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We are going to reduce the price on every instrument on our floor. Nowhere will you find such a grand assortment of high grade pianos as we will display during this sale. These instruments will be sold for cash or on the easy payment plan just as the purchaser desires. This is a great opportunity for prospective piano purchasers. Pay us a visit, take advantage of the low prices that we are making in this cut price sale, select the piano and have it set aside and we will deliver it to you Christmas eve.

Look over the following list and see if there is not something you can use:

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	One Upright Emerson
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	One Upright Stoddard\$90.00
	One Upright Wegman, used one year\$100.00
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Ĭe	w Interior Piano Players \$275.00, \$300.00, \$325.00, \$3

One Upright Marshall\$129.00 One Upright Smith & Barnes\$132.50 One Upright Bailey\$142.00 One Upright Ivers & Pond \$165.00 One Upright Behr Bros \$167.50 One Upright Fischer, used two years \$175.00 One Uprgiht Estey, used six months \$190.00 One Upright Kingsbury \$135.00

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HAYDEN BROTHERS PIANO DEPARTMENT

Mrs. Nethaway Succumbs to Wounds This angered the child and she threw the

CLOSE CALL FOR SENATOR ALLEN

Danghter Resents Language of Note Left Her by Her Father and Burns It-Remains Loyal to Her Mother's Memory.

NORFOLK, Neb., Dec. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-Mrs. Nethaway succumbed today to her husband's shots. It was Nethaway's wish, in a letter he left, that the two tragedy victims be buried together. It transpired today that former Senator Allen narrowly escaped death at Nethaway's hands twice this week. Monday and Wednesday Nethaway sat in district court, just behind his wife with a loaded revolver in his pocket. He resented Senator Allen's efforts to secure allmony for the vemas. It is believed, had the case come to trial. Allen would have been shot. The daughter, Sophia Nethaway, will get \$10,000 life insurance. Nethaway left three death messagel, one for the daughter and two for his mister. Luly Nethaway, who is traveling in the state with a theatrical troups. These have not been opened. E. Nethaway, father of the dead murderer, says the second shot was undoubtedly intended for Mrs. Fred Harder, who sat with Mrs. Nethaway, and whose bat was shot off. Mrs. Kethaway died in the city hall. It has not yet been determined whether V.P. Nathaway and his wife will be buried side by side or not. Nethaway's parents desire it but the daughter is not favorable and it is thought Mrs. Nethaway's relatives, expected soon, will object. Sophia Nethaway burned the note left by

I LOSE, YOU WIN

"A suit at your own price" idea proves popular in Omaha.

It is an old and proven saying that what is one's loss is another's gain. This is most clearly shown every day at

the sale Dresher is holding in his temporary headquarters at 1511 Farnam Street. Dresher is losing from 20 to 50 per cent on every suit or overcoat he sells and the dozens who have, each day since the sale opened, availed themselves of the opportunity to purchase a top notch tailor-made suft or overcoat for less than the price of a ready made suit, are rejoicing over their

The old location of Dresher, the tailor, is out of commission and he is in the temporary location at 1511 Farnam street.

He is disposing of his enormous stock at ridiculously low prices, so that he may go into the newly finished store with a new

"I am in business to stay, and if I falled during this sale to live up to my reputation for fine tailoring I would be ruined," is the answer to the squestion, "Can you give the same high grade workmanship during this sale that you have always given ?"

"Every man making a purchase during this sale I expect to develop inte a regular contamer, and this can be done only by giving superior quality and workmanship right straight through. So rest assured on that point."

Every one buying during this sale will be given the same service as if full prices were charged, but the early ones have the largest assertment from which to select. The temporary location is 1511 Farnam.

become an accomplished woman. He told

Paine's store, Lincoln, recently and also worked at the insane hospital at Hastings. Railway Commission Has Two Cases It developed today that Mrs. Nethaway's in His Hands Involving Enforceparents, the Dalley's of Ord, Neb., objected ment of Its Decrees-Test-

women were en route to Madison to renew their bonds as witnesses when the shooting occurred. Mrs. Nethaway's basis for for the Deaf and Dumb for the six months ending November 30 was \$84.34, according Man Stabbed at South Bend. to the report of Superintendent White. SOUTH BEND, Neb., Dec. 6.-(Special Officers' salaries amounted to \$30.28 per Telegram.)-Homer Foster was found between 8 and 9 o'clock last night lying on maintenance, \$40.05 per capita. The total amount expended for officers' salaries was the street here with numerous cuts on his person, one of which, on his temple, bled \$5,420; employes', wages, \$2,843.65; for mainso profusely that he was nearly dead from loss of blood when found. He has been working for Dan Phelps, a farmer. Tuesday he went to Omaha. He returned in company with another man who as yet is unidentified. They grew mutually suspi-

cious and finally engaged in a fight. He was still alive at noon. His home is in Fowler, Kan. Thirty Days for Larceny. BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. &-(Special Teleegram.)-John Kuhl and James Hohlman pleaded guilty to the charge of petit larcany today and were sentenced to thirty days in jail. They are the young men who stols a lot of laprobes and whips from a number of farmers in Sicily township on the night of October 21, during a school en- institution rented two acres of land, ex-

Attendance at Normals. KEARNEY, Neb., Dec. 8.-(Special.)-Officers of the Kearney Normal school object to the statement that the attendance in the normal classes of the high schools exceeds that at both state normals. They say the former totals 1,166, while the attendance at both normals is 2,461, counting each student once only.

Bentrice Man Robbed. BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 6 -(Special Telegram.)-L. El Bloodgood, a prominent farmer living east of Bentrice, was robbed of his clothing and \$65 at the Windsor hotel at Omaha last night. He was enroute to Huron, S. D., but returned to Beatrice today, after discovering that he had been

her not to fall into her mother's errors.

loyal to her dead mother. In a letter to

his sister Nethaway refers to his wife as

the meanest woman that ever lived. Mrs.

Nethaway was saleswoman in Miller &

Witnesses to the murder of Frank Jar

mer by Herman Boche here last spring

were all witnesses to this wife murder. The

to her marrying Nethaway.

divorce was cruelty.

Use Bee want ads to boost your business. Nebraska Telephone company to sell

SHOOTING DEAD her father to her. In it the father urged EXPENSE OF STATE'S WARDS coupon books containing \$120 worth of service for \$100 was adopted this after-

for the Blind Report to Governor.

ATTORNEY GENERAL KEPT BUSY

ing Elevator Law. (From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 6 .- (Special.)-The per capita cost for maintaining the Institute

tenance, \$7,171.15. For repairs and improvements, \$1,122.24 was expended. Farm products consumed were valued at \$596.65. The total amount expended by this institution for the six months excluding repaire, was \$15,079.60. The total cost of running the State School for the Blind at Nebraska City for the last six months was \$7,447.84, a per capita cost of \$137.91. For general repairs, addition to the main building and a tubular fire escape, \$5,834.31 was spent. This is shown by the semi-annual report of Superintendent J. T. Morey, filed with the governor teday. An addition to the main building cost \$3,701; general repairs, \$1,433.31; fire

escape, \$500. Of the appropriations of 1905, \$7,063 lapsed into the state treasury. The pended \$11 for rent and seed and raised \$57.50 worth of vegetables, berries and cane. From the broom shop, whose machinery and material is valued at \$580, there was sold \$85.62 worth of brooms. Suit Against Telephone Company.

The State Railway commission authorized the attorney general to file sult against the Nebraska Telephone company for violation of the commission law, The tlephone company admitted it had furnished to Burlington railroad employes telephones at a cheaper rate than the rate charged the general public. This, the commission holds, is a discrimination. The company said in return for the reduced rate made the railread comployes the company collected the rent for the telepone company.

The opinion of the attorney general olding it was a discrimination for the

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BIG SALE SATURDAY

Hose Carts. 250 to \$1.38; Patrol Wagons, 35c to \$1.38; Magnetic Toys, 10c to 48c; Mechanical Toys, 10c to 48c; Mechanical Toys, 10c to 42.95; Automatic Toys, 25c to 95c; Magic Lanterns, 24c to \$4.95; Steam Engines, 25c to \$4.95; Drimting Presses, 25c to 45.95; Steam Engines, 25c to \$4.95; Printing Presses, 25c to 56.95, Drums, 16c to \$4.95; Printing Presses, 25c to 56.95, Drums, 16c to \$4.95; Printing Presses, 25c to 49c; Banks, 5c to 12.83; Blocks, 5c to \$1.95; Tops, 5c to 49c; Banks, 5c to \$5c; Painting Sets, 10c to \$2.55; Burcaus, 10c to \$2.95; Velocipedes, \$1.48 to \$2.55; Burcaus, 10c to \$2.95; Sedsteads, 10c to \$2.55; Chairs, 10c to \$2.95; Nofas, 25c to \$1.83; Dasks, 45c to \$4.95; Noah's Arks, 10c to \$1.83; Animals in Boxes, 10c to 98c; Express Wagons, 75c to \$4.95; Wheelbarrows, 10c to \$5c; Bwords, 10c to \$4.95; Boilf's Trousseaus, 48c to \$1.95; Bring the Children in Baturday.

Heads of Institutes for the Deaf and this practice. The question came up when

to stop selling the coupon books Stock Yards to Be Called. Attorney General Thompson has about ompleted his petition to be filed in the supreme court asking for a mandamus to compel the Union Stock Yards company of South Omaha to file its schedulof rates with the Railway commission. This suit involves the right of the commission to exercise jurisdiction over the stock yards and the decision will settle

that question. Inspecting Railroad Tracks. The members of the Railway commission will start out Monday to again inspect the Missouri Pacific tracks. This is to be the final inspection, and if the company has done as the commission thinks it

capita; employes' wages per capita, \$13.57; the slow speed order will be rescinded.

Tax Sale Law Assailed. The heirs of William H. Trainer of New York, in a brief filed in the supreme court today, attacked the constitutionality of those sections in the revenue law relating to the giving of a deed by a county treasurer upon the surrender of a tax certificate any time within two years after the certificate had been issued. The case came up from Box Butte county and involves he deed to a quarter section of land near Alliance, valued at \$6,400, which was purchased at a tax sale for \$3.92, by the Maverick Loan & Trust company. The lower court held the deed valid. The taxes were for the year 1902 and not being paid on time became delinquent and in the course of vents the property was sold and bought in by the Maverick Loan & Trust company, to whim a deed was issued by the county treasurer after two years. The original owners of the property sought to pay the company the amount of taxes and interest as provided in the old revenue law, but their offer was refused. They then sought to pay the amount to the county treasurer and have him canbel the deed but he refused. In the brief filed it is argued that this deed should have been ssued in accordance with the old revenue law, as the taxes were due before the enactment of the 1903 revenue law. Under the old law, the brief contends, it was necessary before a deed issued for foredosure proceedings to be brought, while under the 1903 law, after two years subsepuent to the issuance of a tax certificate it is only necessary for the holder of the certificate to notify the original owner and unless the latter pays up withle hree months he secures his deed from the treasurer upon the surrender of the certificate. This law, the brief contends, is not constitutional, because it deprives a person of property without due process of law; to secure a deed it is not necessary for any court order; but the matter is wholly within the hands of the purchaser of the tax certificate. Were this law to be held valid it would be mossible for the legislature to shorten the time for redemption and make new laws retro-

Elevator Law Challenged. In their brief filed in the supreme court

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brief says, does not possess. The brief in-

sists that the supreme court reveerse the

oday in support of their appeal from the teclaion of the district court of Caps county, in the case of the state against the Missouri Pacific railroad, involving the evying of a \$600 fine on the company because of its refusal to furnish a place on its right of way for the erection of an elevator by the Manley Co-Operative Grain company, the afterneys for the railroad deny the right of the court to hear the case and attack the constitutionality of the Rumsey elevator law. After the grain ompany had been refused a site on the right of way for its elevator the building was crected off of the right of way and then application was made for a sidetrack to be constructed to the elevator. This

state traffic and therefore come under the laws enacted by congress for the control of interstate business. The state, the brief contends, has no power whatever to reguthe supreme court of the United States and from the Interstate Commerce act as well as from savings of President Roosevelt. whose utterances they say are directly in line with their arguments. In the matter of the constitutionality of the elevator act under which the penalty was assessed, the railroads, while the statute provides elevator. It also contends that to compel the railroad to furnish a portion of its

private corporation, which the legislature has not done. Petition Wrong Party. Petitions are still arriving at the office of Governor Shaldon, calling upon him to enforce the anti-treat law. Until the act in the matter it is not up to the governor. I has been suggested that as the petitioners say the law is being violated dally it is up to them to furnish their evidence to the county attorney in the county in which they reside. If that official refuses to act then the call on the governor to act would be in season. It is probable the governor will take no action in the matter as it now stands.

the right of eminent domain upon a

Pinus Are Laid for Big Gathering of

Members of Order. GENTRAL CITY, Neb., Dec. 6 .- (Special.) Thursday, December 19, will be a banner day in the annals of Modern Woodcraft in this section of the state, if the big silver anniversary class adoption and rally which the Modern Woodmen of America are planning to pull off on that date in Central City takes place as planned for by those who have the matter in charge.

The Woodmen camps at Archer, Palmer, Chapman, Clarks, Silver Creek, Marquette, Polk, Stromsburg, Osceola, Shelby Central City will be represented, and it is the aim to have a class of 300 candidates, and from present prospects this mark will

District Deputy Charles G. Nelson has charge of the preparation and the work of securing members, and the Central City Commercial club has put up \$50 to be used as cash prizes. A prize of \$20 will be given to the camp bringing the largest class of candidates for adoption: \$20 will be given to the camp making the largest per cent of gain by having their candidates here



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request was denied and the elevator com- for adoption; \$30 for the camp having the to the usual standard. Cash payments are pany went into court and a penalty of \$500 largest delegation in the line of the parade still limited, but with the certificate ar-

was levied against the railroad. In the at 2 p. m., and District Deputy Nelson will rangement all demands are being satisfacmeantime the elevator company applied to give a prize of \$10 to the camp having the torily met, the tSate Railway commission for an order best uniformed team in line at the parade. compelling the railroad to construct the Central City will be excluded from all the sidetrack and the case is pending before prizes. The street parade will take place at 1

In the railroad brief it is contended that p. m. and immediately after State Lecturer both the railroad and the Manley Co-opera- J. M. Leidy will speak at the opera house. tive Grain company are engaged in inter- The initiation and floor work will be held at the opera house in the evening. Special deputies are at work in the lecalities of the various camps to be represented in the rally, and the business men late the traffic of these two companies and of the town are making especial preparation in support of this contention numerous to entertain the crowds which it is exquotations are made from the decision of pected will be here. Inspecting Normal Schools.

KEARNEY, Neb., Dec. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-Superintendent Fullmer of Beatrice, Miss O'Connell, principal of the Ashland schools, and Superintendent Dodwell of Norfolk, state inspecting committee on the brief says the constitution says all per- normal schools, was in the city today and sons shall receive equal facilities from attended the chapel exercises and during the balance of the day visited the differthe elevators to which the railroad shall ent parts of the school. The committee is run side tracks must have a capacity of expected to visit the Kearney and Peru 15,000 bushels, which the brief says is normals and with them as a standard see clearly a discrimination against the smaller that the smaller normals which are opened and held within the state keep up to the mark with these two schools. right of way for an elevator is confering

Changes on New Road. SEWARD, Neb., Dec. 6.-(Special.)-Vice-president Willard of the Burlington railroad and a number of other officers were at this place Tuesday on a special train. They came in over the new Milford line, which they inspected, and as a result county attorneys of the state refuse to all freight trains were sent over the Germantown line until some changes can be made. Passenger trains are ordered to be run only ten miles an hour over some points. Extensive changes will be made between here and Tamora.

Reports Good at Hastings. HASTINGS, Neb., Dec. 6 .- (Special.)-The official statements of the Hastings national banks reflect a highly flattering condition. The aggregate of deposits is larger RALLY OF THE MODERN WOODMEN than a year ago by approximately \$50,000. All banks show an increase in cash resources. For the last ten days banking operations in Hastings have been fully up

Nebraska News Notes.

BEATRICE-Scott Conner and Mrs. Martha Studiey, both of Cortland, were married here yesterday by Judge Spafford. YOR-A. C. Hull of New York City, trav-eling secretary for the students' volunteer movement, visited the college on Friday, addressing the students in the chapel. SEWARD-Three days' rummage sale conducted this week by the women of the Congregational church netted \$75, and provided many people with comfortable cloth-

SEWARD-Mrs. A. H. Ehlam died at her home in Soward, Monday, and was buried Tuesday. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Philip Smith of the Methodist church.

YORK-E. J. Brown, stenographer to District Judge Evans, has accepted ap-pointment as court stenographer to Judge Letton of the supreme court and will meve

HARVARD—Corn gathering was com-pleted with pleasant November weather and farmers will have little to do till spring crans giving them opportunity for a much opens, giving them opportunity for a

BEATRICE—H. T. Beals yesterday fin-ished gathering 100 acres of corn, which yielded thirty-five bushels to the acre. He sold 1,100 bushels to local dealers for 43% cents per bushel.

BEATRICE—County Treasurer Barnard yesterday made his settlement with the state and will turn over the sum of \$12.233.74 to the state treasurer as collections for the month of November.

BEATRICE-The failure of the National Bank of Commerce of Kansas City came as a surprise to the business men of Beat-rice. Not one bank in Beatrice carried deposits with the institution.

PAPILLION-Richard F. O'Brien was tried before the district court and jury yesterday for selling liquor at Manawa in Sarpy county and acquitted, as the state failed to prove it was in Sarpy county. HARVARD—Carl Parker has bought an interest in the electric light plant and has assumed local management and is building up the business by placing many lights in business houses and homes of our city.

BEATRICE—A secret service man who visited Beatrice a few days ago had his grip stolen at the Rock Island depot. The officers are working on the case, but have not succeeded in locating the guilty party. BURWELL.—The Burwell house was set on fire by some children playing in one corner and the blaze was under good headway when the siarm was given, but the fire company responded and in a few mo-

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