

MANY NEW FACES IN STATE HOUSE

Officers and Employees at Their Desks Early in Morning, Quickly Getting to Work.

ALL PLEASSED WITH JOBS

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—New state officers and employees, as a rule, were at their desks this morning, some of them very early, and appearing to enjoy the privilege, although pay day is a long way off for some of them.

In the executive offices, Governor Neville arrived at about the time a governor is supposed to be on duty and with an expression on his face which indicated he hoped he would like the job. In the front office was his private secretary, Lee Metcalfe.

Anton Sagel is holding down the chief clerkship and Miss Anne Tracey of Omaha, the stenographer's job.

In the office of Secretary of State Pool, all the nine regulars are holding over, but he has a staff of twenty-three new people working to get the automobile business cleaned up, so that there will be no delays for anybody.

New Faces Here.

An office which shows quite a lot of new faces is that of the state superintendent, W. H. Clemmons has with him, John A. Woodward, A. H. Dixon, Cora A. Thompson and Alice Flower, as new assistants. The other places have not been changed and some of them may not be.

The land commissioner's office shows some changes, Land Commissioner Shumway having placed on the force, J. G. Pinker, West Point; E. B. Zimmerman, Lincoln, and Genevieve Christianson, in the positions of recorder, bookkeeper and stenographer, respectively.

At present Victor Wilson is the only new one in the office of the railway commission. Having been elected to the position of commissioner, he will try to hold down the job, and he probably will make a pretty good stab at it.

J. F. Webster, St. Paul, newspaperman, philanthropist and ball player, is the new state printer. He went at the work as soon as he arrived and hasn't pried anything yet. He proposes to stick on the job when he isn't at the ball games next summer.

New Food Commissioner.

Otto Murschel, new food, drug and oil commissioner, appears to be perfectly at home. He was going over matters with former Commissioner Harman and says he proposes to keep the department up to its present high standard and raise it a little when ever opportunity offers. There is one new man on the job besides the commissioner himself, G. H. Nichols, who will be the new dairy inspector.

George G. Koster, the new game warden, is going it alone as far as new help is concerned for the present. He has retained Miss Anna Whelan as his stenographer.

Changes Among Judges.

Thomas Healey, North Platte, and James McCleery, Hastings, are the new inspectors under Fire Commissioner Ridgell. Mr. Ridgell has returned from the springs and is feeling more like his old self than for some weeks.

In the halls of justice there is a change, or two. Judge Dean, one of the new justices, brings with him as reporter, L. B. Waters. Judge Cornish has secured the services of Miss Wilson, stenographer, to outgoing Justice Fawcett. Miss Raye Merrill, who was stenographer for Justice Barnes, goes back to her former position in the office of Chief Clerk Harry Lindsay of the supreme court, taking the place of George Goldsmith, who has accepted the position of court reporter to Judge Raper of the First judicial district.

Norfolk Home Folks Tender Banquet to Norris Huse

Norfolk, Neb., Jan. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Several hundred Norfolk business men and representative citizens gathered in the Elks' club rooms here tonight and participated in a farewell banquet in honor of N. A. Huse, former editor of the Norfolk Daily News, who leaves with his family Saturday morning for New York City, where Mr. Huse becomes vice president and manager of advertising of the American Press association.

C. H. Kelsey was toastmaster and John H. Hays delivered the principal address, in which he outlined the growth of the News during the last twenty-nine years, and the progressive steps taken in the advancement of the community by the Huse family. The entertainment was impressive and exhibited throughout the same friendship which the departing Norfolkian maintains in the community. Mr. Huse responded with much feeling and expressed regret at leaving the community in which he lived most of his life.

From Our Near Neighbors

Avoca. John Grassinger left last week for a trip to Colorado. Mrs. Anna Harshman has returned from a visit with relatives at Portal. Mr. and Mrs. Charles McClain of Rosalia, Neb., are visiting Avoca relatives.

Griffin. Mrs. J. W. Brendel entertained the woman's club Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Julius Zech are spending the week with relatives near North Platte.

The Congregational Ladies aid met with Mrs. G. O. Harmon Friday afternoon. Miss Phyllis Straub has returned from a week's visit with friends at North Bend.

Andrew Jensen has returned from a visit with his parents, who reside near Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harmon were at Union several days this week visiting relatives.

Miss Zimmerman of Nebraska City was visiting relatives east of town this week. Mr. and Mrs. John Weaver and daughter, Vera, were here from Berlin the first of the week.

Mrs. Breasale of Hamburg, Ia., was here this week for a visit with her son, Garwood Breasale. W. E. Fahnstock was here the first of the week from Council Bluffs for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Kuhnheit have returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Newark, Mo. Misses Cavanaugh of Nebraska City were visiting at the M. M. Straub home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hartman of Lincoln were here several days this week for a visit at the G. W. Breasale home. Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mogensen were here from Weeping Water several days this week for a visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Francis of Dunbar were here the first of the week for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. H. H. Marquardt. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodson and son, Luther, were here this week from Council Bluffs for a visit with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fahnstock.

Springfield. Vera Hosted has been employed to teach the Stender school. Mrs. V. A. Baeack and children visited friends in Kansas last week.

Mrs. William McCarley of Omaha visited her sister, Mrs. T. N. Graham, this week. Miss Kathryn Shide and Mr. Taylor Jarman were united in marriage last week. Mrs. H. T. Lloyd slipped on the sidewalk and broke her arm just above the wrist. Mrs. Fred Barber of Omaha spent a part of the week at the home of Mrs. Roy Whitney.

Miss Elizabeth Thomson returned Monday from Chicago City, Kan., where she spent the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burbank of Filley have been visiting in the neighborhood the last week. David Armstrong of Warrenburg, Mo., is visiting his brothers, E. C. and W. J. Armstrong.

Prof. Simmons will go to Cortland next Sunday to fill the pulpit of the Congregational church. Watch night was observed by the Methodist church. A varied program made the hours speed rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Clark and son, Dorris, of Papillion, visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davidson last Sunday. Mr. John Ward and son, John, of Omaha, visited at the home of William Ward the first of the week.

Miss Maurine Murdock, assistant principal of Sprague school, has been compelled on account of ill health to resign. She will go to California soon. William Kleck succeeds her.

The village water works tank collapsed last Monday, crushing Mr. Egan's barn and some other buildings. The town is without R.R. protection and water can only be supplied by continual pumping.

Elkhorn. Mrs. John Anderson, sr., is ill. Mrs. Fred Ruffs celebrated her birthday Friday. Mrs. R. Russ entertained the Sunshine club Wednesday.

The Pythian sisters installed officers Thursday evening. Mrs. N. Witt entertained the Ladies' knitting Thursday. Mrs. Calvert accompanied her grandson to Omaha Wednesday.

Mrs. D. Kouhi entertained the T. N. club Wednesday. Lunch was served. Mr. J. G. Selous and daughter, Mrs. Robert Warren, went to Omaha Friday.

Harry Gibbons of Crawford visited his uncle, J. A. Gibbons, and wife, this week. Jack McCormick is in the west looking for land. Mrs. McCormick is visiting in Omaha. Mrs. Lizzie Calkins of Fremont visited over Thursday night with Mrs. Amy Calvert.

Irvington. Mrs. Cronk and children, Mae and Frank, of Page, Neb., are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Finch. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Madison of Benson visited from Saturday till Monday at the Dehn home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Knight and daughters, Beatrice and Vada, were entertained at the S. R. Brewster home Monday. The Sunday school classes of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Knight, surprised them Monday evening and presented them with a painting. Light refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stoltenberg and daughter, Mrs. and Mrs. L. Anderson and son and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Staltenberg were entertained at the Hans Anderson home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoarce Arant and family, Mrs. Hanahan and children, Clara and Helen; Mr. Howard Rix and daughters, Luella and Dorothy; Mr. Fred Arant of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Christophersen and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anderson.

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AN EXPERT ON COLDS

Comparatively few people realize that a cold is a signal of physical weakness. To treat a cold with weakening physics, alcoholic syrups or drugged pills, may smother the cold but they also reduce the body powers still further and invite more serious sickness. Scott's Emulsion has always been an expert on colds, because it peculiarly enriches the blood, quickly tones up the forces and strengthens both throat and chest. Try Scott's. Refuse Substitutes. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 16-17

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Evangelist Is Charged With 'Choosing' Verbatim Material in Signed Article.

FROM AN OBSCURE BOOK

In a letter to the Boston (Mass.) Post a writer signing himself "A Maiden Reader," accuses Rev. "Billy" Sunday of plagiarizing a message he sent to all Boston newspapers for publication the day before Christmas and entitled "What Christmas Means to Me," from "Etidorpha," a book published thirty years ago.

The book, which deals with the life of one of the type Mr. Sunday condemns, was published by John Uri Lloyd of Cincinnati. Only 1,400 copies were issued, for private circulation.

Christmas Message. Mr. Sunday's Christmas message read: "Crush all the colors of the rainbow into one hue, then magnify that

by infinity and you would have less beauty than Christmas means to me. "Lighten cinderwood one thousand-fold and 'hen you would have less softening, soothing influences than Christmas means to me.

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Are You Intoxicated?

The question is not as impertinent as it sounds. You may be a real teetotaler and yet be "intoxicated"—that is, poisoned by the gases that come from imperfect digestion. The products of food putrefaction are taken up by the blood and often poison the entire system. Cut out meats and starchy foods for a while. Eat Shredded Wheat with milk or cream for breakfast; eat it with stewed fruits and green vegetables for dinner or supper. It will cure auto-intoxication and make a new man of you. All the meat of the whole wheat in a digestible form. A perfect meal at lowest cost. Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Five Years in Prison On Charge of Assault

York, Neb., Jan. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Ben Springer, alias Moody, alias Riley, was sentenced this forenoon to the penitentiary for five years. He entered a plea of guilty to the charge of assault in the district court. Judge Corcoran, who pronounced the sentence upon him, told wrath of the farmers near Benedict, where the crime was committed.

Judge Fawcett to Enter Partnership in Lincoln

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—Retiring Justice Jacob Fawcett of the supreme court, announced Friday that he would enter the practice of law in Lincoln, joining Attorney Robert S. Mockett in a law firm to be known as Fawcett & Mockett. Justice Fawcett came to the supreme bench from Omaha.

HYMENEAL.

Schmoor-Wayman. Beatrice, Neb., Jan. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—John J. Schmoor and Miss Elsie Wayman, both of O'Neill, Neb., were married here today by County Judge O'Keefe.

SALE SATURDAY

Keep the New Store New

The Greater Nebraska must be more than the value center—the style center of the west. Hence, these radical clearance methods says the "I Will" Man.

REMEMBER—The West's largest selections of Rochester, N. Y., Hand Tailored Clothing.

REMEMBER—The newest and most of the newest 1916-1917 styles are here.

REMEMBER—The largest showing of special sizes, enabling us to fit all men.

REMEMBER—Assortments five to fifteen times larger than elsewhere.

BLACK SUITS, FURS AND FUR-LINED OVERCOATS EXCEPTED

Men's and Young Men's Clothing—Second Floor.

Men's High Grade Flannel Shirts, gray, blue, brown, tan, military or flat collar, special for Saturday, \$1.50, \$2 values, 95c

\$1.50 Men's Union Suits Men's heavy ribbed cotton union suits. \$1.50 values at. 95c

\$1.00 Men's Union Suits Good quality ribbed union suits. \$1 values Saturday, at. 75c

\$1.00 Men's Night Robes Warm Flannel Robes. Good range of patterns. Clearing now at. 45c

\$1.50 Men's Cape Gloves Extra special values in men's tan cape gloves. Clearing now. 95c

75c Men's Negligee Shirts, at 55c

35c Boys Waists, at 25c

\$1.00 Men's "Ever-Ready" Safety Razors, at 75c

at prices marked down far below the figures which regularly apply. The reduction is—

20% to 50% Now is the time to buy articles for your fireplace.

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Nebraska Clothing Co. advertisement for overcoats. Features a man in a suit pointing to the text. Text includes: 'The "I Will" Man says: "The Greatest of All My Great Sales Now in Full Blast"', 'Get Your Share Saturday in America's Greatest HALF PRICE SALE', and a list of overcoat prices: 'Our \$15 Overcoats and Suits at \$7.50 Half Price', 'Our \$20 Overcoats and Suits at \$10 Half Price', 'Our \$25 Overcoats and Suits at \$12.50 Half Price', 'Our \$30 Overcoats and Suits at \$15 Half Price', 'Our \$35 Overcoats and Suits at \$17.50 Half Price', 'Our \$40 Overcoats and Suits at \$20 Half Price'. Also includes 'Special Notice' with terms: 'NO CHARGES', 'NO C. O. D.'S', 'NO APPROVALS', 'NO REFUNDS', 'NO EXCHANGES', 'A Small Charge for Alterations'.

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Fry Shoe Co. advertisement for children's shoes. Text includes: 'Better Shoes for Children', 'Fry school shoes are satisfactory to both children and parents—they are carefully made, of the highest quality materials and are as nearly waterproof as leather can be made.', 'They fit naturally because they are made over "foot form" lasts, in several different models, which provides a properly shaped shoe for every foot and made to resist the hard knocks they are bound to receive from active children.', 'Priced from \$2.50 up, according to size.', 'FRY SHOE CO. 16th & DOUGLAS.'