

# The Imperial at \$3 Looks Like a \$5 Hat

Has all the earmarks of a five dollar hat—and wears like one too. Spring shapes now ready—soft hats, in either rough or smooth finish—derbies in a clever new English model.



## \$3

Most of those jaunty stitched cloth hats you see worn so much lately came from here, lots more left in grey and tan mixtures and black and white checks.

## \$2

"Hedcaps" in every new shade and shape... \$1.00 and \$1.50

# BENSON & THORNE CO.

1513-20 FARNAM STREET

### WOMAN SMUGGLER A SUICIDE

#### Mrs. Carson of Los Angeles Kills Herself in New York.

#### HAD HIDE PEARLS AND DIAMONDS

#### After Being Released on Bond She Returned to Hotel and Hanged Herself Through Eighth Story Window.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Mrs. Blanche Carson of San Francisco, who was arrested here for smuggling several thousand dollars' worth of jewelry on her arrival from India, committed suicide early today by hanging herself out of the window of her hotel.

The body of Mrs. Carson was seen by a pedestrian swinging from a window on the eighth floor of the Hotel Bristol. The clerk was notified and the door Mrs. Carson's room was forced. A rope tied to a radiator passed out of the window and at the end dangled the body of the woman. The body still was warm.

Two notes were found in the room, one of which was addressed to her attorney, Harrison Osborn. Her contents was not made public.

Mrs. Carson reached here day before yesterday on the steamship George Washington. She was arrested on the charge of gross undervaluation and smuggling, after having confessed that she had smuggled jewelry which the authorities valued at \$20,000.

On her arrival Mrs. Carson had declared a package of unstrung pearls, but had undervalued them.

#### Gems Hidden in Hat.

On her appearance for examination yesterday she broke down and told of the large amount of jewelry she had brought into the country concealed in her hat and in her baggage.

Released on \$2,000 bail for further examination Friday, Mrs. Carson went up town, presumably to her hotel.

She registered at the hotel as Mrs. Edwin Carson of Paris. It was understood that her home was in San Francisco, but the hotel manager said this morning that he thought Mrs. Carson resided in Los Angeles. She was about 30 years of age and was making a trip around the world alone.

Mrs. Carson evidently had sat up all night and some time after 3 o'clock she slipped a rope from a large package in her room and fastened one end to a radiator, slipped the noose around her neck and dropped out the window. The body was discovered at 5:30 o'clock.

Lawyer Osborn said he did not know of the previous affairs of Mrs. Carson, but said that she came from Los Angeles. In her room was a card with her name on it and bearing the address 922 South street, San Francisco. Mr. Osborn declined to open the letter addressed to him until the coroner had completed his examination. The letter addressed to Paul H. Mayberry, began "Dear Brother," but its contents were not disclosed.

#### Family Prominent in California.

SAN JOSE, Cal., March 20.—Mrs. Blanche Carson was a daughter of the late Hiram Mabury, for years one of the most prominent residents of this city. The family is one of great wealth and after their mansion here was wrecked by the earthquake of 1906 they removed to Los Angeles.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 20.—Mrs. Blanche Carson was an alumna of Vassar college and active in the work of the Vassar Students' Aid society in this city. She was the author of several books. Her husband, Dr. Edwin Carson, died a few weeks after their marriage. She had a number of years ago. Since then Mrs. Carson has spent much of her time at Carmel-by-the-Sea, a colony of writers and artists near this city. The Babury family is known in several California counties.

Relatives here and in Los Angeles refused to believe Mrs. Carson had taken her own life. They declared she had carried a large amount of jewelry which might have been the cause of her arrest for smuggling. Members of the Century club, an exclusive San Francisco women's club, to which Mrs. Carson belonged, said she never had shown eccentricities of any kind and that she was a quiet, cultivated woman, engrossed in study and travel and engaged in much charitable and philanthropic work.

#### SOUTH DAKOTA ELOPERS MARRIED AT MINNEAPOLIS

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., March 20.—(Special.)—Richard Rasmussen and Miss Irene Tasted, prominent young people of the region where Hamborn and Aurora counties join, who eloped several days ago, have returned to their homes as man and wife, having been married at Minneapolis. The ceremony was performed at the home of a cousin of the groom in that city. They eloped while the parents of the girl, who opposed the marriage, not because of any objections of the young man, but because their daughter is but 17 years of age. They were temporarily absent from home. From South Dakota they went direct to the Minnesota city and lost no time in being married before they could be located and the ceremony prevented.

#### KEARNEY MEN FORM FIRM IN LINE OF PUBLICITY

KEARNEY, Neb., March 20.—(Special.)—E. M. Dunaway, formerly proprietor and managing editor of the Kearney Morning Times, and Willard F. Bailey, representative of the Fifty-ninth district in the Nebraska legislature, have entered into a partnership and opened a general advertising and publicity office in the city. They plan on the promotion of advertising business, land openings and negotiations and similar undertakings especially catering to large out-of-town work.

#### Stella Boy Nearly Suffocated.

STELLA, Neb., March 20.—(Special.)—Edward, the 5-year-old son of Irvin Belmer, got hold of some matches while his mother was out of doors and set fire to the fringe of a bedspread, which ignited the rest of the bedding. When the boy's mother came into the house she looked about for her son and was horrified to find him nearly suffocated under the bed in the blazing room. Prompt service from the neighbors saved the fire out before the damage had exceeded \$50.

#### Oxford Declamatory Contest.

OXFORD, Neb., March 20.—(Special.)—The third annual high school declamatory contest was held last night. Fourteen boys and girls contested. The judges of the contest, who were County Superintendent Estella Peterson of Holdrege, Rev. E. C. Newland, also of Holdrege, and Superintendent P. W. Peppoon of Orleans, gave first place to Virginia Hlavet and second to Sylvia Frydrik. Miss Hlavet gave "Aunt Martha's First Geneva Lesson" and Mr. Frydrik gave "A Pica for Cuba."

#### Table Rock Elects Teachers.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., March 20.—(Special.)—At a special meeting of the school board held for the purpose of electing the school teachers of the Table Rock schools for the coming year, the following were elected: Superintendent, L. E. Mohler; principal, Elsie K. Robinson; assistant principal, Gertrude Purinton; grade teachers, Margaret C. Engberg, Minnie Boggs, Carlisle Shorter, Mayme C. Gettle, Nellie G. Irwin and Eunice Norris. There was no election for the room for English and history, which will doubtless be filled at the next meeting of the board to be held April 1.

If you have anything to exchange, advertise it in The Bee Want Ad column.

### Great Ice Gorge in Des Moines River Near Ottumwa

OTTUMWA, Ia., March 20.—A repetition of the flood of 1902 is threatened here today. An ice gorge nine miles in length, extending from Eddyville to Chillicothe, Ia., has caused a rise of eight feet in the Des Moines river in twelve hours. As a result bridges at those points here in Ottumwa are in serious danger.

Whole families were compelled to desert their homes in the Ottumwa packing house district this afternoon as a result of another ice gorge at the Clifford bridge, which backed up the river. Dynamite is being used in an effort to break the ice pack. Should the river rise another foot here the main business street will be flooded.

The ice gorge broke shortly after noon and the water dropped two feet in half an hour. All immediate danger of a flood then passed.

#### WARSAW, Ill., March 20.—The ice in the Mississippi river is gorged about a half mile below here, but reports that the jam had burst are erroneous. Great masses and cakes are piling up and the water has risen three feet and six inches since 2 o'clock. High water mark here is 2 feet and the water has already reached the 11-foot level. So far the damage has been confined to the flooding of the lowlands, but the gorge is not broken and if the flood continues much valuable property may be destroyed.

### WEST IS SWEEP BY SPRING STORM

(Continued from First Page.)

snow extends as far north as Fairmont, Minn., and south to the state line. At Belle Plaine ten inches has fallen.

#### Severe in West Nebraska.

OSGOSH, Neb., March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—The worst storm of the winter was raging here today. Stock is suffering for lack of feed. The table land in the south part of the county has been entirely under a deep layer of snow since last fall, and after losing the crop last year, farmers are in hard straits and unable to feed stock from the river valley. Stock on the range in the sandhills is short of feed, but no losses are reported to date.

#### No Coal at Lyons.

LYONS, Neb., March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Fully ten inches of snow fell here today. No coal is to be bought in town. BROKEN BOW, Neb., March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—On account of the fierce snowstorm, delaying railway passage and blocking all wagon roads, the county life commission that was to have convened here tomorrow has again been indefinitely postponed.

#### Boone is Snowed In.

BOONE, Ia., March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—The worst blizzard in fifty years has completely tied up railroads, interurbans and city street car service. Drifts in places are over tops of telephone poles. Streets are packed with snow and it is impossible for teams to do city work. Not a single train on the Northwestern have been annulled, others are stalled along the right-of-way.

#### First Day of Wage Discussion Fruitless

CLEVELAND, O., March 20.—Wage discussions between the operators and representatives of 30 union miners in the bituminous coal fields of western Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois, held in an effort to avert a prolonged suspension of business after April 1 and also to avert a possible strike, today were without result.

The prospect that all the bituminous coal mines would be closed after the first of the month, pending the making of a new two-year working and wage agreement was said to be imminent. It also was said the lack of wage scale in the central states would leave the union bituminous coal miners in other states they would have to close, entailing idleness for more than 20,000 miners.

After today's conference adjourned until tomorrow, the union officials and operators announced only the first of the miners' demands had been considered and no vote had been taken.

#### ATTORNEY SEEKS HEIRS FOR SOUTH DAKOTA FORTUNE

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., March 20.—(Special.)—Attorneys representing a large estate in the western part of the state are endeavoring to locate a man named Charles White, who for a time was a resident of South Dakota, and who may yet be residing at some point in the state. His wife died in Canada about eight years ago and so far as can be learned White shortly after her death came to South Dakota and located in Gregory county, where he is believed to have placed his children in the custody of a sister, whose name is unknown. The children are heirs to the estate of their grandfather, who recently died in western South Dakota. Postmaster Lucas of Bonesteel, S. D., has been asked by attorneys for information in reference to White and his children.

#### WYOMING REPUBLICANS WILL MEET ON MAY 13

CHYENNE, Wyo., March 20.—(Special.)—The republican state central committee met here today in the office of the chairman, C. W. Burdick, and selected Chyenne as the place for holding the republican state convention on May 13, at which delegates to the national republican convention will be named. The appointment was based on one delegate to every 100 votes cast for congressman at the last election. This will provide for a total of 132 delegates at the state convention. The matter of holding presidential primaries is being discussed, but as the law failed to provide for same it is doubtful if the state committee will do anything in the matter.

#### Three Accidents at Beatrice.

BEATRICE, Neb., March 20.—(Special.)—Gibert Fritts and Roy Shert were badly hurt while chopping wood on the farm of Oliver Fritts northwest of the city. They were chopping down a tree and it fell before they could get out of the way. Fritts sustained a broken ankle and Shert a severely sprained back.

Mrs. Martha Bowman, an old resident of Beatrice, slipped and fell at her home breaking her arm. She is 72 years of age.

For Kansas—Fair Sunday; Monday fair and somewhat colder.

### JURY PURSUES COUNTY GRAFT

#### Examination is Made of Workmanship on Farnam Street.

#### COMMISSIONERS ARE ON STAND

#### More South Omaha Saloon Keepers Are Examined Following Up Goldstrom's Statements—Indictments Returned.

Investigation of South Omaha Fire and Police board and local paving matters was temporarily dropped by the Douglas county grand jury yesterday and prob of matters in connection with the construction of the new county building was begun.

Commissioners Elasser, Lynch, Best O'Connor and Harte were subpoenaed and the entire afternoon was spent examining there.

The marble deal, by which the general contractors saved about \$12,000 and the furniture transaction by which Commissioner Elasser alleged the county lost about \$17,000, were the principal subjects of inquiry.

#### Paving is Examined.

Douglas street paving between Sixteenth and Twentieth streets was examined by the grand jury in its hunt for graft. Other sections of paving will be examined within two days. The jury had planned to examine paving, but on account of the snowstorm the trip was postponed.

More South Omaha saloon keepers were examined in continuing the investigations of statements made by Sal Goldstrom.

The following indictments have been returned: Charles Imx, Harry Muller, William Hill and J. J. Coffey, breaking and entering; Joseph Stephens, stabbing with intent to wound; Anton Gillynky, grand larceny; Perego & Moore, transferring an account in a garnishment proceeding.

The charge against Perego & Moore is a technical one growing out of an litigation for collection of an account against an employe and does not indicate any intent to violate the law.

#### Salemanship Talk is Given by Borglum

A. S. Borglum of the Darrow Advertising company addressed the membership committee of the Commercial club yesterday on "Effective Salemanship," as applied to the committee's current campaign for new members.

T. L. Davis reported having secured seven new members for the week, G. H. Crozier, six; G. W. Noble, four; R. T. Burns, two, and the remainder of the committee, one each. Seventeen new names were presented in the name of the executive committee. This makes a total of 131 new members since February 1.

A spectacular feature of the committee meeting was the sudden holding of the rolling partition between the meeting room and the adjoining room, where the Real Estate exchange, and a vocal broadside from C. S. Elgutter at the exchange members, urging all who were not members of the club to get in.

#### FREDRICKSON STILL IN THE OMAHA MOTOR CLUB

H. E. Fredrickson is still a member of the Omaha Motor club in good standing, according to a statement issued by the secretary, W. J. Kirkland, at the direction of the directors who met Tuesday evening to consider the action of some of the members who voted Mr. Fredrickson out of the club. Mr. Fredrickson was voted out of the club by some of the members because he insisted the club pay his money he won at some races on the Speedway last summer. He insisted that as he had taken great chances in driving the race himself he was entitled to the money. Following is the statement:

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Omaha Motor club held last evening, among other things the matter of the expulsion of H. E. Fredrickson from the club, as published in the papers of this city was under consideration and it being found that the by-laws provide the method of procedure for the expulsion of a member it was unanimously decided that the matter of expulsion of a member was wholly in the province of the club. In view of the by-laws, therefore, Mr. Fredrickson is still a member of the club in good standing.

#### SALOONIST IS IN JAIL IN LIEU OF \$100 FINE

Buck Laughlin, proprietor of the Vienna saloon, pleaded guilty to a charge of selling liquor without a license in criminal court yesterday. He was unable to pay a \$100 fine and went to jail for thirty days.

#### COLD CAUSE HEADACHE.

LAXATIVE BROMO QUINA, the world wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes cause. Call for free sample. Look for signature, E. W. GROVE, etc.

Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

#### A VALUABLE SUGGESTION IMPORTANT TO EVERYONE

It is now contended by physicians that the kidneys should have more attention as they control the other organs to a remarkable degree and do a tremendous amount of work in removing the poisons and waste matter from the system by filtering the blood.

During the winter months especially, when we live an indoor life, the kidneys would receive some assistance when needed, as we take less exercise, drink less water and often eat more rich heavy foods, thereby forcing the kidneys to do more work than Nature intended. Evidence of kidney trouble, such as lame back, inability to hold urine, smarting or burning, bric-k-dust or sediment, sallow complexion, rheumatism, may be weak or irregular heart action, warns you that your kidneys require help immediately to avoid more serious trouble.

An herbal medicine containing no minerals or opiates has the most healing influence. An ideal herbal compound that has had most remarkable success as a kidney and bladder remedy is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root.

You may receive a sample bottle of Swamp-Root by mail, absolutely free. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and mention The Omaha Daily Bee.

#### HAVE YOU A BAD BACK?

Drive away your Backache, get today a package of Mother Gray's Aromatic Leaf for the kidneys and correcting that lame, sore and all unstrung feeling of the nerves. If your kidneys act too frequently, or action is painful and scanty Aromatic Leaf is corrective and the best Regulator. At Drugstore or by mail \$2.00. Sample FREE. Add-see The Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.



### 80 Cents Per Quart

Four Quarts Shipped Free. Don't forget—order today. Call, phone or write to

## HILLER LIQUOR CO.

1309 FARNAM STREET

### Artificial Flowers Grow in Favor

In order to thrive, flowers need plenty of sun and some plants require a great deal of care and moisture. The tendency of modern times towards living in apartment houses and hotels makes it extremely difficult to properly take care of flowers and growing plants.

For this reason artificial flowers are rapidly gaining in favor and we have to constantly reorder to be able to supply the demand.

They have the appearance of the real, do not require any care and last a great deal longer.

Our store is one mass of color from our spring showing. Here you will find your favorite as we are showing every conceivable spring flower.

Why not come in today, select your favorite and brighten up the room with a dash of spring.

## A. HOSPE CO.

(FRAMER'S CRAFT SHOP)  
1513-15 Douglas Street

### Protect Yourself!

Get the Original and Genuine

## HORLICK'S MALTED MILK

The Food-drink for All Ages.

For Infants, Invalids, and Growing Children. Pure Nutrition, up building the whole body. Invigorates the nursing mother and the aged. Rich milk, malted grain, in powder form.

A quick lunch prepared in a minute. Take no substitute. Ask for HORLICK'S. Not in Any Milk Treat

#### BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES

A remedy of superior merit for Coughs, Hoarseness and Irritation of throat, giving wonderful relief in Lung Troubles, Bronchitis and Asthma. Free from opiates or any harmful ingredients. Sold only in boxes. Sample mailed free. JOHN L. BROWN & SONS, Boston, Mass.

#### A Better Broom

And a Klean Korner Whisk Broom FREE

You get not only the best broom for your money, when you buy the

## LITTLE POLLY BROOM

See you get complete, changeable for our handy Klean Korner Whisk, or our Klean Korner Broom. Write for booklet giving particulars. Also get our Little Polly Broom.

Harrah & Stewart Mfg. Co. East Coast Avenue, Des Moines, Ia.

#### YOUR GRAY HAIRS QUICKLY VANISH

A Harmless Remedy, Made from Garden Sage, Restores Color to Gray Hair.

A feeling of sadness accompanies the discovery of the first gray hairs, which unfortunately are looked upon as heralds of advancing age. Gray hair, however, is not a sign of old age, but a person's look old. We all know the advantage of being young. Aside from the good impression a youthful appearance makes on others, simply knowing that you are "looking fit" gives one courage to undertake and accomplish things. So why suffer the handicap of looking old on account of gray hairs, when a simple remedy will give your hair youthful color and beauty in a few days' time?

Most people know that common garden sage acts as a color restorer and scalp tonic as well. Our grandmothers used a "Sage Tea" for keeping their hair dark, soft and lustrous. In Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy we have an ideal preparation of Sage combined with Sulphur and other valuable remedies for dandruff, itching scalp and thin, weak hair that is split at the ends or constantly coming out. A few applications of this valuable remedy will bring back the color, and in a short time it will remove every trace of dandruff and greatly improve the growth and appearance of the hair.

Get a fifty cent bottle from your druggist today, and notice the difference in your hair after a few days' treatment. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented. Special agent, Sherman & McConnell Drug Co.

#### H. J. Hughes Co., Distributors, Omaha.

#### BUYING tires on a price basis is gambling—the longer you stay in the game the more you are sure to lose.

While it may be less exciting to know what you are going to get for your money, you do get it when you buy Diamond Tires.

Diamond Tires give the Greatest Mileage of any tires made. And the only sure way to cut your tire expense to the lowest is to buy Diamond Tires.

AT YOUR DEALER'S OR The Diamond Store 215 So. 20th St., Omaha The Diamond Rubber Company AKRON, OHIO

We would build them Cheaper but we would build them better. We would build them better but we would build them cheaper.

#### Harness and Saddles

Buy your harness at wholesale, direct from the firm that makes them. Save the middleman's profit. Our harness are made of the best heavy oak leather and will outwear two sets of cheap factory made harness, and cost you no more. Our store has been over forty years in Omaha. Everything guaranteed. We will not allow competition on good harness. Write for catalogue.

## Alfred Gornish & Co.

Sunderland to Collins & Herricks, 1520 Farnam Street.

convicts to halt. Receiving no reply he fired, after which it was a running fight. This was witnessed by Charles Light, Lincoln Russell, Guy Whetstone, Amos Ketch and F. Frieberger.

After chasing them from one-half to three-quarters of a mile, the seat fell off covered with blood, indicating without doubt that Blunt had been shot for some time. Going on for about one-half mile the last man threw up his hands, climbed out of the wagon and walked towards the officers, Briggs covering him with a gun, disarming him. Briggs went to the wagon, climbed in, followed by Trouton, as seen by Charles Kose, driver for Briggs.

As witnessed by all in this vicinity and among the posse, it was deemed a very poor piece of business in the way of capturing the convicts as it was absolutely unnecessary to fire on them, their team was becoming exhausted and it seemed to become a case of fight for the reward, as the country seemed alive with people closing in on the convicts when the firing began.

The farmers and citizens of Barry county wish to resent the attack made on them by Sheriff Myers, calling them cowards. The farmers and citizens not wishing to commit murder by firing into the wagon retreated and wish to state that it is the most dastardly, cowardly act ever perpetrated in this part of the state.

#### ALDRICH GIVES OUT STATEMENT

Letter from Ansonius Warden Quoted in regard to Frying Help.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, March 20.—(Special Telegram.)—A statement concerning penitentiary affairs was given out at the city clerk's office today. It follows in part: "A letter received from Warden McClaughry, from the reformatory at Ansonia, Ia., is so complete and masterly in detail and the knowledge shown that I have deemed it advisable to give the same out for publication.

"What this celebrated prison manager says concerning help—that is, paying guards contemptible little pittance, and that we pay them here in Nebraska and then expect to receive from them and through them sufficient help to run an institution according to modern demands is worthy of consideration.

"What Nebraska is entitled to have in its prison management, of course, is a man like McClaughry, or his brother, who handles the federal prison at Leavenworth.

"But does anyone expect to get such a man for \$5 a month? Does anyone expect to have modern conditions and modern conditions and modern rules enforced and carried out according to modern lines with nothing but an old rookery in which to keep desperate men? Can modern ideas of reform be carried out by being obliged to have work done by side a young man who is in for the first time for a short term in company with men like Shorty Gray and Morley and Dowd?"

"Absolutely," he responded, to conduct a reformatory and a penitentiary under the same roof.

"I simply mention these things in order that the public may understand the difficulties under which I am laboring.

"These human devils, Gray, Morley and Dowd, were leaders in the Sunday school class. Gray was on the roll of honor, had his name as star in the Barco class.

"The difficult thing for the warden to contend with at this institution is how to give the proper treatment to the good prisoners down here and at the same time make it safe for life in handling the desperate class, hardened highwaymen, or murderers.

"But suffice it to say that I am getting sufficient data together that will enable the warden to handle this difficult matter with the best possible results to be obtained under the circumstances."

#### PHILIPS RUPTURED BLOODVESSEL

Adjutant General in Serious Condition for Time After Outbreak.

Now that affairs have quieted down at the penitentiary it develops that on the day Warden Delahanty, Deputy Wagner and Guide Heilman were killed Adjutant General Phelps sustained a ruptured blood vessel in his brain and at times since has been in a serious condition and a portion of the time unconscious. At others, when the pressure on the brain was less, he has been apparently all right and able to attend to his duties at the prison. He ruptured the blood vessel running from the main house to his home to prepare for the trip to the prison. His friends say that he has now entirely recovered.

#### BRIGGS' BULLET KILLS GRAY

Postmortem on Body Discloses Holes Did Not Do It.

The postmortem on the body of Shorty Gray settles the controversy as to who fired the shot which brought the outlaw down. The bullet which penetrated his body was ascertained to be of 6-caliber. Chief Briggs of South Omaha carried a weapon of this caliber, while Sheriff Myers of Lancaster county carried one of 8 caliber. There has been considerable controversy as to which of the two fired the fatal shot during the pursuit of the outlaw; the Lincoln papers giving the credit to Sheriff Myers, while the

#### DEATH RECORD

Mrs. James Thacker.

Mrs. James Thacker died at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning at the home of her son, Harry Thacker, 222 Ervins street, after a long illness. Mrs. Thacker was 71 years old and had lived in Omaha for twenty-five years, having a host of friends. Mrs. Thacker is survived by her husband, James Thacker, three sons, Harry Thacker, Frank and Charles, and two daughters, Mrs. Otto Reinhold and Mrs. A. E. Smith of Beaver City, Neb. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the residence of Harry Thacker, with interment at West Lawn cemetery.

#### Table Rock Elects Teachers.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., March 20.—(Special.)—At a special meeting of the school board held for the purpose of electing the school teachers of the Table Rock schools for the coming year, the following were elected: Superintendent, L. E. Mohler; principal, Elsie K. Robinson; assistant principal, Gertrude Purinton; grade teachers, Margaret C. Engberg, Minnie Boggs, Carlisle Shorter, Mayme C. Gettle, Nellie G. Irwin and Eunice Norris. There was no election for the room for English and history, which will doubtless be filled at the next meeting of the board to be held April 1.

If you have anything to exchange, advertise it in The Bee Want Ad column.