THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1907.

### NEWS INTEREST OF FRC

## COUNCIL BLUFFS Office 15 Scott Street. Both 'Phones 43.

#### MINOR MENTION.

Davis, drugs. Stockert sells carpets. Ed Hogern, Tony Faust beer. Buy a diamond for her at Leffert's. See Schmidt's elegant new photos. Lewis Cutler, funeral director, 'Phone B Woodring Undertaking company. Tel. 229. Pictures and frames, Borwick, 211 S. Main.

Sewing machines, guaranteed, \$15.00 and up. Peterson & Schoening Co. Leather and water color novelties. Alex-ander's Art Store, \$25 Broadway. Send your family washing to the Bluff City Laundry. Hough dry 6c per pound. Tel, 314.

C. A. Aikins of the independent Tele-phone company is home from a trip to Oklaboma and Texas.

Mrg. Clara Snodgrass has gone to Emer-son, Neb., to join her husband. They will make their home there.

Freez Hetrick, 206 Grace street, was re-ported to the board of health yesterday as suffering from diphtheria.

Overstocked with diamonds; must turn into cash. Will make a big sacrifice. Sam Snyder, 228 W. Broadway.

les space for rent at an electric light fur-ion, steam heat and electric light fur-ed. Omaha Hee, 16 Scott street.

Charles Stevenson, allas "Dutch" Steven-son, will have a hearing in police court this morning on a charge of vagrancy.

Bredal discount of 15 per cent on com bination bookcases. Just the thing fo Xmas presents. D. W. Keller, 103 S. Main BUY YOUR HOLDAY WINES AND LIQUORS, PUREST, OLDEST AND BEST, FROM L ROSENFELD CO., 31 SOUTH MAIN.

Excelsior Masonic lodge will meet in regular communication this evening, at which time oncers for the ensuing year will be elected.

WAIL DE CHECKE. WATCH FOR THE GREAT OPENING OF OLE TOY DEPARTMENT. BIGGER. BETTER THAN EVER. PETERBEN & SCHOENING CO.

William Kelley, who died last Saturday at his home in Pacific Junction, was buried in St. Joseph's cometery, this city, yes-terday afternoon.

The Woman's auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal church will hold a special meet-ing this afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. Tinley on Willow avenue.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the First Congregational enurch will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kentz, 800 South Sixth street,

James C. Ford, a brakeman for the Chi-cago Great Weatern railroad, is being held at the city jail on suspicion of being a deserter from the United States army.

deserter from the United Btates army. Owing to the high wind the test of the new turret nozzio, recently purchased for the fire department, to have been made yesterday morning, was indefinitely post-poned. Nine mains of shoes found in a thresh-Nine pairs of shoes found in a thresh-

Nine pairs of shoes found in a thresh-ing machine at Fifteenth avenue and Beventh street and supposed to be part of the loot from a freight car, have been turned over to the police. The meeting of the Men's league at the Broadway Methodiat church has even-ing was addressed by State Senator C. G. Baunders on banks and banking in rela-tion to the recent financial flurry.

Archie Smill, driver for Krettek brothers, who was injured by falling from a wagon last Saturday, has sufficiently recovered to be able to leave the Edmindson Me-morial hespital and return to his home.

Our stock of pictures and arts by lead-ing artists is larger than over this year. We make a specialty of picture framing. Just in: Japanese woven vases, exclusive designs, especially for Xmas presents. H. Borwick, III South Main.

F. M. Scarr, a clerk employed in the First National bank, living at 745 West Washing-ton avenue, roported to the police yester-day the loss of a small pocketbook con-taining a diamond ring and a diamond stud, valued at about \$500, and a small amount in cash.

Rev. Henry De Long performed the marriage coremony be Long performed the mar-riage coremony yesterday, for Maurice Beeson and Neills Thornburg, both of Lin-coln, Neb.; Peter J. Peterson and Lulla D. J. Peterson, both of Omaha, and J. H. Davis of Kanaas City, Mo., and Elizabeth Stepherson of Liberty, Mo.

of the state. Petersen & Schoening Co. SALOON MEN ACCEPT EDICT

Not Inclined to Make Any Fuss About Order of County Attorney.

REALIZE IT WOULD BE FUTILE Sixty-One Places in Council Blaffs and

Twenty-Three in the County Outside Which Come Under the New Edict.

The announcement that the mulct law was to be strictly enforced in Council Bluffs and Pottawattamie county was the topic of discussion generally throughout the city yesterday. It caused little, if any surprise, as some such action had been anticipated aince the trouble with the saloons in Davenport. Yesterday County Attorney Hess made public the letter received by him from Attorney General Byers and the notice sent out by him to the saloonkeepers throughout Pottawattamie county. They follow:

mile county. They follow: Byers to Hema. DES MOINES, Dec. 5, 1907.-John J. Hema, County Attorney, Council Bluffs, Ia.-My Dear Mr. Hess: Within the last week sev-eral complaints have been made to me about the manner in which the saloons are operating and carrying on their business in your county, and capecially in the city of Council Bluffs. I am informed that in your city some of the saloons run on Sun-day, have rear and side entrances, some of them back rooms, and a good many of them open practically all nigh. This condition of affairs must not be al-lowed to continue. The saloons in that county will either have to comply with the mulet law ar go out of business. I know you are very busy and that ordinarily the public prosecutions on his own motion, but the saloon situation in several counties of this state, including your own, is an extraordinary one, and you will be entirely justified in taking prompt and even extreme measures to compel a compliance with the liquor laws of the state, and I would suggest that you notify the saloon keepers of your county that from this time on every provision of the mulet law must be compiled with, and follow the notice with injunction proceed-ing and grand jury investigation of every and even extreme whe fails to heed your warn-ing. These you will not feel that I am try-Byers to Hean.

## Hess to the Saloon Keepers.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Dec. 7, 1997.-Dear Sir: I have been directed by the attorney general of the state to insist upon a strict enforcement of the mulet law in this county and you will therefore in the future observe all the conditions of this law in connection with the place of busi-mess conducted by you and comply strictly with the law.

law in connection with the place of bush-ness conducted by you and comply strictly with the law. I am writing you this letter so that you may inform yourself as to the require-ments of the law and I hope that you will see fit to bring your business within its strict letter by December 15, 1907, as by so doing you will save yourself much trouble and expense. Yours truly, JOHN J. HESS, County Attorney. While some of the saloon men anticipate a failing off in their revenues, owing to

falling off in their revenues, owing to the shortening of the hours and the changed conditions under which they will be required to conduct their business, they are apparently inclined to obey orders. In fact, they have no alternative, as failure to comply strictly with the mulct law will result in prosecution. County Attorney Henn said yesterday: "The letter from the attorney general will show that the county officials of Pottawattamie county

have no alternative in the matter. The

pointed a committee to draft a resolution blowing the safe in the office of the Counendorsing the action of Attorney General Byers in his endeavor to enforce the laws

Ladies' desks for Xmas, \$5.00 and up. Christmas Framing. attorney's entire argument to the jury.

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## WATER BATE ORDINANCE GO OVER

Committee of the Whole to Take Them Up This Evening.

Councilman Smith forestalled any action by the city council last night on the new all flat rates and compels the use of meters to the adoption of Councilman Smith's orcompany, being without a franchise, would not be willing to expend between \$40,000

house to replace the one at Bryant street

and Washington avenue, submitted his report, which was to the effect that the indebtedness of the city at present exceeded the constitutional limit and that consequently for some years to come the city

could not issue bonds for such a purpose. At the suggestion of City Solicitor Kimball a new ordinance requiring the railroads to establish gates at certain street crossings was passed under a suspension

of the rules. Mr. Kimball explained that In the proceedings brought in the district court by the city to compel the railroads to install the gates ordered a demurrer had been filed by the railroads interested at-tacking the validity of the ordinance call-ing for the erection of these safeguards. ing for the erection of these safeguards.

As the result of several persons having recently been brought into court on complaint of their neighbors for conducting private slaughtering houses, a resolution instructing the committee on police and health to investigate the advisibility and feasibility of establishing a public slaughter house, was adopted. The committee is to report at the next regular meeting of the

council. The committee on city property, to which had been referred a proposition from Lewis Hammer to purchase the old detention hospital property near Mynster Springs.

as the city might need it at some future time. The recommendation was concurred

The pay of the inspector of the concrete bridge being crected over Indian creek at Frank street was reduced from \$5 to \$3 a day.

Councilman Knudsen called attention to the fact that as a result of the good roads demonstration on Twenty-third avenue last summer a number of ditches had been left at the street intersections, which made the construction of several culverts necessary.

The committee on bridges was instructed to have the culverts put in at once. A bill for \$40 for a desk purchased by the fire and police commission brought up the

Leather Goods.

#### cil Bluffs Transfer and Stove Storage com pany, was taken yesterday. Counsel for Hedgepeth contended that County Attorney Hess in making his argument to the jury had gone outside the record. A new trial is also asked on the grounds that the court reporter failed to take down the county

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The Council Bluffs Commercial club at its monthly meeting last Wednesday exwater rate ordinances by tacking on an pressed itself as opposed to the proposed amendment to his measure which eliminates parcels post and Secretary Reed was instructed to so notify the postmaster gen by all consumers of water. One obstacle eral. The following letter has been drafted and was sent yesterday, not only to the dinance is the fact that the water works postmaster general, but also to the eleven congressmen and two senators from this

state:

not be willing to expend between \$40,000 and \$50,000 in installing meters, To over-come this Mr. Bmith's amendment pro-vides that in the event of the city pur-chasing the present water plant or con-structing a new one, it is to purchase the meters from the company. It was decided that the council meet in the committee of the whole this even-ing and take up the three new water rate ordinances. City Solicitor Kimball, to whom had been referred the question of the ability of the city to issue bonds for the purchase of a site and the erection of a new engine house to replace the one at Hryant street

Hand-Painted Chins.

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These transfers were reported to The Bee December 9 by the Pottawattamle County Abstract company of Council Bluffg:

in Park addition to Macedonia, Ia.
w. d.
Balina Bell and husband to Leona F.
Fauble, lot 5, block 25, Central sub-division to Council Bluffs, Ia.; w. d.
Agnes Folsom and Ward P. Folsom to Solomon Oliver, lot 5, block 14, in Railroad addition to Council Bluffs, Ia.; w. d.
William Hill to F. J. Schnorr, lots 6 and 7 in Fitches subdivision in Coun-cil Bluffs, Ia.; w. d.
Augusta Lohan to Edith Bacon, lot 8, Aud's subdivision of ne% sw% of 20-75-45; w. d. 15 1,900

. \$2,066 Total A beautiful china closet will make an appreciative and lasting Xmas present. Call recommended that the property be not sold and see our line. Petersen & Schoening Co.

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## Books and Papers Safe.

When the vault of the burned warehouse of David Bradley & company was opened yesterday morning the contents was found to be practically uninjured, although some of the books and papers were slightly

scarched on the edges. When the mass set debris was moved from the top of the vacit, smoke was seen ue and it the falling walls had erushed in the vault. Luckily, however, this was found not to be the case, although in one place a small aperture was discovered. This it is believed was made while the workmen were removing the pile of brick and other debris which covered the vault.



# Ministerial Association at Des Moines Decides to Call Convention.

CHARGE AGAINST MAJOR PARKER

Railroad and Express Men Gather for Rearing on Express Rates Before the State Ballway Commission.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Dec. 10 .- (Special.)-At the meeting of the Des Moines Ministerial association today, resolutions were adopted favoring a campaign of agitation for a prohibitory constitutional amendment on all liquor business, and it was decided to issue a call soon for an "amendment con glasses, see Dr. Terry, the Council Bluffs vention," at which plans for the campaign will be perfected. It was decided as a preliminary measure to call a meeting to be held in this city of the leaders of the various temperance organisations, these leaders to unite in the call for the "amend-

ment convention." Rev. W. C. Barber, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of lowa, addressed the meeting of the ministers. He informed them that the league is already at work conducting a campaign of agitation for

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was not a success from a financial point of deeming the profession with a little gaso view. Early last spring the managers of line smell .- Holt County Democrat. the Waverly sugar beet factory, the first

Pitch in the County Jail-Some fellows, tracted for 114 acres of sugar beets in whose names we were unable to find out, that county and the crop therefrom was played a pretty good joke on the fellows 962 tons. While some excellent bests were who congregate in the corridors of the grown and some of the farmers realized county jail evenings to while away the well on the crop, wet weather of the time in playing a social game of pitch, one spring and summer proved disastrous and hight the forepart of the week. They seresulted in many failing to get back the cured a plank and closed the iron door and noney paid out in the cultivation and har- braced the plank against it, making the resting the beets. Where the crop was not inmates practically prisoners, who finally hurt by wet weather, the quality of the used the telephone in calling someone from beets was equal to those of the famous the outside to remove the plank. If the perpetrators of the joke had only cut the telephone wires the joke would have been

complete.-Bloomington Advocate, Most Wonderful Healing. After suffering many years with a sore,

Public speakers are frequently interhappen if Foley's Honey and Tar were prevents pneumonia and consumption. The

gists. NEBRASKA FROM DAY TO DAY

Verdel Outlook.

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in a Rapidly Growing Sunday closing. State.

The editor will grin-a good, broad grin- Mr. Busch, with his wife and a party of friends, passed through Kansas Cli e who will

one to commence operations in Iowa, consugar beet belt of Michigan.

Upholstering. George W. Klein, 19 South Main street. Phones: Ind. 710 Black; Bell, 548.



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of Modified Sunday Closing.

Amos King, Port Byron, N. Y., was cured

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 10-Adolphus Busch. the millionaire brewer of St. Louis, was Quaint and Curious Features of Life quoted in an interview here today as saying he favored local option and partial

Charles W. Ford, a negro, is being held by the police for investigation. He answers the description given by Miss Carrie Jeu-sen of the colored man who beat and pobbed her. Ford, when arrested, was wearcorduroy cap, such as the negro who ltod Miss Jensen wors.

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Winter term Western Iowa college is now open. Students are enrolling every day. f.end for catalogue. 'Phone for information.

Marriage Licenses.	
Licenses to wed were issued.	yesterday
to the following:	
Name and Residence. Maurice Becson, Lincoln, Neb Nellie Thornburg, Lincoln	Age
Peter J. Petersen, Omaha Lulla D. J. Petersen, Omaha	
J. H. Davis, Kansas City, Mo Elizabeth Stephenson, Liberty, Mo	0
John IL Holts, Omaha	

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of the right of the commission aloons must comply with the law. As to incur any liability without first securing I stated Sunday, no favoritism will be permission from the sity council. The bill shown; all will have to obey alike. Such was cut out of the list approved and resaloon men as have discussed the matter ferred to the city solicitor. with me are willing to comply with the At the same time I am free to

STORE OPEN EVENINGS. BORWICK. state that there has never been any local 211 SOUTH MAIN. demand made on me to enforce the mulci

#### Number Affected by Order.

We have a large stock of high grade There are sixty-one saloons in Council leather goods which we have no room Bluffs, including three in that portion of properly to display. Purses, hand bags the city located on the west side of the and card cases will be offered at low Missouri river. These pay a license of \$77.20 prices to get rid of them. Leffert's. a month each, of which the city receives

In Pottawattamie county, outside of Council Bluffs, there are five saloons in Avoca, four in Minden, four in Walnut, two in Underwood, four in Neola, two in Treynor, one in Bently and one in McClelland.

order.

law.

For a considerable period the "lid" has een on in Council Bluffs on Sundays, and so Mr. Hess stated in his reply to the attorney general. Mr. Heas further stated that the mulct law has been complied with n many respects in this city, some saloon men observing practically all of its provisions, and that in his opinion reports of conditions here had been somewhat exaggerated. Mr. Heas told Mr. Byers, that he would do all in his power to carry out the suggestions contained in the attorney general's letter, and inclosed a copy of his notice to the saloon keepers of this county. The Council Bluffs Ministerial association at its weekly meeting yesterday ap-

Library Must Out Expenses. The board of trustees of the free public library at its monthly session last evening was confronted with the necessity of reducing the expenses of maintaining the institution, especially so far as the cost of lighting and heating is concerned. While it was agreed among the directors that the use of the auditorium should be available to public societies and other bodies invited to hold their meetings and conventions, it

was decided that societies and other organizations using the building for weekly. monthly or other stated meetings should be required to pay for the use of whatever room they occupied. The committee on administration was instructed accordingly to investigate this matter and fix some schedule of rent or fee for the use of the

rooms. The building committee was instructed to confer with the county supervisors relative to securing heat from the court house plant and as to the practicability and ad-

visability of installing a lighting plant for the court house, county jail and library building.

The question of providing a room for the Historical society was discussed and for the present the alcove room in the south end will be used for storing such matter as the society may collect. The report of the librarian for November

showed 3,140 volumes issued from the circulating department. The patronage of the library shows a steady increase. It was decided to close the north en-

trance for the winter months and do without lights on this side of the building. Pictures and picture framing. Jensen &

## Nicolaisen, Masonic temple.

Merry Xmas to All, This is our Twenty-fifth holiday season and we cordially tovite you to get the beat we ever produced for Xmas gifts. Photographs and portraits that are pleasing to the most particular critics, who desire the newest of all the new ones in the various materials and tones: mounted on the neatest and daintiest cards or folders in the very latest designs. Remember all our work is guaranteed to please you. Come any kind of weather; no stitlings made after 4:30 p. m. All sittings made before December 23 positively finished before Xanas. We have pleased for a quarter of a century. Schmidt, photographer.

Matters in District Court. The sealed verdict brought in after midnight Saturday by the district court jury in the personal injury damage suit of J. C.

en against the street railway company when opened by Judge Green yesterday morning was in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of 250. Jansen sued for \$2,000.

All of the books and papers were removed to the temporary offices of the firm in the Beno building on Pearl street.

Clocks. Make the home a gift of a clock. We

have a large and varied assortment of plain and ornamental clocks at prices all through that cannot be beaten for reliable goods. From a dollar or two up, Leffert's.

### Mrs. Banford Dead,

Mrs. May Van Brunt Banford, wife of ment" campaign. Burton L. Banford, 221 Bluff street, died yesterday afternoon from typhoid fever.

aged 31 years. The funeral will be hold Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence and interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery. Mrs. Banford was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal church and the funeral services will be conducted by Rev. T. J. Mackay, rector of All Saints' church. Omaha.

## Elegant Cut Glass.

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Holdun Men Overlook Watch.

Pat Ryan, a fireman in the employ of the Milwaukee railroad, was held up and robbed by three men while on his way home from work after midnight Sunday. One of the men covered Ryan with a revolver while the other two went through

his pockets. The highwaymen got only 56 cents for their trouble and they overlooked a gold watch which Eyan carried in an inside pocket. Ryan is of the opinion the men were tramps.

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## Iowa News Notes.

IOWA CITY-James Slegling, aged 15, of Sharon Center, a village near here, was thrown by a skittlab pony last night while riding home from church. His neck was broken and he died instantly. He was a son of Marcus Slegling, who was killed by the accidental discharge of a shotgun some

the accidental discharge of a knotgun some time ago. CLINTON-While returning to his home here on a Eurilegiton train Rert E. Hunt, an automobile salesman, learned through a passenger of the death of his wife. Bellev-ing that her husband had descrited her she inhaled likiminating gas. The couple had been married clickt years and have a 2-year-old child. Hunt was wild with grief and declared he had not thought of de-secting her, but had been delained in Aurora, Ill. on business.

IOWA FALLS-Rallroad circles are in IOWA FALLS-Railroad circles are in-terested in an appointment just made that means a fine promotion for W. H. Hill, a well known lows railroad mun. Mr. Hill who had been division freight agent for the Burington, with headquarters at Buring-ton. Is., is made assistant general freight acent of the road and will be stationed at Kansas City. Mr. Hill is a nowhew of J. J. Hill and was formerly a division super-intendent of the Great Northern.

intendent of the Great Northern. The trial of the H0,000 personal fajury damage suit of M. Marcus against the street railway company was begun yes-terday. Marcus was in a car which col-lided with another and was thrown from his seat. As a result of the accident he allegus he is permanently afflicted with a nervous trouble. Testimony in the motion for a new trial in the case of Marion Hedgepeth, the pa-roled Missouri convict, found guilty of

nstitutional amendment and that the Women's Christian Temperance union and the third party prohibitionists each have hald lacturers who have been put into the field since the sentiment for law enforce ment became awakened.

There was some slight debate among the ministers whether or not it was expedient at this time to drop the subject of law enforcement at a time when the attention of the state is centered upon that der Times. and take up the subject of a prohibitory amendment. It was argued that with the awakened sentiment over law enforcement there could in all probability be secured a vigorous and thorough enforcement of the liquor laws. Dr. Emory Miller, a veteran minister, declared that the prohibitory law had never been as great a failure as the mulct law. He made a attrring speech and carried the day for a "prohibitory amend-

Charges Against Parker.

Charges were filed today against Major George H. Parker of the Fifty-sixth regiment of the Iowa National Guard, which necessitates another court martial, the third in the Iowa National Guard within a few weeks, the three being Kulp, Chantland ond to the motion?-Blair Pilot. and Parker. The charges against Major Parker are filed under the sixty-first and sixty-second articles of war and grow out of the troubles and irregularities attending the elecction of a colonel of the Fiftysixth, Parker and Chantland being candi-

dates for the position. There are thirty-two charges filed against Parker, the same charges being brought under each article of war. They relate to the interview he gave a Sloux City paper some days ago in which, among other things, he stated that he was "going after Thrift's scalp." Thrift is adjutant-general and a superior officer to Parker. The court martial to try Captain Kulp of Davenport will convene tomorro

At Fort Des Moines today the report that the Second cavalry had been ordered back from the Ute Indian country was con firmed. The regiment is expected here

Railroad and express men are gathered in Des Moines today. The Iown Railroad commission will meet tomorrow and take up the express rate hearing adjourned a couple of weeks ago to give the express company representatives an opportunity to gather some tangible facts relating to their present rates. Following this the commission will bold a hearing on the question of the milk and cream rate.

#### Italian Buncoed.

Napoleon Bohangi, a fruit vender, today presented an old and unused marriage license at a Des Moines bank and en deavored to get \$1.75 for it. He claimed that it was given to him as the \$4.75 change from a \$5 bill after he had purchased o quarter's worth of bananas and he was told it was one of the new clearing house certificates. When he learned the nature of the flocument he was wild with rage and is now engaged in hunting for the man who-passed it on him

#### Governor Offers Reward.

Governer Cumfains today affered, on the request of the authorities of Muscatine, a reward of \$600 for the capture of the murderer of Mr. and Mrs. Will Van Winkle near Muscatine. The supposed murderer was chased for a time by a sheriff's posse but it is represented now that he has cluded capture and his whereabouts is unknown.

#### Sugar Beets Unprofitable.

IOWA FALLS, In., Dec. 19 .- (Special.)-The returns from the first experiment in growing sugar beets in Franklin county are now being figured up and judging from reports the first year in the business scription. If it be a woman he will smile day in his special car on their way to -one of his sweetest smiles .- North Loup Pasadena, Cal., where the brewer has a winter home. "I am in favor of local Loyalist.

option," said Mr. Busch, in reply to the question of a newspaper man. "If a saloon A Pender Iconoclast-The goat owned by the boys at the Murray restaurant saw his is obnoxious to a community let it be

shadow in the window of H. V. Holdrige's voted out." He continued: office the other day and proceeded to "As to Sunday closing I have a plan that should meet with universal approval. It is 'charge'' at the other goat; hence the large broken window in the Herron block .-- Penthis: Close the saloon from midnight Saturday until 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon

and then let them open. That would give As. Enjoyable Time Was Had-While at- everyone an opportunity to go to church ending the party at Mr. and Mrs. William in the morning." McClintock's last Thursday evening, Mrs.

Art glass-FRENZER, 15th & Dodge, C. A. Bartlett had the misfortune to dis locate her right knee. The injury was very painful, but under the treatment of Dr. EXPRESS COMPANY WINS SUIT Sizsakin she is getting along very nicely,-

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the Next Day. Elasticity-Now that the holiday season is oming on we would like to see the kind ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 10 .- (Special Teleof elastic currency that would permit us to gram.)-In a decision by the federal circuit spend a part of a #5 bill and still have a court of appeals the South Dakota railroad good \$5 bill left. We would even be willing commissioners and federal court is overruled and United States Senator Thomas C, to have the principle extend to bills of other denominations. Do we hear a sec- Platt, as president of the United States Express company, wins in his suit against

the Aberdeen National bank of Aberdeen, Editors Next-Frank Campbell, jr., went S. D. Some time ago the express company office at Aberdeen refused to receive on to Omaha this week to bring an automobile up to Atkinson for C. H. Williams, the the day before shipment packages of money from the Aberdeen bank for transportation millionaire real estate dealer in Atkinson. on trains leaving at 6:30 a. m., 7:00 a. m. Mr. Williams is the fourth real estate man in Holt county that has bought an auto- and 7:45 a. m., claiming it had no safe in mobile. It is about time one of the edi- which to store the money and that the tors were coming to the front and re- bank did have one.

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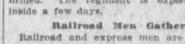
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