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As predicted several days ago, we have practically closed out the Swanson Music Co. stock of pianos, and, in order to take care of the buying public for the balance of the week, we have been compelled to throw upon the market 50 new pianos, including the world's best makes at slaughter prices and terms.

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Now if you are a real buyer, desirous of owning a high grade piano at a price you would ordinarily have to pay for a medium grade instrument, this is the one time in your whole life to secure exactly what you want at the price you want.

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\$800 mahogany case, make known the world over, for	\$575
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\$650	\$480
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Store Open Every Night Until 9:00 O'clock.

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JIMS RESIST EXTRA SESSION

Dahlman Men Awake at Last and Fight Plan for Legislature.

WILL RESIST GOVERNOR ON IT

Leaders Will Pledge to Lincoln and Seek to Convince Shallenberger that He Would Err to Call the Session.

It looks like no extra session.

Since they have come to a realization of just what the projected special session of the legislature would mean, the friends of Mayor Dahlman—in fact, all the anti-Shallenberger element in the democratic party of Nebraska—have become very busy in a movement to head it off, even though Edgar Howard and his supporters have gone into the fight for it in earnest.

When the governor gets back to Lincoln, Wednesday or Thursday of this week, you will hear from many an influential member of his party that an extra session would be a blunder. It will be pointed out that, even if he gets a petition signed by a majority of the house and senate members, he would still be a long way from having any assurance of the passage of an initiative and referendum law. Many men who signed the petition when presented, have since been made to realize what the movement means, and it is regarded by the Dahlman men as a certainty that excuses would be found for quarreling with any bill that Arthur Mullen and "Tommy" Allen might draw up.

"Allen and Mullen are proceeding on the theory that certain republicans would support such a measure," said a high counselor of the mayor. "We think they would be disappointed in that expectation, as they would not help to pull Shallenberger's chestnuts out of the fire with their eyes open."

Jim Will Open Up.

Mayor Dahlman says that he will proceed to open his headquarters in Omaha within a week. The first work of the mayor's friends will be to get in touch with leaders known to be opposed to an extra session, and with the backing of the Dahlman element withdraw all along the line it is expected Shallenberger will see a light. It is pointed out that every utterance he has made concerning the proposed meeting of the legislature has been qualified.

"If the people demand it," "If the members of the legislature want it," such expressions are about as far as the governor has gone.

Now comes Colonel Bates of Platt-

mouth with a point blank declaration against the extra session idea. Other prominent members of the governor's party are expected to publicly announce themselves to the same effect. Taylor of Custer, has already done so, even before Colonel Bates was heard from; and while Taylor is not in any too good standing with the party managers, they recognize his influence and that he is a fighter who cannot be ignored.

A significant declaration may be expected from Lincoln soon, say the Dahlmanites, which will end special session talk.

"IT ISS A LIE," DECLARES MAN ACCUSED OF NEGLIGENCE

Hotly Joseph Oberdörfer Denies the Charge that He Allows His Family to Suffer.

"What is the complaint in this case?" asked Judge Estelle in juvenile court.

"His wife is an invalid, physically and mentally," said Probation Officer Bernstein, "and a five week's old baby is being neglected and is in danger of going blind. Then too—"

"It is a lie," remarked Joseph Oberdörfer, curtly and terse.

"Be silent until your time comes to speak," admonished Mr. Bernstein.

"Why don't I speak yet?" inquired Mr. Oberdörfer, hotly. "It is a lie. All I swear to tell the truth."

Not only had he been sworn, but his two little daughters had also, apparently, taken the oath. These two little girls, age 5 and 4 years, had held up their small right hands when they saw their elders being sworn at the beginning of the hearing. These two girls were, by the way, the prettiest children the juvenile court has ever seen.

Oberdörfer had been dressed himself and being probably aware that he had better make a good impression had rigged them out in spick and span attire. Dark blue hats sat above masses of golden curls in which a gleam of red shot when the sunlight fell on the hair.

Costs of dark blue fell from neck to shoptoe and between coats and hats there smiled two pretty faces, in which dark brown eyes formed an effective contrast to golden hair and perfect blonde complexions.

There was a good deal of testimony, strenuously denied by Oberdörfer, that the baby in the home is being neglected. Judge Estelle heard all the evidence, but did not dispose of the case.

Oberdörfer is not the usual sort of parent accused in juvenile court of neglecting his children. He is a handsome, good-looking man, and there was testimony in the court room that he is an expert in his line.

But of late, as Oberdörfer told the court,

"There is not much doing in the winter, yet."

Verdict for Woman Against "Doctor" Lund

Judgment of \$3,000 Allowed by Jury for Charges Against a Chiropractor.

A jury in district court thinks "Dr." Julius Lund ought to pay Della Polson \$3,000.

The case is a peculiar one, in that Lund did not appear to defend himself. About a year ago he filed an answer through an attorney, the latter subsequently notifying the court that he was withdrawing from the case.

Judge Day sent for Lund when the case was called Monday afternoon and Lund said he did not care what happened. A jury was then impaneled and evidence taken. Tuesday morning the suit, which is for \$4,000, was sent to the jury without argument.

Miss Polson testified that she was suffering from laryngitis and that Lund asserted himself to be an expert on skin diseases.

"Accordingly," said the witness, "he painted my whole body first with a mixture of iodine and then with salicylic acid."

Miss Polson soon felt as if someone had poured gasoline on her and ignited it, and her screams could be heard for blocks, according to the testimony of Detective Steve Mahoney, who came with the ambulance.

The plaintiff alleges permanent damages. An execution was immediately levied upon the furniture in Lund's office in the Karbach block. The suit seized is not worth more than \$75 or \$100.

Senators Look Out for the Warehouse

The dispatch in The Bee yesterday sent by its staff correspondent at Washington stating that the Indian appropriation bill has been reported to the house by the Indian affairs committee without the provision for Indian warehouses prompted Commissioner Guild of the Omaha Commercial club to wire Senator Norris Brown asking what could be done either at Washington or from Omaha to secure the replacement of this provision. He asked Senator Brown for an immediate reply as the executive committee of the Commercial club was to meet and he wanted to submit the matter then.

Senator Norris Brown wired back to the Commercial club from Washington that he was on the job looking after the interests of Omaha and the west and that he would do what he could to keep the warehouse in Omaha.

Building Permits

Mrs. Ethel E. Guild, 215 Pinkney, frame dwelling, \$5,000; Mrs. H. H. Schroeder, 1112 South Twenty-seventh, frame dwelling, \$2,000; C. Johnston, 2438 Larimore street, frame dwelling, \$1,000; A. R. Russell, 1500 Wirt, frame dwelling, \$2,000; East Paterson, 2206 Charles, frame dwelling, \$2,000; Omaha State Deposit and Trust company alterations to Omaha National Bank building, 1515-24 Farman, \$35,000.

Pneumonia Follows a Cold

but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar, which stops the cough, heals the lungs and expels the cold from your system.

FAST TRAIN JUMPS TRACK

Quick Work by Engineer Ertz Prevents Serious Damage.

ACCIDENT NEAR BOONE, IOWA

Loose Tender Truck on San Francisco Overland Limited Jeopardizes Many Lives, but No One Was Hurt.

On its fast run between Chicago and Omaha over the Northwestern line the San Francisco Overland Limited jumped the track near Boone, Ia., early Tuesday morning while pounding along at a thirty-mile per hour clip.

That the heavy train was not badly wrecked with loss of life is due probably to the presence of mind of Engineer John Ertz, who brought his train to an abrupt stop and prevented the coaches from telescoping or toppling over. As it was all the passengers received a bad jolting, but none was injured.

The accident occurred about 5:30 o'clock midway between Boone and Carroll. In some manner the rear truck on the locomotive tender became loosened and jumped the rails, the cars behind sliding over the triant trucks, thus derailing the entire train.

The cars bumped over the ties for some distance, but did not topple over. Engineer Ertz promptly applied the air as soon as he felt the pounding of the locomotive tender. The heavy train was brought to such a sudden stop that passengers were severely shaken up and many feared that the flyer had been wrecked.

Passengers the sleepers hurriedly left their berths in half attire and there was some excitement. When the slight nature of the wreck was learned the people returned to the coaches to await a relief train.

C. T. Boone, assistant superintendent at

INSOMNIA Leads to Madness, if Not Remedied in Time.

"Experiments satisfied me, some 5 years ago," writes a Topeka woman, "that coffee was the direct cause of the insomnia from which I suffered terribly, as well as the extreme nervousness and acute dyspepsia which made life a most painful thing for me."

"I had been a coffee drinker since childhood, and did not like to think that the beverage was doing me all this harm. But it was, and the time came when I had to face the fact, and protect myself. I therefore gave up coffee abruptly and absolutely, and adopted Postum for my hot drinks at meals."

"I began to note improvement in my condition very soon after I took on Postum. The change proceeded gradually, but surely, and it was a matter of only a few weeks before I found myself entirely relieved—the nervousness passed away, my digestive apparatus was restored to normal efficiency, and I began to sleep, restfully and peacefully."

"These happy conditions have continued during all of the 3 years, and I am safe in saying that I owe them entirely to Postum, for when I began to drink it, I ceased to use medicines." Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pages "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Boone, was notified and a special train was immediately made up.

The substitute train reached Omaha at 11:30 o'clock, bearing the westbound passengers, many of whom live in Omaha.

A wrecking train was dispatched from Boone to clear the tracks for traffic. The Overland Limited was made up of locomotive, dynamo, baggage car, day coach, chair car, diner and three Pullman sleepers, and was in charge of Conductor Campbell, Engineer John Ertz and Fireman K. T. Bowman.

Captain Feeter Recruits for the Army No More

Captain George I. Feeter of the United States army has been summarily removed from his station as recruiting officer at Omaha.

Captain Feeter is in the military hospital at Fort Omaha, having been taken there by order of military authority when complaint was made by Captain Feeter to the Department of the Missouri.

Captain Feeter, who is a retired officer and who was stationed at Los Angeles before coming to Omaha, has been in a violent condition for some days and while in this condition has, it is said, attempted to choke his nurse and to attack other attendants.

The last outbreak of the kind provoked the complaint to authorities. Removal of the officer from a local hospital to Fort Omaha was not accomplished without considerable stress.

Removal of Captain Feeter from his station here has been countenanced by military authorities at Washington, who have been informed by telegraph of the circumstances. Another officer has been temporarily assigned to command of the recruiting office.

Captain Feeter enlisted in July, 1898, in Battery A of the First Connecticut volunteer artillery. He was commissioned a second lieutenant of the Nineteenth infantry May 1 of the following year. He became a first lieutenant in February, 1901, and was transferred to the Seventh infantry in July, 1902.

The captain's love for good living has been a matter of general knowledge among his friends.

OLD POSTMASTER RESIGNS

Thomas Hunter, for thirty-two years postmaster at Wakefield, Says He Has Served Long Enough.

Thomas Hunter, for thirty-two years postmaster at Wakefield, will relinquish his office February 5. He is not a candidate for reappointment, as he feels he has served the government about long enough for a man 75 years old.

Mr. Hunter is one of the pioneers of Nebraska. He was a member of the state constitutional convention and published the first paper in Wayne county, the Wayne County Review.

The postoffice inspectors of this part of the country all bear witness that during his entire service as postmaster Mr. Thomas has proven to be one of the best in the state.

A Fortunate Texas. E. W. Goodson, Dallas, Texas, found a sure cure for malaria and biliousness in Dr. King's New Life Pills. 25c. For sale by Beston Drug Co.

LOUIS WEINBERG FINED FOR RENTING HOUSE FOR ILL USE

Prosecuted by Jewish Societies that Are Going After the White Slave Traffic.

Prominent members of the Hebrew community, Morris Levi, president of the Nebraska store, and Attorneys Martin L. Sugarman, Charles S. Elgutter and Isadore Zeligler, representing the organized Jewish societies, were interested spectators in police court when Louis Weinberg was fined \$100 for renting rooms at 1018 Douglas street for purposes of assignments.

The leading Jewish citizens are determined, one of them declared, to have the race disassociated from the white slave traffic, and another prosecution is pending at the instigation of the societies.

Evidence was given by Sergeants Cook and Vanous as to the reputation of the house, when Mr. Sugarman was called as to a conversation he had with the defendant. Weinberg declared that it was only to these people he could get the rooms rented, when Mr. Sugarman took him to task for the transaction.

Weinberg was called himself and said he had made a transfer of the property to one Chauncey Stor.

"Isn't that young man," asked Judge Dickinson, going to be a sort of a lawbreaker?"

Defendant would not go that far, but admitted that the young man, "was coming after his daughter."

It was disclosed that this man is a bartender and Mr. Dickinson directed his probe with a view to showing that the transfer was only colorable. Defendant declared that he was getting \$10,000 for the property and had received \$2,000 in cash.

Upon the decision of the court being re-

corded by W. M. Giller of Weaver & Giller, attorneys, gave notice of appeal.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

L. C. Erwin of Hastings, E. C. Stanley of Cozad, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Davidson of Cheyenne and T. B. Walters of Bloomfield are at the Murray.

R. M. Hall of Portland, C. C. Sheldon, C. B. Sheldon of Madison, W. H. McGee of Cheyenne and T. B. Walters of Bloomfield are at the Murray.

J. Sidney Smith of Kansas City, Frank J. Moffatt, Tom Oliver of Fairmont, C. J. Bartles of Albion, W. D. Sine, Dr. C. H. Rush of Lincoln and W. T. Tate of Lodge Pole are at the Hawthorn.

A. W. Scattergood of Ainsworth, C. Sanderson, T. E. Reagan, W. H. McGee of Kansas City, W. C. Alloway of Lincoln, E. C. Davidson of Cheyenne and C. H. Fox of Cozad are at the Millard.

W. H. Collet of Henderson, J. P. George of Lynch, C. L. VanAllen of Elgin, G. F. Dunn of Denver, P. C. Anderson of Holdrege, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hoffman of Lead, Ira Gibson of Grand Island, John Lindquist, Mrs. John Lindquist of Lake Andes, S. D., and G. A. Dunlap of Tecumseh are at the Faxon.

Words of Praise

For the several ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's medicine is composed, as given by leaders in all the several schools of medicine, should have far more weight than any amount of non-professional testimonials. A booklet made up of these sent free. Address as below. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has the honor of honesty on every bottle-wrapper, in a full list of all its ingredients printed in plain English and sworn to as correct.

If you are an invalid woman and suffer from frequent headache, backache, gnawing distress in stomach, periodical pains, disagreeable dragging-down distress, perhaps dark spots or specks dancing before the eyes, faint spells and kindred symptoms caused by female weakness, or other derangement of the feminine organs, you can not do better than take

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