

**SNOW COVERS ENTIRE WEST**

Farmers Rejoice at the Big Boost Moisture Gives the Crops.

**NO WIND WITH THE SNOW**

Moisture is Considerable and Covers Every Part of Nebraska, with the Snow Still Falling to the Rocky Mountains.

With a blanket of snow ranging from one to six inches in depth all over Nebraska and still falling, farmers have marked their prospective wealth up many millions of dollars, as they feel that the additional moisture will assure a bumper crop next season.

Reports to the railroads centering in Omaha and filed at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, all brought information that at that time there was no place in Nebraska that had been missed by the snow. Forecaster Welsh of the weather bureau came along with a confirmation of the snow reports and added that the fall would continue during the day and that there are no indications of a blizzard.

Along the Northwestern's Nebraska and Wyoming lines, snow is reported all through this state, up into Dakota and out in Wyoming. It is heavy and wet and in a number of places is four inches deep.

The Burlington has snow over both the North and South Platte lines, all the way through into Wyoming and Colorado. At McCook it is six inches deep.

On the Union Pacific it is snowing the entire distance between Omaha and Cheyenne, with a fall of about five inches west of North Platte.

The Rock Island reports snow from Omaha all the way through Nebraska, Kansas and Colorado. West of Marysville, Kan., several stations report a fall of twelve inches and still snowing.

Along the line of the Missouri Pacific there is a heavy fall of snow as far south as Kansas City. It started last night and has continued all day.

Trainmen coming across Iowa this morning stated that the snowfall reached to about the central portion of the state, but that east of there, while there was no snow, indications pointed to a heavy fall during the day.

**Special Warning Issued.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—High winds in the Mississippi valley, heavy snows in Nebraska and Minnesota and heavy snow or rain in Iowa, was the special warning issued by the weather bureau today to the people of those states to prepare themselves for storm conditions.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 23.—Northwest Missouri today is experiencing the worst sleet storm for several years. Live stock is suffering greatly and telephone wires are down at many points.

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 23.—The heaviest snow and sleet storm of the season struck Des Moines and central Iowa today and seriously interfered with street car traffic and telegraph and telephone wires.

**Munroe Finds West is Most Prosperous**

J. A. Munroe, vice president in charge of traffic of the Union Pacific and the Oregon Short Line, has returned from a month's inspection of the western roads of the Harriman system, his trip having taken him through Idaho, Washington, Oregon, Utah and California. Upon his return he found a "huge bouquet of American Beauty roses, the gift of the forces of the traffic department."

Everywhere Mr. Munroe found conditions most prosperous, with future prospects most excellent. Through the country which he visited universally during the last year crops have been good and successfully marketed. In Idaho there has been an immense crop of grain, hay and potatoes, which have been widely marketed and at good prices, due in a measure, no doubt, to the short crops in some of the states to the east.

The development of Idaho, Mr. Munroe says, has been marvelous, and is still going on, sage brush land being rapidly transformed into grain and orchards. New towns are being started and are very progressive, as is evidenced by the miles of concrete walks, electric light and water plants and school buildings, which are of the best designs and thoroughly up-to-date.

In southern California, and particularly in Los Angeles, Mr. Munroe found that conditions have taken on new life, and the people are exceedingly hopeful and optimistic.

The interests between California and the middle west, according to Mr. Munroe, are growing rapidly daily and will insure to the upbuilding of the entire west part of the United States, everybody realizing that this is going to be helpful to all sections.

**Trefz Favors Big Business Concerns**

Edward P. Trefz, speaking to the Omaha Ad Men's club at the Henshaw hotel, said the advertising man stood between the people and business depression. He attacked fraudulent advertisers and dishonest advertising men, saying "their methods are dead wrong; wrong as bunco steering or the gold-brick game, and laws ought to be passed to prohibit misrepresentations in advertisements."

Mr. Trefz declared in favor of big business, because when the dissolution of the trusts has been effected "the ultimate cost of operation will be increased and the consumer will pay for it. It is my opinion that the people who have been yelling for dissolution of the tobacco trust and the Standard Oil trust will be clamoring for them again within six months."

**To Open Postoffice on Christmas Day**

Because of the heavy increase in business incident to the holiday season, Postmaster Thomas has decided to keep the postoffice open on Sunday and for a few hours on Christmas morning. One delivery will be made on Christmas by the carriers and the delivery windows will be open from 7:30 a. m. until 10:30 a. m. Sunday morning the postoffice delivery windows will be open from 10:30 to 1 o'clock. These arrangements will apply to postal substations where deliveries are made as well as to the postoffice.

**A Sudden Collapse**  
of stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels is most surely prevented with Electric Bitters, the safe regulator, 50 cents. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

**HE BELIEVES "PUBLIC HEALTH" SHOULD BE TAUGHT IN SCHOOL.**



DR. S. R. TOWNE, Sixty-Five Years Old Yesterday.

**Real Estate Men Favor Purchase of Auditorium**

The original board of directors of the Auditorium, only a few of whom are members of the present board, will meet today at 12 o'clock at the Commercial club, to discuss the question of what should be done with the Auditorium, which has been offered to the city for \$225,000 by the present board.

The Real Estate exchange yesterday recommended the purchase of the building by the city for \$225,000, declaring this price reasonable. W. T. Graham, reporting for the exchange's special committee appointed in the matter, quoted some figures given him by the Auditorium board of directors. He reported the cost of the property as \$275,000 and the debt \$107,237.57, including bond mortgage to the sum of \$97,700; notes payable, \$2,000; interest due January 1, \$3,000; taxes due, \$2,200. He said the preferred stock amounts to \$152,750.50 and the common stock, \$3,420.25. The cash surplus on hand is \$1,915.87.

**Counterfeit Dollars**  
buy trouble, but a genuine quarter buys Dr. King's New Life Pills; for constipation, malaria, headache and jaundice. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

The key to success in business is the judicious and persistent use of newspaper advertising.

**Believe Me!**

Here's tobacco that just gingers you into enjoying a pipe all over again



**PRINCE ALBERT**

**Pipe Tobacco that can't bite your tongue**

Compare Prince Albert with any other pipe tobacco you ever smoked—or heard of!

Compare Prince Albert's flavor, aroma and marvelous long-burning, close-fire qualities!

Smoke Prince Albert any old way. Smoke it red hot—one pipeful after another! It can't bite your tongue!



Prince Albert is the consequence of a pipe dream on our part. Experts said the sting couldn't be removed without affecting the natural flavor. But after spending three years and a fortune perfecting a variation in the method of curing, we hit upon the happy system. And now hundreds of thousands of formerly tongue-sore men are enjoying the full delight of the best tobacco on earth. Don't put off your happiness. Don't forget the password. Say "Prince Albert" to your dealer—and say it TODAY.

The tidy red tin swaps for 10 cents everywhere. Also in 5 cent bags, handy for cigarette making, in half-pound and pound tin humidors, and pound glass humidors.

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO. Winston-Salem, N. C.

**Ask Your Doctor**  
All run down, easily tired, thin, pale, nervous? And do not know what to take? Then go direct to your doctor. Ask his opinion of Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla. No alcohol, no stimulation. A blood-purifier, a nerve tonic, a strong alternative, an aid to digestion. Let your doctor decide.

**YOST -- High Grade Furs**  
EXPERT REMODELING  
Corner 20th and Farnam. Telephone Douglas 3040.

**StorZ Saxon Old Bräu**

A TYPICAL "OLD WORLD" BREW MADE WITH GREAT CARE BY THE GOOD OLD GERMAN METHOD... A RARE AND MELLOW BEER WITH AN EXQUISITE TANG AND A RICH FULL FLAVORED BODY... IT IS A REAL MASTER BREW

NOTHING LIKE IT IN AMERICA

IT IS DELICIOUS BEYOND COMPARE.

YOU WILL FIND IT AT ALL FIRST CLASS BARS AND CAFES. ORDER A CASE FOR YOUR HOME. DO IT NOW. THE DEMAND WILL BE GREAT

CALL OR WRITE  
CHAS. STORZ CONSUMERS DISTRIBUTOR 1827 SHERMAN AVE. OMAHA BOTH PHONES

**"Common Sense" Whispers:**  
**"Give him something he can WEAR, and buy it at below MAKER'S COST at the sale of the Culp-Langworthy Bankrupt Stock"**

Clothes Shop

Make a clever choice from Omaha's highest class furnishing goods stock--choose from

**Thousands of Pieces of Xmas Haberdashery**

If you don't care for Furnishing Goods, buy him a most swagger "Culp-Langworthy Clothes Shop"

**Suit or Overcoat at HALF PRICE**

Any Stetson Hat \$1.55  
\$2.50 or \$3 kinds, at . . .

Linen Collars 5c English Collars 9c

**More Xmas Chances below! Note 'Em Now!**

- MEN'S UNION SUITS—The celebrated "Spring Needle" Union Suits that always bring \$1.50 are going at, per suit, only . . . **78c** Buys the \$7.50 Bath Robes
- MEN'S UNION SUITS—\$5.00 Union Suits at \$2.79, \$4.00 Muldoons at \$2.48, \$2.00 Velvet Ribs at \$1.48 and \$2.50 wool unions at . . . **\$1.25** Buys the \$10 Bath Robes
- SMOKING JACKETS—\$15.00 kinds must go at \$7.50, \$12.50 kinds at \$6.25, \$10.00 kinds at \$5.00 and \$7.50 kinds at only . . . **\$4.79** Buys the \$12.50 Bath Robes
- MEN'S SHIRTS GO—Any Culp-Langworthy \$3.00 shirt at \$1.45, \$1.50 and \$2.00 shirts at 95c, and \$1.00 shirts at only . . . **69c** Buys the \$12.50 Bath Robes
- MEN'S HANKERCHIEFS—\$1.00 boxes of 6 handkerchiefs go at box, 59c; 50c and 75c silk handkerchiefs go at only . . . **29c** Buys Silk and Wool Lined Gloves
- MEN'S MUFFLERS—\$1.50 knit kinds, 69c; \$6.00 and \$7.00 silks at \$3.15; \$3.50 silk Oxforas at \$1.69; and 75c and \$1.00 kinds at only . . . **49c** Buys any of the Fancy or Full Dress Vests
- MEN'S HOSIERY—\$2.00 and \$2.50 kinds at 95c; \$1.25 silks at 55c; 50c hose at 25c; 35c "Shawkuits" at \$1.75; 25c hose at per pair . . . **12c** Buys Many Other Xmas Gift Items.
- LADIES' HOSE—Ladies' \$4.00 to \$8.00 hose, \$2.95; the \$2.00 and \$2.50 kinds at 95c; the \$1.50 silk hose at per pair . . . **69c**
- MEN'S NECKWEAR—\$3.50 and \$3.00 neckwear, \$1.35; the \$1.50 and \$2.00 kinds, 75c; the 75c and \$1.00 kinds, 39c; the 50c neckties at . . . **29c**

**S. E. Cor. of 16th & Harney**  
Ground Floor City National Bank Building

Of course you are going South this winter—it's just a question of the date, for the train will be the

**Chicago-Florida Limited**

The quickest service to Florida. The latest night train from Chicago, insuring connection with trains of all other lines from the North and West.

A solid through train, Chicago to Jacksonville, without change, serving breakfast in the morning before reaching Jacksonville.

**Lv. Chicago 11:55 P. M.** Ready at 8:30 P. M.  
**Ar. Jacksonville 8:30 A. M.** Second morning following.

**New York Central Lines**  
Big Four Route  
In connection with the Queen & Crescent Route and Southern Railway

Ask your local agent for tickets and all information, or call on or address

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