

We extend our heartiest wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year and many of them.

This store remains closed all day Monday

Bright and early Tuesday morning begins the biggest bargain-giving

Clearing Sale

we have ever held.

See Monday papers for complete details of this eagerly anticipated event.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE OWN STORE BENSON AND THORNE CO. 1518-1520 FARNAM STREET

EX-CONVICT INVADES PRISON

Man Who Stirred Up Trouble at Fort Madison Goes Back.

DEMANDS PAPERS BE GIVEN HIM

Enters Warden Sanders' Quarters and is Attacked by Negro Cook and Given Severe Beating—Bridge Matters to Fore.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—It became known today that Frank Novak, a pardoned ex-convict, returned to Fort Madison recently and going to the state prison to become engaged in an altercation, which resulted in his receiving a severe beating.

NEW PRESIDENT NEBRASKA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION.



JUDGE W. A. REDICK.

Union of Labor at Atlanta at the time the McNamara confessed.

Munsey Harbored McNamara. ALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 30.—It has been asserted repeatedly by detectives employed in the McNamara case that J. Munsey, indicted in Los Angeles to be in connection with the alleged dynamite conspiracy, harbored James B. McNamara in his home here after the explosion that wrecked the Los Angeles Times.

It is said that Mrs. Munsey made an affidavit to this effect to detectives after a quarrel with her husband. When Munsey was summoned to appear before the federal grand jury at Los Angeles the papers, books and correspondence of the local iron workers' union were secured by Sheriff Sharp of Salt Lake county and shipped to the federal authorities at Los Angeles. It is believed here that the mysterious box taken before the grand jury for examination some weeks ago contained these papers.

LETTERS REVEAL COLONEL'S IDEAS

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cline to accept a formal invitation to attend the dinner, to prevent possible disorder the police commissioner has ordered his "strong arm squad" to be present.

President Taft was due to arrive at 5 o'clock and following his arrival will go at once to the peace dinner. The list of speakers are as follows: President Taft, Andrew Carnegie, Oscar Straus, Henry Clues and John Temple Graves, the toastmaster.

Mr. Carnegie indicated today that he might have something to say about the pending arbitration treaties. It is believed here that President Taft will take occasion to make reply to Colonel Roosevelt's editorial comment of the arbitration treaties.

President off for New York. WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—President Taft left Washington at 10 o'clock for his last trip of the year. His first stop will be at Philadelphia, where he will attend the John Wanamaker fiftieth anniversary and jubilee celebration.

Utterly Wretched

Nervous Prostration Long Endured Before Remedy Was Found.

Miss Minerva Reininger, Upper Bern, Pa., writes: "For several years I had nervous prostration, and was utterly wretched. I lived on bread and beef tea because my stomach would not retain anything else. I took many remedies, but obtained no relief until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla, when I began to gain at once. Am now cured."

Laundry Resolutions

One of the best ways to make 1912 bring greater success to you is to wear the most immaculate linens—always fresh and attractive—so much so that all your friends will ask "Who does your laundering?"

If you want to give yourself this distinction, January 1st is a bully time to start.

START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT by starting at the Mosher-Lampman College. The most successful people are those who have been trained for business. Attend the Mosher-Lampman College and it will prepare you for a good position.

We wish you and all our patrons a most Prosperous New Year

JUST CALL.



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and you'll be surprised at the difference it will make—and greater success will naturally follow.

the John Wanamaker store and to visit the offices of the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

The president was warmly greeted by a large crowd at the Broad street station of the Pennsylvania railroad. Among those who were with the president were Secretary of State Knox and United States Senator Penrose.

After the exercises in the store Mr. Wanamaker made an address introducing Mr. Taft.

After the exercises the president was escorted to the Public Ledger office.

Mr. Taft had been invited to meet the staff of the newspaper and took the present opportunity to accept it. The employees of all the departments met the president in the business office.

Democrats Will Cut Off Tariff Board

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—It was credibly reported at the capitol today that the Democrats of the house have determined to eliminate from the sundry civil appropriation bill for next year the \$25,000 estimate for the president's tariff board, the \$75,000 estimate for the president's economy and efficiency commission and the \$25,000 estimate for the president's traveling expenses.

ARMY SURGEONS REPORT AGAINST RELEASE OF MORSE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The report of the special board of army surgeons, detailed by President Taft to make a physical examination of Charles W. Morse, the so-called "strong arm" man, is said to support previous reports which have been made to the president and is understood therefore to be unfavorable to the prisoner's immediate release.

TEETH Without Pains.



Special Prices for January, 1912

Any one bringing this ad to my office, having more than one dollar's worth of work done, this ad is worth 50c, and if more than five dollars' worth of work, this ad is worth \$1.00 on the advertised price.

DR. CLARK THE PAINLESS DENTIST 204 Paxton Block Office Hours, 8 to 5; Evenings, 6 to 8; Sundays, 12 to 4.

SAFE INVESTMENTS

You work probably more for your family and dependents than for yourself. A man would be selfish if he did not.

Every day we have exemplified to us the uncertainty and sudden ending of life.

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Silver for Wedding Presents

You can give nothing more appropriate than splendid sterling silverware. It is beautiful and remains so for generations—certainly a practical side to consider.

ALBERT EDHOLM JEWELER, Sixteenth and Harney.

Start the New Year Right by Keeping

Your Money. Life Insurance Policies, Tax Receipts, Contracts, Deeds, Abstracts, Bonds, Jewelry and other valuables in a

SAFE DEPOSIT BOX

In the American Safe Deposit Vaults

In the Bee Building, 216 South 17th Street. Boxes rent \$3 a year or \$1 for three months. Call and see them. Open from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M. every day and until 9 P. M. Saturday nights.

AGENTS FOR FRANKLIN HAMER & CO.

Brandeis Stores

Respectfully Invite You to Attend an Interesting Special Exhibition of the New Models in

NEMO CORSETS

Beginning on Tuesday, Jan. 2d

Miss Virginia Meyer, well known as an expert corseteer, will be present to explain the special features of these popular corsets, and to aid you in solving this most important of present fashion problems—the correct corset.

Newly Patented Special Features Make the NEMO CORSETS

More Practical Than Ever.

The elastic bands of Last-kops Webbing (on inside of corset) perfectly supports the abdomen from underneath.

BRANDEIS STORES

NYE AND TURNER CO. BOSTON, MASS. 30 STATE STREET. OMAHA, NEB. 107 1/2 FARNAM STS.

Many People

ARE taking advantage of investments offered by bonds for small amounts.

These are as safe, yield as much, and are as readily realized upon as the larger demoninations. We have them for \$250 and \$500. No legal opinion of abstract, no search for unpaid taxes, no insurance to be kept up, no trouble collecting the interest—just cut the coupons.

These bonds can be bought by monthly payments, thereby securing to the purchaser the best income.

RAILROAD, MUNICIPAL AND CORPORATION BONDS CAPITAL, FULLY PAID, \$100,000.00

LABOR UNFAIRLY TREATED

La Follette Opposes Application of Sherman Law to Unions.

MISTAKEN JUDICIAL VERDICT

Senator, in President Taft's Home Town, Asserts Enforcement of Measure Takes Small Savings and Leaves Wealth.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 30.—Senator La Follette invaded President Taft's home city today. The progressive candidate for the republican nomination for president stopped first at Hamilton, Butler county, heralded for years as the democratic Gibraltar of the state, drew together a crowd that filled the hall in which he spoke, and after a brief reception by the Hamilton club entered President Taft's home city in a driving rain.

In Hamilton, although arrangements for the meeting had been made too late to permit any extended notice, a skating rink hastily outfitted with chairs was well filled. Senator La Follette, who with watch in hand announced that he would talk but half an hour, warmed into his speech and talked nearly three times as long. His voice had been husky and he gave evidence of being fatigued by the first week of his speech-making tour.

At Muncie hall here tonight he attacked the judicial construction which brought labor union combinations under the restriction of the Sherman anti-trust law. Enforcement Unfair. "It is strange," he said, "that when the court goes to its highest limit in imposing penalties on combinations of capital, all of the capitalist owners get away with the full value of their property, but when the court goes to the same limit in enforcing penalties on combinations of labor, it takes away the homes and small savings of the guilty ones."

The fact is, the law was not understood by the people to apply to labor organizations and it is a mistaken judicial construction that has made it so apply. The law should be amended by taking out from under its operation all labor organizations and all employees' associations. The law should exclude entirely from its prohibitions the collective bargaining of labor unions and employers.

In addition to strengthening the laws against restraint of trade, there must be a reduction or repeal of the tariff, where it fosters unfair competition. Instead of two or more commissioners, like the tariff board, the proposed board to deal with restraint of trade and others, each investigating the same facts and corporations, there should be a single board of experts, statisticians and accountants to determine facts and acquire information for the use of every branch of the government.

ELEVEN MORE MYSTERIOUS DEATHS IN BERLIN HOME

BERLIN, Dec. 30.—Eleven more deaths have occurred today from poisoning, bringing the total up to sixty-eight since December 28, when a number of inmates of the Municipal Night Shelter for the Homeless were suddenly affected. Thirty additional cases of sickness also are reported and the problem is becoming more mysterious, as among the victims one at least was never in a public shelter and some others did not partake of the suspected fish. The official experts continue to insist that the sickness was brought about by ptomaine poisoning.

Breach of Promise Suit Dropped.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—The sensational breach of promise suit begun by Mrs. Alma Clark of Bolton, Ill., against R. L. Pyle, a wealthy and aged stockholder living near here, has been dismissed. Suit was brought for \$10,000. Mrs. Clark, who is a widow, alleging that Pyle made love to her in 1890, was accepted and the wedding day was set. When Pyle's attorney filed a motion that the widow, being a non-resident, be forced to post a \$1,000 bond for the court costs she dropped the suit. Letters written to her by Pyle were filed by her attorney.

New Pastor at Cambridge.

CAMBRIDGE, Neb., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Dr. G. E. McCarger of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Springfield, N. M., arrived here yesterday to take up the pastorate of the Methodist Episcopal church here.

eastern and southern Colorado today.

At La Junta twelve inches of snow covers the ground and blankets all feed on the range. Severe cold has frozen the water and cattle, horses and sheep are suffering. Secretary Whitehead of the State Humane society has been notified, so serious are conditions, it is said that jack rabbits, quail, wolves and coyotes are flocking to ranch houses and settlements for food. Today's thermometer at La Junta registered 10 degrees below zero.

From the mountains west of Loveland great herds of deer have been driven to the prairie lands to find feed, so deep is the snow in the hills, and it is said to be common to see deer mingling with ranch cattle on the grazing lands. In the district about Canon City ranchers' cattle have been driven to civilization by the snows in the mountains. Several lions have been killed in that district by ranchmen, and preparations are being made by ranchmen and cowboys for a great New Year's day mountain lion hunt in the foothills and mountains west of Canon City.

Snow-Fills Mountain Passes.

Immense snow drifts in the mountain passes are delaying trains. Colorado & Southern train No. 1, due here yesterday afternoon, is still at Tealton. Santa Fe trains from Texas are also snow bound. Two sections of a Union Pacific train from Kansas City, scheduled to reach this city at noon yesterday, were delayed until this morning.

Other trains transverse Kansas are arriving from two to twelve hours late. Several trains which are made up here for the snow-bound districts did not attempt to depart.

Slight Below at Sioux City.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Dec. 30.—The coldest weather of the winter if being experienced in this section. Temperatures dropped to 3 below last night, but rose slightly this morning. Snow is falling. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 30.—Snow and sleet has been falling here all day and street car and railroad traffic is badly interrupted. Telephone wires are down in many places.

Trains Delayed by Snowdrifts.

NORFOLK, Neb., Dec. 30.—It was 10 below zero in Norfolk today. A Union Pacific passenger train due here from Columbus, Neb., at 9:30 last night arrived at 5:45 this morning. The distance is fifty miles. The train bucked snowdrifts all night.

NEBRASKA CITY NEWS NOTES

Edward Sheldon, Pioneer Commissioner Man, Suffers Stroke of Paralysis.

NEBRASKA CITY, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Edward Sheldon, one of the pioneer residents of this city and perhaps the oldest commissioner in the state, suffered a stroke of paralysis yesterday afternoon. He was about the streets the same as usual and seemed in the best of health and was suddenly stricken down. He is 73 years of age and since the packing house here dispensed with the services of the commission men and purchased direct from the shippers or raisers he has lived a retired life with his daughter. Mr. Sheldon was for many years a close personal friend of the late J. Sterling Meritt and was one of his appointees when he was a member of President Cleveland's cabinet. Mr. Sheldon's condition is quite serious.

CHANCE REMARK BRINGS FORTUNE TO WOMAN

LAWRENCE, Kan., Dec. 30.—The chance remark of a friend relative to a newspaper item telling of the death of a woman in Los Angeles, Cal., was the means of bringing a fortune to Mrs. Mary Barnes of this city. Today she received a message telling her that she will receive \$15,000 from the estate of the deceased woman, who was Mrs. Name Kay Sullivan, her sister-in-law. Lawyers had been searching nearly a year for Mrs. Barnes.

Advertisements Monday

The Bee Monday will publish January sale advertisements of Omaha stores. Women will be especially interested. The Bee will issue no paper Monday evening. The morning edition will be delivered to all subscribers.

NORTHWESTERN CONDUCTOR IS KILLED AT DENISON

DENISON, Ia., Dec. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—Conductor Thickett of Boone was instantly killed at the station here at 11 a. m. He stepped off his way car in front of No. 7 fast passenger. It is thought the smoke and steam clouded his sight so he did not know the train was upon him. His body was badly mangled.

MUSCATINE GRAND JURY DELAYS REPORT A WEEK

MUSCATINE, Ia., Dec. 30.—Though indictments involving labor leaders in connection with the button workers' strike were expected here this afternoon, it was announced that the grand jury report probably would not be made public until next week, or after arrests have been made.

Iowa News Notes.

ALLIANCE. January 25 a special election will be held here to vote on the proposition to bond the school district for \$10,000, with which to build and equip a new school building.

ELDOORA.—James Phelan, wanted here for forgery, is under arrest at Billings, Mont., according to a telegram received by Sheriff Washburn. Officers left today to bring Phelan here.

UNION.—The Church of Christ, costing \$25,000, will be dedicated here Sunday. Rev. Charles G. Houtz of Houtz Springs, Colo., will have charge of the dedicatory services. Pastors of the denomination from central Iowa will participate.

FIRST BILLS ARE RETURNED IN THE DYNAMITE CASES

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lams, if they are able to bring forward the necessary security before tonight. So far as known today Clarence S. Darrow will not be associated in the defense of the prisoners. One labor leader made the definite statement that he would not be retained.

Schmidt and Caplan Named. United States District Attorney A. I. McCormick announced that in addition to Twitmore, Johannesen and Munsey, indictment returned today by the federal grand jury named E. N. Clancy, the McNamara brothers, Orin E. McManis and Schmidt and Caplan.

"And the grand jury has not finished its investigation by any means," he added.

Mrs. Munsey, wife of the indicted Salt Lake labor leader, and her son, Alfred Goodrich, were among the principal witnesses before the grand jury. Mrs. Munsey's testimony was said to have been practically a repetition of a public declaration she made some time ago that her husband had seen or had communication with the McNamaras both before and after the Times explosion.

"I'm not going to talk at all," Munsey said today.

"All I have to say will be said to the attorneys who will defend us."

Twitmore Prominent in Labor World. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Graf Twitmore, indicted today in Los Angeles, is the secretary of state and local building trades council and president of the Asiatic exultation league, which spreads over the Pacific coast. He also is editor of the local building trades journal, organized labor and a member of the executive board of the national Brotherhood of Cement Workers, which he organized.

Twitmore obtained his secretaryship in the building trades council about ten years ago.

Anton Johannesen served as a model for the hero of a recent labor novel. He has a more powerful following in Chicago than in San Francisco. He was early a leader in the labor movement in Chicago, while an officer of the wood workers' union. His politics were then of a socialist turn and he created a sensation in the convention of the American Federation of Labor in Pittsburgh by denouncing Gompers as a non-progressive.

While in Chicago Johannesen was noted as the opponent of the "sloggers," advocating peaceful methods of dealing with the non-unionists. He came to San Francisco five years ago and for the last two years has been organizer of the state building trades.

Twitmore and Johannesen were attending the convention of the American Feder-