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The purchase of the block of ground bounded by Tenth, Eleventh, T and U streets is under consideration by the regents for an addition to the campus. Along with this tract the board may buy a couple of lots on the east side of Eleventh street.

Governor at Work.
 Governor Shallenberg went to work today on a list of about 200 applications for the position of bank examiner. He also has a select list of applications for the office of secretary of the state banking board, applications from those who believe the democratic party is big enough and great enough to furnish one man to fill this \$2,000 plum which a democratic legislature gave to the governor as his sole property to dispose of as he pleases. The governor will probably turn out a lot of appointments within a day or two. He has already offered the position of state fire warden to one of his friends, and as soon as he receives a reply will announce the appointment.

Barley Mead Misbranded.
 Food Commissioner Maine first prosecution under the pure food law for violation of that part of the act relating to the sale of intoxicating liquors brought forth pleas of guilty. E. C. Gass of Bluff and Chris Olson of Upland both entered a plea of guilty to misbranding a drink called barley mead. The liquor contained 4 per cent alcohol, but it contained no brand indicating the alcoholic contents of the net measure.

Lower Rate on Whisky.
 The Burlington Railroad company and the Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad company have been authorized to publish a rate of 25 cents a hundred on whisky and alcohol in less than carload lots from South Sioux City, Neb., to Omaha. The former rate was 37 1/2 cents a hundred. This is an emergency rate and goes into effect immediately according to an order of the railway commission.

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Sunday School Convention.
 CENTRAL CITY, Neb., April 23.—(Special.)—The annual county convention of the Merrick County Sunday School association convened in this city Tuesday, and continued in session two days. State Worker Paul B. Dietrich of Omaha was present, and gave some interesting talks. Sunday school matters in general were discussed by pastors and prominent workers from over the county, and many points of interest were developed. One of the most interesting features was the instruction given by State Superintendent of Elementary Work Miss Margaret E. Brown of Grand Island, Wednesday afternoon. Fifty children were used to illustrate handling of elementary classes.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. C. Martin; vice president, Mark Seare; secretary and treasurer, Dean Smith. The following superintendents were elected: Home department, Mrs. J. B. Philbrook; teachers' training department, Rev. John Garrison; adult Bible class, R. L. McMillan; elementary department, Mrs. A. M. Garrison; pastoral department, Rev. C. F. Luchner of Silver Creek.

During the meeting of the county convention the Central City District association held its meeting and elected the following officers: President, H. C. Taylor; vice president, Mrs. J. J. Workman; secretary and treasurer, Alta Jewell; superintendents, teachers' training department, W. D. Gibson, pastoral work, Rev. E. J. McKeane; adult Bible study, E. E. Boyd; temperance department, Mrs. William Miller.

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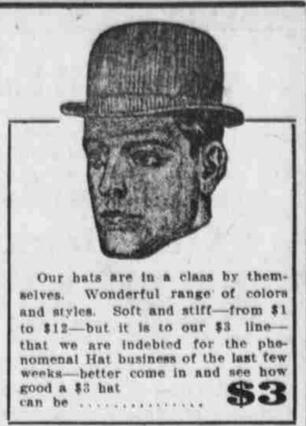
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Our hats are in a class by themselves. Wonderful range of colors and styles. Soft and stiff—from \$1 to \$12—but it is to our \$3 line—that we are indebted for the phenomenal hat business of the last few weeks—better come in and see how good a \$3 hat can be **\$3**

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The chautauqua management is hard at work arranging for the forthcoming assembly. One of the foremost speakers will be James Wilson, secretary of the Department of Agriculture.

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FALLS CITY—Some excitement prevailed when it was learned that Miss Baynon, teacher in the Zion school, had the smallpox. Both the Central and Zion schools were ordered closed for fumigation. The Board of Health has made arrangements with Dr. H. C. Moran of the city hospital to have all patients at present afflicted or cases that might yet develop. At present there are only four, each of whom is rapidly recovering.

TECUMSEH—Edwin Miner, son of Sheriff and Mrs. H. U. Miner, is suffering the effects of having his right hand badly lacerated Tuesday. He had accompanied a consignment of tombstones to Sterling, Barton & Berry of this city. Mr. Berry and Mr. Miner were engaged in letting a large tombstone out of a wagon on a plank runway. The stone slipped and in an endeavor to keep it on the plank Mr. Miner got his hand between the stone and a roller. Two of the fingers were terribly lacerated, but there were no bones broken.

BEATRICE—J. E. Brinkworth, editor of the Beacon at Eagle, Neb., who was reported a few days ago as having disappeared from that place rather mysteriously, visited in Beatrice yesterday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Brinkworth, en route to his home at Eagle from Kansas City. Mr. Brinkworth stated that he simply went to Kansas City on a short business trip, and was not aware that residents of that place thought he had skipped out until he read the dispatches in the papers from that place. He says he will return and go to work the same as if nothing had happened.

BEATRICE—The Young Men's Christian association ball team held a banquet last evening at the Paddock, after which an organization was perfected for the coming year. Rev. F. L. Hill was elected captain and Secretary, C. H. Lavers, secretary. At the banquet short talks were made by Rev. F. L. Hill, F. E. Gass, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and others. The team numbers about fifteen men, and promises to show up well when the season opens.

GENEVA—District court opens next Monday afternoon. There are quite a number of cases, mostly unimportant, and seven divorce cases, among them as follows: Mary A. Kennedy against Lawson, Chief Magistrate against Anna Harry H. Ellis against Marie, Maud Stringfield.

BEATRICE—Dr. G. L. Roe, superintendent at the People's Hospital, yesterday finished planting a row of trees stretching the entire length along the south side of the state property at the institute. The money for this purpose was appropriated by the state.

YORK—Frank W. Shury of Fremont and Miss Gertrude Taylor of York were married today in the presence of friends, Judge Arthur Gray officiating. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Taylor, who for several years were proprietors of the Taylor house of York.

HASTINGS—The Hastings lodge of Odd Fellows has altered its plans for a new building and will erect a three-story building instead of one of two, as was originally contemplated. The third floor will be equipped and furnished as an armory for Company D of second regiment. No military organization in the state will have

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