KIERSTEAD KEPT HIS VIGIL and supports a population of 9,000,000 per- PROBE FOR PHOENIX COMPANY

Spairoth.

PACES FROM DEPOT TO DEPOT would not apply at All.

and Watting He Finds Colorado Governor Last Man on Last Car.

Shafroth of Colorado. The governor came to talk at the exposition last evening.

Governor Shafroth has been a good Missouri River congress. He is a big man. physically as well as in the force of things he does. For these and other reasons the of the committee. He was to ascertain prise in the district court yesterday by called as witnesses.

What train the governor was to assist an filing a plea in bar, a proceeding never beand notify the halance of the committee, is disposed of the ourse cannot go to 'rial

Governor Shafroth might arrive.

Kierstead Found Him.

jeopardy for the same offense. from the last Rock Island sleeper.

"Here," said the genial governor, holdone would venture forth in the cold."

rado come to our Corn show without send- a moving train and had his arm so bodly ing down a welcoming committee, and I crushed that Dr. McGuire advised that am it, so 'welcome to our city.' Let's us he be at once taken to Omaha, which was hustle up to the hotel, where it is warmer." done, the doctor accompanying him.

We have two great valleys in our state of which my state might well be proud," said the governor, as he sat at breakfast CODY, Neb., Dec. 7.—(Special.)—In spite at the Rome. "These are the valley of of a blizzard there was a number in atthe Gunsison and the valley of the Grande, tendance at the institute meeting here Sat-This Corn exposition is working out prob- urday. This year, in addition to the reg- chances of recovery were said to be slender. lems which will help our state just as ular sessions, there was arranged a very much, if not more, than any other, because creditable display of farm products for we are coming fast to a condition of intensive farming. We have 2,600,000 acres of ness men and others, showing clearly what irrigated land under cultivation now and it was possible to do on a Kinkaid home-1,090,000 more acres being prepared for stead in the sand hills,

water. Egypt has 4,000,000 scree altogether

"The fruit from the Gunnison galley is Starts Out at 6 a. m. in Cold to Meet are becoming enormous. Planting started practically ten years ago. In these valleys th Campbell system, which works so well in eastern Colorado and western Nebraska.

Theap power from water is going to be a great been to Colorado and will be Finally, After Hours of Watching one of the greatest aids to its develop-

Governor Sinfroth visited the corn show Tuesday murning and said he was simply accounded at the magnificent educations display made. He immediately wired to The last man to slight from the last car Senator W. H. Clayton of Colorado, who of the last truin that arrived from the east is now in Chicago, and urged him, by all George P. Sheldon is so ill at his home in .- The trustees of the Wayne Normal senson

PLEA IN BAR FOR CHAMBERLAIN

Triel of Ex-Banker Several Days.

BEATRICE, Neb. Dec. 7 - (Special.) directors of the exposition decided to have a delegation at the station to meet the governor. W. I. Element was chairman the ex-banker of Tecumsel, spring a surgovernor. prise in the district court yesterday by what train the governor was to arrive on fore raised in this court. Until the matter The governor had simply telegraphed from the eccoud time. It will take at least two Insurance company, through its president, Chicago that he would strive Tuesday days to argue the question, and should the had been in the habit of lending consider-"William, it is & o'clock; you had better trial which ended last week was discharged mentioned, whose loans from the Pheonix

be getting under way if you are going to on account of the sickness of Juror Thomas aggregate \$260.000. ernor. I am going to be there," replied juror and ascertained that he was no longer moments. William, without much show of en- able to sit on the jury, that the defendant witnesses who should have been been Kierstead went on his mission and after called to testify under onth as to Bigley's abbling from the Union station to the condition; that the court had no authority Burlington and back several times and to discharge the jury without a legal findmeeting every train, one of the Redeaps ing relative to the alleged sickness of the responsible under the law, "Governor Stafroth?" asked Klerstead be acquitted, as under the constitution of

Japanese Laborer Injured. We could not let the governor of Colo- place and Wahoo, accidentally fell under surplus of about \$500,000.

Cody Farmers Institute

tapical for its fine flavor and shipments Illness of President Sheldon Will Not Prevent Criminal Prosecution.

LOANS TO INSURANCE OFFICIALS

to Avoid Examination for Twenty-Two Years-Bogus Securities Are Found.

Tuesday morning was Governor J. & means, to stop off and see the expection. Connecticut, that he is expected to die will this morning notified the State Normal booster for the corn show and also for the Argument Will Postpone the Second Brooklyn, from the presidency of which board's price is \$75,065. the state insurance department.

W. H. Hotchkiss, superintendent of the plea in bar, charge that the jury in the ment. Four state insurance officials are

had no opportunity to cross-examine any Shelden managed the affairs of the com-

of a large man, the last man to alight the state no person can be put twice in been called by prominent stockholders to Cushman braved the elements and drove the station in all this cold? I refrained MEAD, Neb., Dec. 7.—(Special.)—A Jap- ernoon—the first since the trouble was his team was so thoroughly exhausted that murdering Joseph Richeson. Talesmen to from mentioning in the telegram what arese laborer employed by the Union Pa- made public—in which he declared his betrain I would arrive on purposely so no cific rallroad belonging to an extra gang lief that the company's capital of \$1,500,000 doubtful if the team will ever regain its the sheriff from the more remote parts of which is ballisting the track between this was intact and that there would be a net normal condition. The supervisors com- the county, came in about noon and in the

> Sheldon Probably Will Die. GREENWICH, Conn., Dec. 7 .- Communication with George P. Sheldon, formerly president of the Phoenix Insurance company of New York, concerning the affairs of that company is impossible owing to The Fairbury public library will be form-Mr. Sheldon suffered ptomaine poisoning

Camp Wants New Rules.

NEW HAVEN. Conn. Dec. 7.—That addition of 2,500, which brought the donathere should be a revision of the foot ball tion up to \$12,500. The directors of the old rules with the view of minimizing the chances of serious accidents is the statement made here today by Walter Camp.

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State Has Bought School at Wayne

Favors to Inspectors Enshted Sheldon Deal is Completed When Trustees Notify Board They Will Take Seventy Thousand Dollars.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) NEW YORK, Dec. 7-The fact that LINCOLN, Dec. 7.-(Special Telegram.) not cause an abundonment of the criminal board that they would accept the proposi-

Sheldon was removed at the instigation of While the legislature appropriated \$56.66. insurance department, says the Pheenix it until another legislature makes an ap- ments; but the guests worked bravely and propriation for running the institution.

Boost in State.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Dec. 7 .- (Special.) - erable sum. Heavy snows, thaws, rain, more snow and meet that first train from Chicago," said Bigley; that Bigley was not in court at The insurance department believes the extreme cold weather, one crewding on the Mrs. Kierstead in their pretty suburban the time of the discharge of the jury; that company's risks to the public are involved beels of the other, have combined to make no path was taken or testimony offered in and that the entire loss through loans the streets and roads about Broken Bow a "Well, this is a pretty cold morning, but open court in the presence of the defend- negotiated by Sheldon can be balanced by veritable nightmare for the unwary as they put it up to me to meet that gov- unt by witnesses who had visited the sick crossing off \$1,000,000 of the company's traveler. People who have lived in this part of the country most of their lives de-Although the investigation shows that clare the existing conditions so early in the winter are worse than they have ever pany alone and without consulting the board of directors. Superintendent Hotch. to market in large quantities, consequently kiss delares that each of the directors is there has been a steady increase in the prices. Baled alfalfa is bringing about \$12 told him there was just one more train to juror; that the defendant is again in jeopcome before moon, the Rock Island at 5:30, ardy and that by reason thereof he should Henry Evans, who in this crisis has is worth about \$8. County Commissioner assume the chairmanship of the executive from Sargent to Broken Bow, a distance of committee of the Phoenix Insurance com- thirty-five miles. It took him fourteen Telegram.)-Progress was slow today in the pany, issued an official statement this aft- hours to get through and when he arrived trial of Ernest Stout on the charge of prising the bridge committee have also afternoon some headway was made. With posiponed the tour of inspection until the the special panel of fifty nearly exhausted. weather gets more settled.

New Library at Fairbury. FAIRBURY, Neb., Dec. 7 .- (Special.)ally opened to the public next Friday even ing. Two years ago, when the Fairbury six weeks ago. Today Mr. Sheldon's Commercial club was first organized, steps were taken to secure a donation from Andrew Carnegie for this purpose. Ten thousand dollars was first secured, and later an

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the present library site on North F street The library has just been completed and the new furniture installed, and it is expeered that all the books will be on the shelves by Friday night, when a public reception will be given from 7:20 to 10 o'clock

FIRE AT BRIDAL SHOWER Christmas Tree Full of Gifts Takes Fire Causing Large Loss.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Dec. 7 .- (Special. A blaze that nearly resulted in a big fire occurred at the appartments of Mr. and investigation and prosequition in the matters then made to them by the board for the Mrs. J. K. Hermon on the occasion of a of the Pheonix Inaurance company of purchase of the school by the board. The shower party given in honor of Miss Frances Langson, who is to wed Clude Wilson next Wednesday at high noon er se much of it as might be necessary for Mrs. Hermon had grouped the presents The department has placed the case in the purchase of the school, it made no brought by the guests, about a pre-tily the hands of the district attorney and a number of men who have held office in the same state insurance department will be scheel to continue in charge in the same way the flame from a candle set fire to the delischool, to continue in charge as if she cate draperies of a present and in an inewned it until some other provision can be stant the whole affair was ablaze. The made. She probably will have charge of flames spread quickly about the appartby the time the department arrived had succeeded in getting the fire under con morning. Trains without number arrive case go to trial before a jury on the pleasable sums to state insurance officials and the company of the beautiful presents were distroyed or damaged, while the loss susrailroad systems and on any of these trains. The attorneys for Chamberlain up their had not been investigated by the depart. Innecessability of Markets Causes tained by Mr. and Mrs. Hermon in furni ture, rugs, etc., will amount to a consid-

Wind and Snow at West Point. WEST POINT, Neb., Dec. 7 .- (Special.) -- A severe wind and snow storm prevailed it this section all day Monday and continued irto the night. Roads are in a depiorable condition, it being almost impossible for vehicles to run on account of the extreme roughness of the roads. Business in town of storms and snow sufficient to enable them to complete the husking of the corn seem doomed to disappointment. The fields

Sheriff Hustles Talesmen.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Dec. 7 .- (Special there have been exercised only five of the twenty-two peremptory challenges, and court adjourned this evening to tomorrow morning with instructions to the sheriff to summon more talesmen.

Nebraska News Notes.

BEATRICE—H. Tubbs, an old resident chants of Beatrice, was stricken with paralysis writers. Sunday and is in a serious condition. The paralysis BEATRICE—The local lodge of Elks eld memoria; services here Sunday. The rincipal address was delivered by H. W.

of November. SUTTON-A heavy snowstorm and high wind from the northeast has been razing for the last twelve hours. Roads are al-most impassable and feed and nay are very

BEATRICE-Frank Harrison of Lincoln addressed the high school yesterday fore-noon on Nicaragua. He went from here to Ruskin, Neb., to fill a similar en-

MADISON-A. E. Ward has bought the abstract business of County Att. nev James Nichols and took possession a temporal same Saturday. Mr. Ward is an experi-

KEARNEY—Chancellor W. J. Davidson of Nebraska Wesleyan university spent a busy day in Kearney Sunday. He delivered three sermons and raised 1357 for the benefit of the school over which he presides. SUTTON-Mr. J. Downer, an old and highly respected citizen died at his home yesterday afternoon of cancer of the atomach at the age of 67 years. The fune alwill be held tomorrow from Immaculate Conception church.

Conception church,

FLATTSMOUTH — Fred W. Hunt and
Miss Lena Kimmel of Council Bluffs. Ia,
were united in marriage in this city Monday, Judge M. Archer, officiating. The
mother of the bride, Mrs. E. W. Kimmel,
accompanied them.

SUTTON—Mr. C. Hull died at the home
of his brother, Warren Hull, yesterday,
Mr. Hull had been in falling health for
some months, and death resulted from
dropay of the heart. The funeral will be
held from the Mothodist Episcopal church
Wednerday.

KEARNEY—The two gasoline motors on

KEARNEY—The two gasoline motors on the Kearney and Black Hills line were overcome by the storm and died on the rails Monday, one going north and the other going south. A freight engine went to the rescue and brought them back with good old reliable steam power.

callaway-R. R. Barnard and J. E. Ogden real estate men, are in Omaha this week looking after the sale of one of the largest ranch properties in the county. This sale will take in several hundred acres of the best Loup Valley land as well as some of the best farm and ranch houses in the valley.

SARGENT-The largest farm residence in Custer county is now ready for the plasterers. J. B. Hartson living sixteen miles from Anselmo-his nearest relicoad and twenty-three miles from Broken Bow-his county seat, is completing a fine modern residence of seventeen rooms. He is one of the many men who are driving frontier life into history.

west point-Nicholas Reichlinger, an aged resident of St. Charles township died at the residence of his brother. John Reichlinger, on Sunday, at the age of St. The cause of death was senile debility. He was a native of Germany and came to Cuming county thirty-two years ago to make his home with his brother at whome house he died. He was an unmarried man Funeral services were held under the ausnices of the Catholic church. Dean Ruesing officiating.

Dean Ruesing officiating.

KFARNEY—At the instance of his wife, complaint has been filed in Ruffalo county court against John C. Pation of Kearney, charging him with a statutory offence segainst his 13-year-old daughter. Lu'u May. It was several days after the charge was made that he was found in a room over a nool ball. There are six children in the Patton family and according to the wife, he has always been a good provider for the family and she says she has no other cause excent the one stated, for such action against him.

KEARNEY—The members of the Buffalo

such action against him.

KEARNEY-The members of the Buffalo County bar met Monday and adopted memorial resolutions on the late members of their profession here, Ira D. Marston and John Hoge. The committee that drafted the resolution on Marston consisted of E. C. Calkins, W. D. Oldham, F. C. Hamer. The committee that framed the Hoge resolution were Frank Reeman, John N. Dryden and John A. Miller. Speeches of praise and appreciation of the decayed members were made by Messra, Hostetler, Oldham, Hamer. Beeman, McDonald. Miller. Walker, Easterling, Nye, Pratt and Walker, Easterling, Nye, Pratt and

Calkins.

KEARNEY-District court convened Monday morning in regular December seasion. A number of cases were docketed and acted upon during the day, smong which was the case of the Kearney Telephone company. This case was brought by the Kearney company to recover damages on account of an intension secured against it by the Grand Island commany sime time ago, restraining the Kearney company from uniting with the Bell Telephone company. The case was settled out of court and disminsed at defendant's cost, upon application of defendant. upon application of defendant.

upon application of defendant.

FAIREJRY-The Pairbury Commercial club which has been "doing things" at results intervals for the last two years of its existence has just awarded a number of prices for the heat kent lawns in the cliv during the last summer. J. H. -2Ross 100 Fourth street, was awarded first miss for the heat kent lawn and hack ward; Jehn Heddelk et. 15 C street re-relved first on the heat kent lawn alone and H. M. Cunhers 26 Reventh street was siven second. The Commercial cliphan also taken steps to service a clock for the court house. A metition is new being circulated, setting forth the needs.

HALF-MINUTE STORE TALK

Some fellow has written some mighty clever stuff under the caption of The Business Sayings of Old Gordon Graham—Among other things he says: Because there sin't any rotten apples in the top layor, it sin't always eafs to bet that the whole harrel is sound. That is another way of saying appearances are not always a safe guide to worth. Take clothes for example—Teu often see many garments displayed around town that look good enough to have the King-Swanson label inside—but it is what is inside them, the linings, the way they are put in, etc. that tells the story. It is because our clother are as right inside as they are pleasing outside that we have been able to build, in fifteen month's time, the greatest clothing business in Omaha.

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OUR PLEASING NECKTIE PRICES 50e 75e \$1.00 \$1.50 \$2.00 AND UP.

Demand Reform of Electoral System

Three-Class Property System in Prussia is the Subject of Attack.

BERLIN, Dec. 7-A demand upon the government for a reform of the Prussian three-class property qualification electoral system was published today. The demand is signed by 800 persons of standing and representing the principal cities of Prussia, embracing many manufacturers and merchants and 200 university professors and

The paper quotes the speech from the throne delivered on the occasion of the opening of the Prussian act on December 10, 1908, in which a reform electoral system was promised, and describes freedom REARNEY-City Registrar George Ford tem was promised, and describes freedom reports that there were seven deaths and from the so-called blue block, the conservasixteen births in this city during the month tive and clerical combination, as the vital question of the hour.

If you have anything to sell for trade, advertise in the Want Ad columns of The

for the clock, and praying the county MICHIGAN ROADS RAISE PAY

Report Central and Pere Marquette Have Made Increases to Men.

LANSING, Mich., Dec. 7.-The Michigan Certral railroad has increased train men's wages 614 per cent and operators approximately 14 per cent.

President C. L. Glasgow of the State Railway commission said today that railway men had informed him the Pere Marquette Rallroad also has granted a raise to the telegraph operators on its line and had under consideration demands by other employes for a similar raise. DETROIT Dec. 7.-Michigan Central headquarters, it is impossible to obtain confirmation of the report that wages or

the Michigan Central have been increased. DOVEY AGAIN HEADS BOSTON

After Re-Election Announces He Fuvors Heydler for President. BOSTON, Dec. 7.—President Dovey was today re-elected at the meeting of the Boston National League club, and John P. Harris of Pittsburg was chosen as a di-

At the close of the meeting, President Dovey stated that he favored John A. Heydler for president of the National

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