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Nebraska

Man Arriving at Tecumsch Avers that

He is Son of Deceased, but

Occasions Talk.

TECUMSEH, Neb., June 20 .- (Special.)-

The return to Tecumseh at the eleventh

hour of John Wilson, Jr., claimant of the

estate of the late Judge and Mrs. John

Wilson of this city, has caused a consider-

the man. In many respects Mr. Wilson

Damage to Nebraska Mercantile

Company's Store Estimated at

Nearly \$50,000.

GRAND ISLAND Neb., June 20,-(Spe

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MONEY FOR WAYNE SCHOOL State Officers Decide Appropriation is Available. BALANCE ABOVE PURCHASE Appropriation for Expenses of Dis- trict Judes Used Up and	The claims now on file ar B. F. Good, \$26.75; W. H. Wei R. Hanna, \$00.57; H. M. Grim J. B. Raper, \$65.50. One reas down the appropriation for e judges was the fact that the been increased \$1,006, but hotel expenses was included liability of the state.

Deficiency Bills Are Being Filed.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN. June 20.-(Special.)-There seems no doubt now that the Wayne Northe state at the beginning of the September term. President Conn was here today discussing the matter with Treasurer Brian. The two went over the appropriation with Auditor Barton, who gave them to understand he felt that the law would permit. the expenditure of the balane of the appropriation for the maintenance of the institution.

\$90.000 for the purchase and "use" of the night which prepared him for any squall Normal school and only \$70,000 was used which he may encounter in the future. in huying the property. The other \$20,000 And it was all a dream. The commissioner the board believes can be used for was on his road to Ogaliala and had gone maintenance. By showing that the Lincoln grain ex- heard an awful roar and at once there the band \$100 for twenty men, six days. Judge Wilson for identification of his son, change opened an hour and a half earlier flashed through his mind thoughts of a This is less than 55 cents per man per

on May 20, than the exchanges at Chicago, twister. He raised the curtain and, seeing day. Can union labor, or any other labor St. Louis, Kansas City and Omaha, the a passing train with its lighted windows, or profession compete with that? defendants in the injunction proceedings he imagined he was seeing lighted houses of the Chicago Board of Trade against being rushed past his home in Lincoln. of the Chicago Board of Trade against "I was not the least bit scared," said proposition with the man who buys of the to claim it. Wilson is a locomotive enthat the allegations of stolen quotations the commissioner, "but my thoughts were catalogue house and wants quantity in-

will be disproved. Grain Exchange Fight.

torundo as soon as I heard the roar and In an affidavit filed Monday in the fed- so raised the curtain and looked out the a trip twice a year over the state with a eral court, Herert E. Gooch claims that window. There I saw a parade of lights special train and band, to advertise and the exchanges in the larger cities did not rushing by a mile a minute it seemed. I open until 11:39 a. m. on May 20, in obser- instantly dropped the curtain and then talk against catalogue houses, and at the vance to the burial of King Edward. The thought of how to get my wife to the same time they patronize the catalogue Lincoln exchange, he says, opened prompt- base ment and safety. It came to me that house proposition in the band business,

transacted an unusually large amount of northeast corner of the basement where majority of the local musicians earn business. He gives quotations for the the coal was stored. Just then the house their living solely by their playing, and earlier part of the morning and then for rocked and I thought it was going over, they cannot afford to give their service the remainder of the day and shows by That changed my thoughts and I wondered for 11 a day and expenses. the quotations that there is only a slight if we would be overcome with gas for I variance between those given by the Lin- felt that when the house went over the coin Grain exchange and the Chicago gas pipes would burst and then I wondered Board of Trade, although the board of how we would get past the broken electric trade dia not open until after the grain light wires. But having figured out how to get down into the cellar, I reached excharge had been in operation. His affidavit is substantiated by that of over to wake my wife and found I was alone in a berth in the car. an employe.

St. Joe on Tour.

The St. Joseph Automobile club, atour just as I did on the train. I thought of believe now that in a tornado, I would act with twenty-seven cars, reached Lincoln dozens of things in that short space of Merz hotel of this city, committed suicide wreckage and ashes the fire can be enfrom Omaha at about 2 o'clock Monday time and I seemed to have been perfectly about 2 p. m. today by shooting himself tirely extinguished. While a high wind is afternoon. The carss were met six miles calm." putside the city limits by Mayor Love, "What?"

pulled out."

W. L. Dayton, former president of the Lincoln Auto club, and a few other cars, which accompanied the tourists to the city. berth early and did not even know when it heard and he was found on the floor of The party left at 4 o'clock for Beatrice,

where they will pass the night.

No Passengers on Freights.

The Lincoln traction company has won The Northwestern railroad has asked the first round in the fight started by the but decided that an inquest was unnecespermission of the State Railway commis- citizens of Havelock for reduced fares. One sary. Mr. Merz leaves a widow. sion to discontinue carrying passengers on of the questions to be decided was whether b_lbgssim-...fertyes:1. ;1,ed2rsCutting,ci t the traction company had a right to segre freight train No. 59. The commission has gate its various businesses. On that quesnot yet granted the request, but is ready tion the commission held: "That in the Over 3,000 people attended the Burlingto hear objections from parties interested. fixing of reasonable rates and service this The railroad insists that it is furnishing commission cannot consider rates charged adequate facilities for the transportation for an unlike and different service over of passengers without permitting them to which it has no control, or make one inride on freight trains. prescribed for another."

To Change Rates.

The Burlington has acked permission of the railway commission to put into effect. POPS TO HIRE HALL OF OWN on the road from Sloux City to O'Neill, Phelps County Dyed-In-Wool Indethe rates in effect on the other parts of its system, mileage considered. This piece



ttorney genera prevent the sale of liquor on the Burington and Union Pacific trains was submitted to the supreme court today on briefs. The railroads attack the jurisdic-LINCOLN, June 20 .- (Special.)-Some- able talk in the city the past forty-eight

ion of the court. This will be the last thing of a row is being kicked up by the hours. All the old timers of the county regular session of the court before the local musician's union over the employ- were in Tecumseh yesterday for the exsummer vacation, and as a result adjournment by the Commercial club of the Heb- press purpose of seeing Mr. Wilson and mal school will be opened for business by ment may not be taken until some time roa band for the trade trip that left here questioning him, and incidentally satisfying the first of next week. The court will be- this morning. Thursday last, a committee themselves whether or not he is the right fore adjournment decide all motions now pending for rehearing that have been filed jobbers' and manufacturers' section of the limit for the son to return and in time and it is expected will also hand club to protest. They were fold by Chair- claim the \$30,000 estate would have expired down a big batch of opinions.

man Joyce the hiring of the Hebron band on July 1. Winifield Holden, George Dorwas part of an agreement with that town sey, A. W. Buffum and a score of other Railway Commissioner's Dream. Rallway Commissioner H. J. Winnett had for reciprocal relations, and that the Lin- early settlers interviewed Mr. Wilson and The legislature appropriated an experience with a tornado the other coin musicians wanted more money than most of them seem of the opinion he is the club could afford to pay. G. F. Thornburg of the local musicians' looks like the late Judge Wilson of Teunion, thus explains the position of his cumseh. The matter has not yet been taken organization: "The Commercial club ex- up in the probate court, but will be within cursion, to boost trade for Lincoln, takes a few days. Mr. Wilson will find himto sleep early in his berth. Suddenly he the Hebron band to head them and gives self asked ten leading questions, left by

"They say it is a strictly business proposition with them. Isn't it also a business

perfectly clear. I knew it was a terrible stead of quality? "The Lincoln Commercial club makes years, is past 50 years of age, is married,

In at 9:30 and during the hour and a half the only safe place in the house was in the simply because it is cheaper. The great

with the Lincoln Play-

ers Idle.

AUGUST MERZ SHOOTS HIMSELF AT COLUMBUS

Proprietor of Mers Hotel Commits Suicide in Room-No Motive

Known.

COLUMBUS, Neb., June 20 .- (Special Tel-"Yes I did get on the train at Omaha, and mitted the deed and conversed with friends. remain upright, the roof and two floors t left there at 11 o'clock, but I got in my Soon after he entered the hotel a shot was having been burned and the timbers reduced to ashes. his room in a dying condition. Medical ald

was summoned, but he was dead before the physician arrived. Coroner Gass was called,

Burlinton Pienie at Wanneta.

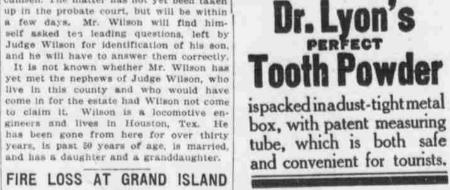
M'COOK, Neb., June 20.-(Special.)ton employees' second annual picnic at Wauneta, Neb., Saturday. It required three large special trains to transport the Mr. Wilson was twice married. By his picnickers and there provisions and paradustry bear a loss resulting fro mthe rates phernalia for entertainment and sports. of Galesburg, Ill. His second wife was part of the state. It was the largest

event of the kind ever witnessed in this

The Straw Hat Store of the Town Late Judge Wilson

To a stranger in town, happening into our hat department last Saturday, it would probably have appeared that there was but one store in town selling straws-so busy were we. There are other stores selling straws, to be sure, but not the kind we are selling. Most men appreciate a really good hat at a modest price, and most of them know where to come to get that kind.





charge of the burial which will be in the Tecumseh cemetery.

Nebraska News Notes.

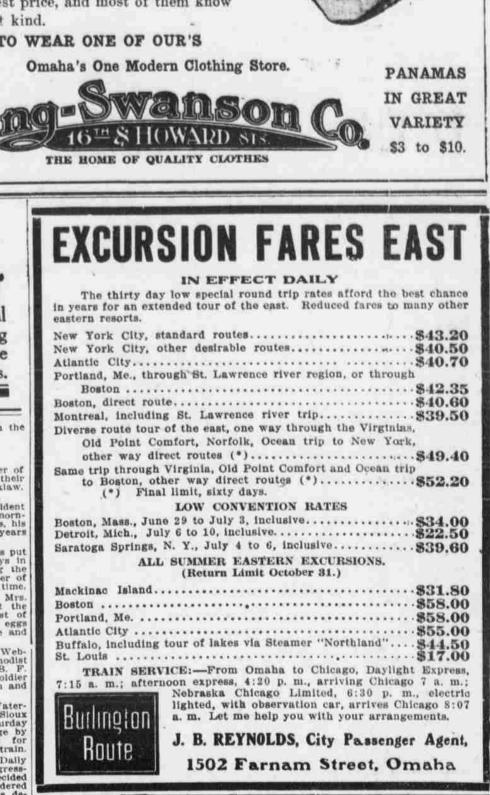
cial.)-The Nebraska Mercantile company. CRAIN-J. Lewis Parrens and mother of Balabac, Philippines, are here visiting their sister and daughter, Mrs. W. F. Crinklaw, Mr. Parrens is collector of customs. whose wholesale grocery house was gutted by fire last night, will, as nearly as can be estimated this morning, sustain a net BEATRICE-John Parker, an old resident of the Filley vicinity, died Saturday morn-ing, aged 79 years. He leaves two sons, his wife having passed away several years loss of from \$35,000 to \$60,000. Firemen are still throwing three streams of water on the burning stock, a carload of wooden butter dishes and an almost equal quantity of

ago. PLATTSMOUTH-The Benson Eagles pu paper sacks, among the rubbish, yielding on at the Parmele theater "The Boys in Blue" to a large crowd. Following the Platismouth Eagles initiated a number of members and enjoyed a royal good time. slowly to the efforts of the firemen. The paper sacks are being removed from the building, and as soon as the frail wooden egram.)—August Merz, proprietor of the Merz hotel of this city, committed suicide about ? p. m. today by shooting himself in the temple with a revolver. Merz was on the street a few minutes before he com-mitted the deck and a show the form walls of the building, which mitted the deck and a show the form walls of the building, which memory a royal good time. GRACIE—Yesterday morning at the home of her son, N. A. Bates, east of here was in the barn looking for eggs she was attacked by a victous horse and severely kicked.

LEXINGTON-The funeral of John Web-ster of Lexington was held in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon by Rev. B. F. Gaither, Mr. Webster was an old soldier and has been a resident of Lexington and vicinity for many years.

Thomas W. Wilson Dead. PLATTSMOUTH-A. L. Hart of Water-loo, Ia., and Miss Blanche Morgan of Sloux City, Ia., arrived from Omaha Saturday forenoon and were united in marriage by County Judge Beeson and departed for Omaha on the afternoon Burlington train. TECUMSEH, Neb., June 20 .- (Special.)-Thomas W. Wilson, for eighteen years a resident of this city, died at his home here today of a kidney trouble. He had been sick but a day or two. His age was 66 years. Mr. Wilson was a native of Ken-tucky, but the greator part of his life was spent in Illinois. He served through sick but a day or two. His age was 65 was spent in Illinois. He served through the Civil war with an Illinois company. its publication discontinued before his de-parture last week for Hayti. The Semi-Weekly News-Herald will be continued. picnickers and there provisions and para-phernalia for entertainment and sports. Over 2,000 of the picnickers went from McCook, the balance from all over this part of the state. It was the largest ter was born to them who is Mrs. George Worthen of Tecumseh. The wife and two waist.

section of the state, and passed off without accident or unpleasant incident. was a member of the Methodist church for was a member of the Methodist church for Accepted Masons, will install the following the credit for this splendid performance s due to the Burlington management at fcCook. Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns. Was a member of the attinuum cultur of Accepted Masons, will install the following officers: Worthy Master, L. J. Saylor; senior warden, C. W. Wilber; junior warden, C. W. W. Dodge; secretary, J. H. Down-ducted by the pastor, Rev. R. Pearson, The local Grand Army post will have is due to the Burlington management at



Thursday. Home day.

Real estate dealers have prepared lists of their best property to go at a bargain.

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of road was formerly owned by the Great Northern and is still being operated unde the rates charged by that road. The Burlington showed that if it had changed the rates to conform to its other rates, plication

Erring One Must Return.

Governor Shallenborger has issued a requisition for the return to Custer county of Fred Wagoner under arrest at Hutchinson, Kan., for deceiving a young woman under promise of marriage.

Complaint from Thedford.

The citizens of Thedfod have filed a formal complaint for better train service between that town and points west. The complaint filed with the railway commission alleges that it takes twelve hours to go twenty-six miles to Mullen, because of a long wait at Seneca, made famous by "Jim Kelby Ode," and further the the petition says the cars used are unfit for the public to ride in, are unsanitary and of too uncertain age to be hauled through Thomas county. The Burlington railroad Is the defendant.

Roosevelt Declines.

Former President Roosevelt has again declined an invitation to speak to the Epworth assembly here in August. This declination was contained in a telegram from Will Hayward to Addison Wait received this morning. The telegram is as follows. "Colonel Roosevelt has determined to accept no invitations to speak and to make no western trip until some time in September at the earliest. Please notify Mr. Jones of the Epworth league and express my regrots.

Judges' Fund Exhausted.

Judges of the district court will receive no more money from the state for traveling expenses and hotel bills until the next legislature makes an appropriation. The late legislature appropriated \$3,000 for this purpose and that sum has been exhaused and claims aggregating about \$350 have Rosalle B. Congdon of Pawnee City and when filed as deficiencies. The legislature of 1907 appropriated \$6,000 for the traveling expenses of the district judges and of this smount, \$1,095.14 was spent and \$2.904.86 lapsed and was placed back in the treas-



of Party.

McCook HOLDREGE, Neb., June 20-(Special). The county democratic and populist mess convention which was called for this city Big Returns. the difference would have been only \$13.69 on Saturday, June 25, and which was the for the last year and that sum would first to be held in the state, will not be have been in favor of the shippers. July 15 staged as originally planned. The popuwas the date set for hearing on the ap- lists, under Chairman Urbom and Secretary E. W. Maxoy, balked at the idea of meeting n the opera house with the demo crats, so they engaged a separate hall for

pendents Want Semblance

"The dream was most realistic and

First Round for Company.

their meeting, where apart from their con temporaries, they could work out the details of their own county organization and elect delegates to the state convention to be held at Grand Island July 26.

The democrats, however, under Chairman P. C. Funk of Funk, and Secretary Adolph Held will put on their act in the opera house as previously arranged, and preceding the separate conventions of the two parties, will be hosts to the populists at a program of speeches to be given by Richard L. Metcalf of Lincoln, R. D. Sutherland of Nelson, Governor Shallenberger and C. E. Harman. It is rumored here also that Judge Harry Dungan of Hastings may come out this week for the congressional race, and in that event he will be on hand Saturday for the purpose of setting off the opening gun of his own campaign.

Memorial for Mrs. Marble.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., June 20 .- (Special. John N. Gere Woman's Relief corps of this place, held memorial exercises at their hall yesterday afternoon in memory of the late Amanda J. Marble, who was an active member of the corps for a great many years and who died at her home in Table Rock April 6, 1910. Mrs. Ault, president of the corps, presided at the meeting. The music was by the Misses Leia Fellers and Mildred Drysdale, two young girls, who were especial favorites of Mrs. Marble, A short sketch of Mrs. Marble and of her work with the Relief corps, was given by

the secretary. Mrs. Allie Fisher-Wood and the memorial address was by Mrs. was given in her usual eloquent manner.

Commencemient Week at Donne. CRETE, Neb., June 20,-(Special.)-Doane's commencement exercises began with the president's reception to the senior class Saturday evening. Yesterday was Baccalaureate Sunday. Rev. F Rouse of Omaha, who took Dr. Marston's place, as he was taken suddenly ill, preached in the morning and made the address to the graduating class. Rev.

M. Shepperd of Lincoln addressed the Christian associations in the evening.

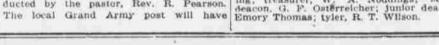
Special Election at Table Rock. TABLE ROCK, Neb., June 20 .- (Special, At a recent meeting of the village board of Table Rock a petition was presented signed by the necessary number of voters, asking for a vote on the initiative and eferendum, and an election has been called or that purpose to be held Tuesday, June

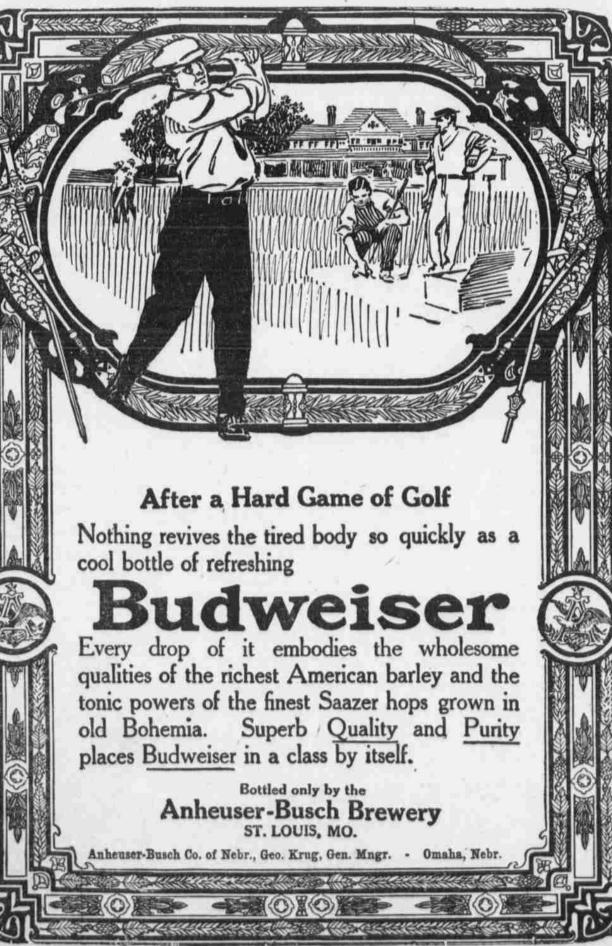
Last of Smallpox Cases.

TAYLOR, Neb., June 20.-(Special.)-The ast quarantine in the county was raised this morning. It is practically nine months since the introduction of the disease now allod small-pox. Nearly every family in own that was not immune has had the disease. It is now believed to be stamped

Most Wonderful Healing After suffering many years with a sore

mos King, Port Byron, N. Y., was cured Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Inc. For sale Beaton Drug Co





Read them.

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If you have a few hundred dollars for the first payment you can pay the balance in monthly installments-like rent.

The easy term plan gives every one an opportunity to own their own home

Thursday's Bee will have a great many choice homes advertised for sale on the easy term plan at prices surprisingly low.



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