticeable than usual and the reception given the leaders on both sides was hearty to

Beyond the speech of Speaker Cannon, which was much longer than usual, and suggested the launching of a presidential boom, and the incident of Representative Cooper of Wisconsin making an attack little of downright interest, unless it was the reception accorder the "pyerless leader." W. J. Bryan, by his demogratic friends when he appeared on the floor. cil and pad began to write. He held a long vations, \$15,000; sachema, until the time came for every the election of the speaker and other officers of the house.

Nebraskans Fare Well, In the drawing, the republican memerally well favored, all securing seats on A. Fry, substitute. Moulton, route 1, Carey the majority side and not being compelled C. Beggs, carrier; Roy Baggs, substitute.

to go to the "Cherokes Strip," a long narrow row of seats far to the right of the speaker's deak and out of range of vision of two thirds of the house, Owing to the increased number of democrats in the Sixtieth congress, a reassignment of space for both parties became necessary and in the drawing today a number of old members were compelled to "go way back and sit down in the strip," which will now cease to exist in all probability, since Oklahoma has entered the sisterhood of states.

From out of a flood of bills which almost swamped the bill clerks, were several of importance to the whole country and introduced by western members.

Judge Norris of the Fifth Nebraska presented a currency reform measure directing that within thirty days after the from the chambers of the two houses of passage of the act every national bank congress opening day of the national shall pay to the treasury of the United lawmaking body has been of less pic- States one-fifth of 1 per cent of its deposits turesque interest and each year there is as shown by its last report to the compless of display characterising the begin- troller of the currency and any national ning of the legislative branch of the gov- bank organized prior to the passage of ernment. This was especially true of to- the act and subsequent to the last procedday's beginning of the Sixtleth congress. ing report to the comptroller shall pay to said treasurer one-fifth of I per cent of knocked at the door of either end of the its deposits on the day the act spess into of the session there was little or nothing according to the Norris bill, every national bank shall pay to the treasury one-fifth of 1 per cent of its average deposits for the preceding fiscal year as shown by reports made .te the comptroller. The money so paid is to constitute a fund for the security of deposits in national banks and shall be under the control of the secretary of the treasury who shall invest the fund, or such part as he deems expedient, in United States bonds under certain restrictions, Judge Norris' bill also provides for insolvent national banks and their manner of liquidation.

Postal Savings Bill.

Mr. Hitchcook introduced a postal savings bill, which, it is said, has the endorsement f office. The coldness displayed between of Postmaster General Meyer, but as Sen-Senators Kittredge and Gamble was in fine ator Burkett also has had a conference putcome.

Congressman Mondell of Wyoming introduced a bill making 320-acre homesteads inthe right of entry under the desert land law and limiting the right of assignment. Congressman Pollard was the only meni-

ber of the Nebraska delegation who falled to take the oath of office today. Mr. Polbraska.

Every member of the Iowa delegation was present when the gavel fell today, but the absence of Judge Lacey was a subject of comment.

Senator Allison received a most flattering evation from his colleagues, who remarked upon his greatly improved appearance. The "Grand Old Man" of Iowa has not looked "fitter" in years and he said to a Bee correspondent that he would show some of the "youngsters" in the Hawkeye state what it was to run up against a seasoned veteran.

Appropriations for the West. The secretary of the treasury today transmitted to congress an estimate of appropriations required for the government for the fiscal year ending June 20, 1909; For the Indian school at the Sac and Fox reservation, including repairs, \$16,560; for care of insane Indians at the asylum Canton, Lincoln county, South Dakota, \$35,000; for Indian school at Genes, Neb, \$58,100; to fulfill treaties with the Nobrasks Winnebagoes, \$44,162; for support of Indian schools at Chamberlain, \$44,500; Bryan could not help but feel elated over Flandreau, \$72,625; Pierre, \$47,550; Rapid the reception accorded him and he beamed City, \$49,750; support of Sloux of differ-The Other Fellow's Trouble-In times like upon the galleries in his old theatrical way, ent tribes, including Santee Sloux of Nehave all disappeared. An effort is being alway in evidence and sometimes his ideas After the noise had subsided Mr. Bryan tion of Sioux in South Dakota, \$290,000; made to discover his whereabouts. In the of what constitutes a relic are very unique took a seat next to Mr. Hitchcock, from asylum for insane Indians at Canton, S. legislative sessions he made many ac- if not original. While the fire was progress- the Second Nebraska district, and with pen- D., \$25,000; allotments on Rosebud reserallotments on Sloux

Minor Matters at Capital. Applications to convert into national member to vacate his seat because of the banks approved: The Bank of Ainsworth, biennial drawing for seats, which followed Neb., into the National bank of Ainsworth, with \$35,000 capital; the Dalias County Savings bank of Adel, Ia., into the First National bank of Adel, with \$50,000 capital. Rural carriers appointed for Iowa routes: bers of the Nebraska delegation were gen- Kewick, route 1, Ward S. Fry. carrier: A.

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