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SEALED PROPOSALS will be received until 10 o'clock a. m., January 21, 1918, at the room of the Joint Committee on Printing. in the Capitol. Washington, D. C., for furnishing the paper for the public printing and binding from the 1st day of March, 1918, to the 28th day of February, 1918. The proposals will be opened before and the awards of contracts made by the Joint Committee on Printing to the lowest and best bidders for the interests of the Government whose bids are in conformity with the requirements of the proposals. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid or any part and reject the other part, if, in its opinion, such action would be in the interest of the Government.

Blank proposals containing the instructions, schedule, and specifications, accompanied by standard samples, may be
obtained by standard cornelius Ford, Pubile Printer, Washington, D. C.
Contracts will be entered into for supling the quantities required, whether more
ities than the estimates.
The appreximate estimated quantities set
forth in detail in the schedule comprise:
1,505,000 pounds news-print paper; 20,309,
100 pounds nuchine-finish printing paper; 2,
100,000 pounds plant-fiber machine-finish
printing paper; 40,000 pounds antique machine-finish printing paper; 620,000 pounds
opaque printing paper, high machine finish;
1,250,000 pounds rag machine-finish printlong paper; 4,250,000 pounds sized and super-1.250,000 pounds rag machine-finish printing paper; 4.250,000 pounds sized and super-calendared printing paper; 450,000 pounds naiftone printing paper; 725,000 pounds material paper; 4.72,500 pounds writing paper, high machine finish; 10,608,000 pounds writing paper, air or loft dried; 5,000 pounds fine white writing paper, loft-dried; 410,600 pounds safety writing paper; 5,0,000 pounds map paper; 5,315,000 pounds bond paper; 7,400 pounds ledger paper; ond paper; 77,400 pounds parchment leed; 3,104,000 pounds ledger paper; 5,000 pounds tissue paper; 2,000 pounds tream and white stored tissue paper; 480,000 cream and white stered thank paper; 42,000 pounds cover paper; 102,000 pounds Kraft wrapping paper; 11,150,000 pounds manila paper; 25,500 pounds manila tympan paper; 375,000 pounds manila board; 20,000 pounds cardboard; 2,500,000 pounds bristol board; paper: 25.000 pounds manila board; 20,000 pounds cardboard; 2,500,000 pounds bristol board; 3,000 pounds white paraffin paper; 20,000 pounds geneuring gummed paper; 5,000 pounds accurring paper; 11,000 pounds sterectype modding paper; 60,000 pounds monotype keyboard and casting-machine paper; 20,000 pounds offset paper, for web presses; 15,000 pounds offset paper, for web presses; 16,000 pounds lining and stripping paper; 2,000 geams carbon paper, coated one and two sides; 100,000 sheets pioth-lined paper; 16,000 pounds red presseboard; 1,000 sheets parchment, 15x1 inches; 1,000 pounds news board; 500,000 pounds chip board; 508,000 pounds strawboard; 200,000 pounds binder's board. ounds binder's board,
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Washington, D. C., December 15, 1917. REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

L. F. Diddle and wife to Marie H. Kriewitz, Ohio street, 122.5 feet east of Forty-fifth street, north side, 50x129 Shotwell, Marcy street, 80 feet est of Thirty-sixth street, north ande, 45x100 company to Emily Morningside Land company to Emily

Hausen, Lafayette sireet, 201 feet west of Cliffon avenue, north side, 40x133 M. S. Ellis and wife to Ethna B. Thorne, northeast corner Thirty-sixth and Cass streets, 50x99.5... corge C. Flack to Mary J. Bles. Camden avenue, 712½ feet east of Thirtieth street, north aide, 42x

arker company to Sekel Jacobsen. Indiana avenue, 154 feet west of Twenty-ninth street, south side, 47 x131 tome Real Estate and Investment

company to Martin Sloup, north-east corner Fourteenth and William ty-fifth street, 45 feet south of Bin ney street, east side, 45x122. leas Samland and wife to Mar. Bether, southeast corner Sixteenth street and Webster avenue, 47.5x125 dward J. Krigbaum to Mary M. Krigbaum, Q street, 185 feel west of Fortieth street, south side, 27x

Nebraska and Wyoming Investment

OMAHA LIVE STOCK

Cattle Prices Again Forced Down; Hog Market Slow; Fat Lambs Are

Steady.

Receipts were: Cattle	. Horn	Sheen.
Mffetal Monday11,428	10.977	15,100
stimate_Tuesday 7,000	16,500	18,800
we days this week 18,628	27,477	33,300
ame days last week 10,473	19,062	24,037
amis days 2 weeks ago 5.194	4.879	4,563
ame days 3 weeks agoid,184		43,041
ame days 4 weeks ago15,740	23,063	17,649
ame days last year, .31,299	40,026	24,143
Receipts and disposition of	live at	tock at
he Union Stock yards, Omah		

RECEIPTS-CARLOADS. Cattle Hogs, Sheep-Hrs's

C. M. & a... Wabash Misseuri Pacific C., R. I. & P., west. . . Chleago Gt. Western . .

Total receipts 376 214 DISPOSITION-HEAD. Cattle, Hogs. . 715 2.040 .1.763 8.570 1,960 southeast Broadwater; most of the southeast of the southe

Mo. & Kan., Calf Co. . 107 Higgins Banner Bros. Other buyers 827

Total receipts ... 8,848 15,420 17,279 Cattle-Packers were out for even sharper Cattle—Packers were qut for even sharper | \$10,000 to \$10,000 MADE promptly. F. D | Gedines than those in force yesterday, mak weed. Bidg., 18th and Farnam Sts | MONEY to loan on improved farms and rankers. Kloke Investment Co., Omaha. LOW RATES—C. G. CARLBERG, 312 Brandels Theater Bidg. D 682.

LOANS ON CITY PROPERTY. W. H. THOMAS & SON Keeline Bidg.

MONEY TO LOAN

Organized by the Business Men of Omaha. FURNITURE, gianos and notes as security \$10,000 km, H. goods, total cost, \$2,500 km, H. goods, declines than those in force yesterday, mak-

September from 8.74c to 8.85c and September, 8.85; May, 8.51; July, 2.70; September, 8.85; October, 8.93; December, 5.86; Oc

serves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid or any part and reject the other part, if, in its opinion, such action would be in the interest of the Government.

Hogs.—There was a considerable increase in the receipts of hogs over yeaterday, and trade opened steady to be lower, with packetions, schedule, and specifications, accompanied by standard samples, may be obtained by addressing Cornelius Ford, Public Printer, Washington, D. C.

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No. Av. Sh. Pr. No. Av. Sh. Pr. 163. 215 ... \$16 10 38. ... 198 89 \$16 25 65 ... 211 ... 16 30 26 ... 218 ... 16 26 66 ... 266 ... 16 40 20 ... 208 ... 16 30 PIGS.

Sheep—The heaviest run of sheep and lambs in some time arrived this morning. Trade in killers was a little more active than yesterday, but on the whole a rather alow affair. Fat lambs sold meetly meady, itsh indifferent grades selling up to \$18.50, with others ranging from \$15.50 to \$18.50. The general quality was not as good as yesterday. Fat sheep were fully steady, ewes touching yesterday's top of \$11.75. There were only a few scattering wethers and yeaglings on offer, and they were nominally steady. Feeders showed some activity again this morning, local buyers being out to take offerings at prices that were fully steady with anything that sold yesterday. Inbetween lambs sold up to \$16.50. The few that changed hands on the early rounds Sheep-The heaviest run of sheep and

Inbetween lambs sold up to \$15.50. The few that changed hands on the early rounds looked steady.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, handyweight, \$15.75@16.75; lambs, feaders, \$14.00@15.55; iambs, shorn, \$11.50@15.56; iambs, culls, \$10.00@14.00; yearlings, fair to choice, \$11.50@12.50; yearlings, feaders, \$12.00@14.25; wethers, fair to choice, \$11.00@12.50; ewes, fair to choice, \$10.00@12.00; ewes, breeders, all ages, \$10.50@16.50; ewes, feeders, \$7.50@10.50; ewes, culls and canners, \$5.00@7.25.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

D. Lane. southeast corner Twendy-second street and Poppleton ave-nue, 22x120 ... Edward W. Stoltenberg and wife to

Edward W. Stoltenberg and wife to N. H. Tyson, Burt street, 94 feet west of Fifty-second street, south alds, 70x128.

Thomas Wienewinski and wife to Mike Gibanica and wife, X street, 124 feet west of Thirty-first street, north side, 41x107.

James A. Waller, and wife to Carl

James A. Waller and wife to Carl
August Hagelin and wife, southeast
corner Thirty-seventh and Ida
streets, 129x309
Louis A. Porter to Oscar J. Pickard,
Twenty-seventh street, 60 feet
north of M street, sast side, 60x150
Plisabeth Davis to Halle M. Newtan,
northwest cor. of Twenty-eighth
avenue and Newport street, 42.5x
120 osef Pavlik and wife to Julia Sim-

erdia, Twenty-first street, 218 feet north of Y street, west side, 50x dichael L. Clark, sheriff, to Omaha Loan and Build'n; association, southeast corner Twenty-sixth and southeast corner Twenty-sixth and Burdette streets, 50%126; Seward street, 80 feet west of Twenty-ninth street, south side, 40%127.5. Joe Vacanti to Ernest G. Bugh. Six-teenth street, 52.8 feet north of Wirt street, west side, 26.9%124... Manderson street, 250 feet east of Twenty-seventh street, north side, 50%128.

50x128
Andrew Ernst and wife to Charles
J. Ziebarth, Webster avenue, 120
fact west of Twenty-fourth street, fact west of Twenty-fourth street. Kansas City, Jan. 8.—Butter, eggs and south side, 80x102 1,500 poultry, unchange.

OMAHA CASH GRAIN PRICES TODAY

Corn receipts on the Omaha market were 78 carloads and the sales were made at \$1.37@1.62. It was figured that prices were slightly up on the poorer and slightly higher on the better grades. However, at the noon hour hardly enough sales had

been made to establish a price. Oats sold at 79@791/2 cents a bush-

mon to fair grass beeves, \$6.50 \(\pi 8.50 \); good to choice helfers, \$9.00 \(\pi 11.50 \); good to choice helfers, \$9.00 \(\pi 11.50 \); good to choice helfers, \$9.50 \(\pi 10.28 \); fair to good cows, \$7.50 \(\pi 6.75 \); good to choice feeders, \$9.75 \(\pi 11.00 \); fair to good to choice feeders, \$9.75 \(\pi 11.00 \); fair to good to choice seeders, \$9.75 \(\pi 11.00 \); fair to good to choice steckers, \$9.75 \(\pi 11.00 \); fair to good to choice steckers, \$0.00 \(\pi 7.25 \); soommen to fair feeders, \$0.00 \(\pi 7.25 \); soommen to fair feeders, \$0.00 \(\pi 7.25 \); soommen to fair feeders, \$0.00 \(\pi 7.25 \); soommen to fair feeders, \$0.00 \(\pi 7.25 \); stock helfers, \$0.50 \(\pi 8.00 \); stock helfers, \$0.50 \(\pi 8.00 \); stock calves, \$0.00 \(\pi 8.00 \); bulls, stags, etc. Which is a point or two of their best. The seeders are successed by the probably reflected the more optimistio view of peace prospects. March sold up from \$.15 to 8.36c and \$1.00 \(\pi 10.25 \). Representative sales:

Chicago Grain.

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, Jan. S.—Firmness, but no tendency toward any material advance, characterized the corn market today. The chief reason appeared to be that the crop movement was still hindered by the effects of the big snowfall. Meanwhile, traders were inclined to restrict selling to a minimum. Opening quotations, which ranged from unchanged figures to be eff, with January at \$1.274 and May at \$1.25% to \$1.25%, were followed by a slight hardening of values. Scantiness of receipts upheld oats as well as corn. Trade was very light. corn. Trade was very light.
Some weakness developed in provisions.
Declines were due more to lack of support han to aggressive selling.

Omahs Hay Market.
Receipts, good; demand, fair; market continues steady on prairie hay, alfalfa

ome lower. Upland Prairie-Choice, \$24.00; No. 1, 22.00@23.00; No. 2, \$18.00@19.00; No. 2, \$13.co@ 15.00. Midland Prairie-No. 1. \$22.00@23.00; Midland Prairie—No. 1. \$17.00@18.00; No. 2, \$18.00@18.00; No. 2, \$14.00@18.00; No. 3, \$12.00@18.00; No. 2, \$14.00@18.00; No. 3, \$12.00@18.00, No. 1, \$28.00@25.00; Standard, \$26.00@27.00; No. 3, \$22.00@25.00; No. 3, \$20.00@25.00. Straw—Oat, \$10.00; wheat, \$\$.00.

Chicago Provisions. Chicago Provisions.
Chicago, Jan. 8.—Buttor—Creamery, 39

\$49c; market steady.
Eggs—Market steady: receipts, 5,174 cases;
dirsts, 55@55c; ordinary firsts, 52@55c; at
mark, cases included, 50@56c; rofrigerator
firsts, 41@41½c.
Potatoes—Receipts, two cars; market unchanged. changed.

changed.
Poultry—Alive, market unsettled; fowls, 226 \$25 \forall e; springs, 34 \forall e.
Prospects of larger receipts of hogs prevented any important rally in late dealings.

Turpentine and Rosin.
Savannah, Ga., Jan. 6.—Turpentine—
Firm, 43%c; sales, 135 bbls.; receipts, 312
bbls.; shipments, 451 bbls.; stock, 26,506 bbls.; shipments, 425 bbls.; receipts, 1,278 bbls.; shipments, 500 bbls.; stock, 87,787 bbls. Quotations: B. D. E. F. G. H.
\$6.12\forall_1' I. \$6.15; K. \$8.80; M. \$7.00; N.
\$7.25; WG, \$7.45; WW, \$7.60.

New York Metals. New York, Jan. 8.—Metal exchange quotes lead firm; spot, \$6.75@7.00; spelter, quiet; East St. Louis delivery, spot. \$7.62% @7.75,
At London—Spot copper, £110; futures,
£110; electrolytic, £125; spot tin, £279; futures, £284; spot lead, £29 10s; futures, £28
10s; spelter, spot, £84; futures, £50.

New York Dry Goods Market.

New York, Jan. 8.—Dry Goods—Cotton goods were more active today and the demand for heavy goods increased. Yarns were firm and burlaps quiet. The linen trade was greatly disturbed by cable news of furner trade of the product of the pr

ther restrictions on shipments of flax prod-ucts to this country. New York Cotton.

New York, Jan. 8.—Cotton—Futures opened steady; January. 31.75c; March. 31.29c; May. 30.87c; July. 30.50c; October. New York, Jan. 8.—Cotton—Futures closed steady; January, 32.05c; March, 31.62c; May, 31.22c; July, 30.92c; October, 29.87c.

New York Sugar,
New York, Jan. 8.—Sugar—Raw: Market
steady; centrifugal, 8.005c; mosalles, nominal; refined sugar, steady; fine granulated, Duluth Oils. Duluth, Minn., Jan. 8.—Linseed—\$3.58 & 3.71; January, \$3.56 asked; May, \$3.49 asked; July, \$3.41% bid; October, \$3.50, control.

New York Cotton. New York, Jan. 8 .- Spot cotton, quiet; middling, 13.05c.

Kansas City Dairy.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE NEW

Receipts Show Decrease; Cash Wall Street Fails to Take Corn in Good Demand; Oats Slow; Rye and Barley Steady.

Omaha. January 8, 1818

Arrivals of grain today showed a slight decrease, receipts totaling 160 care. Wheat of security values. Wall Street did not and oats receipts were light, with 35 and take kindly to the president's comprehen-

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CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS,

President's Address Brings Considerable Selling Chiefly by Those Anticipating Peace Chicago, Jan, a.-President Wilson's ad-Chicago, Jan. 8.—President Wilson's address to congress brought about considerable selling of grain today chiefly by dealers who draw quick inferences that the outlook for an early peace had been improved. Such optimism, however, did not seem to be shared by the bulk of the trade who held off pending further developments.

Prices closed unsettled, a shade to %c net lower for corn, with January \$1.27% \$1.27%, and May \$1.25 to 1.26%. Onts showed a net loss of 1%c to 1%c. Provisions finished 10c to 35c down.

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sions finished 10c to 35c down.
Until the president's address became a factor, corn prices displayed firmness owing to scartiness of arrivals. Traffic conditions on the railroads were still plainly disturbed

Prospects of larger receipts of nogs workened provisions.
Chicago Cash Prices—Corn: No. 2 and No. 3 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, \$1.55@1.72. Oats; No 3 white, 80% \$25c: standard, \$1.52% Cash. No. 3, nominal. Barley: \$1.38 \$4.58. Seed: Timothy, \$5.00@7.50; clover, \$21.00@27.00. Provisions: Pork, nominal; lard, \$23.95; ribs, \$23.25@24.00.

New York General Market. New York, Jan. 5.—Flour—Market unsettled; government gasts, 55 per cent; spring, \$19.55@10.75 in sacks to arrive; winter pat-\$10.55 min. Sin sacks to arrive; winter patents, \$10.55 min. Sacks to arrive; winter patents, \$10.50 min. Since to arrive; winter patents, \$10.50 min. Since the straights, \$10.55 min. Since the si

Choese-Market irregular; receipts, 2.878 boxes; state fresh specials, 23 1/2 @ 24c; state, average run, 23c.
Poultry—Live: Market weak; no prices
quoted: dressed, market firm; chickens,
24@25c; fowls, 22@35c; turkeys, 22@35c.

Minneapolis Grain. Minneapolis, Jan. S .- Flour -- Market, un changed. Barley—\$1.29 \$1.56. Rye—\$1.81 ½ \$1.82 ½. Bran—\$32.50. Bran—\$32.50. Corn—No. 3 yellow, \$1.65@1.73. Oats—No. 2 white, 78½ @79½c. Plaxseed—\$1.62@3.66.

Kanses City Grain. Kansas City, Jan. 8.—Corn.—No. 2 mixed. \$1.76@1.72; No. 2 white, \$1.74@1.75; No. 2 yellow. \$1.73@1.76; January, \$1.27%; May. \$1.26. Oate No. 2 white, 80 4c; No. 2 mixed, 81 @ 81 4c.

St. Louis Grain.

New York, Jan. 1.—Cotton closed a not advance of 27 to 43 points,

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 8.—Corn—May. 31.25%; No. 2. \$1.85; No. 2 white, \$1.73% Oats-May, 76%c bid; No. 2, 31c; No. white, \$2 % @ 83c. New York Cotton Market.

Kindly to President's Statement of War Aims; Declines Registered.

| Kansas City | Live Stock Market. | State | S

2 cars, 78c. No. 2 mixed: 1 car (barley mixed). 78c. Corn—No. 3 white: 1 car, \$1.02. No. 4 white: 2 cars, \$1.57\square, 5 cars, \$1.50\square, 5 cars, \$1.55\square, 5 cars, \$1.57\square, 5 cars, \$1.55\square, 5 cars, \$1.5

Local Stocks and Bonds Quotations furnished by Burns, Brinker & Company, 449-52 Omaha National Bank building:
STOCKS— Bid. Asked. Cudahy Packing Co., common 110 101

New York Money. New York, Jan. 8.-Mercantile Paper-

@5% per cent. Sterling Exchange—Sixty-day bills, \$4.72; commercial sixty-day bills on banks, \$4.71 %; commercial sixty-day bills on banks, \$4.71 %; commercial sixty-day bills, \$4.71, demand, \$4.75 %; cables, \$4.76 7-16. Silver—Bar, \$0 %c; Mexican dollars, 73c, Bonds—Government, irregular, railroad, ir-Time Loans-Easy; sity days and ninety

days, 5% @ 5% per cent; six months, 5% @ 6

Time Loans—Easy; sity days and ninety days, 5½,65% per cent; contributed arrive.

Outs—Spot, steady; standard, 94,694½c.
Hay—Strong; No. 1, \$2,00; No. 2, \$1,90; No. 3, \$1,75; shipping, \$1.50, all nominal.
Hops—Easy; state, medium to choice.
1917, 47,655c; 1918, nominal; Pacific coast.
1917, 22,625c; 1918, nominal; Pacific coast.
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1917, 24,625c; 1918, nominal; Pacific coast.
1917,

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits. New York, Jan. 8.—Evaporated Apples-Quiet: prime to choice, state, 15% 615%; Californias, 15% 616c; prunes, firm; Cali fornias, 8% 612%c; Oregons, 13614c. Dried Fruits-Apricots, quiet; choice 17%; extra choice, 17%; fancy, 18%; Peaches, quiet; standard, 11%; choice, 12c Raisins, steady; loose muscatels, \$29%;; choice to fancy, seeded, \$% \$18%;; ased-less, \$210%;; London layers, No. 3 crown,

London Silver. London, Jan. 8 .- Silver -- Bar, 45 %d per Money-3'4 per cent.

Discount Rates-Short bills, 3 31-32 per cent; three-month bills, 4 1-32 per cent.

Washington, Jan. 8 .- (Special Telegram.)
-The following named officers of the ordnance reserve corps are relieved from duty at Rock Island arsens!, Rock Island, Ill., and will proceed at once to Des Moines, Ia.: Captain Freeman Field. Captain Bernard L. Eaton. First Lieutenant Franklin M. Walter and Second Lieutenant William C.

Bliss.
Contract Surgeon Harry R. Nordeley, U. S. A., is relieved from duty at Camp Dodge and will proceed to his home.

YORK STOCKS MASTER BUILDERS DISCUSS PROBLEMS

> Contractors Are Working Toward Co-Ordination of Aims During War Time; Glass To Be "Nonessential."

carloads of gravel, and immediately had to make affidavit that it would be used in a given construction job. V. Ray Gould, secretary of the State Master Builders and president of the Omaha Builders' exchange, has received a letter from a paint and

placed on the nonessential list. War Work Fund of Y. W. C. A. Oversubscribed by \$800

Young Women's Christian association campaign closed with the quota oversubscribed at a meeting of the campaign committee at the Commercial club Tuesday noon. Total sub-

scriptions are \$35,812.16. E. E. Calvin, chairman of the men's committee, presided. In thanking the committee for the work accomplished he gave a large amount of the credit tempt to say. to F. D. Wead, vice chairman, who has presided practically throughout the campaign.

The drive contemplated the raising of \$35,000, the combined budgets of the Young Women's Christian association war fund and the annual bud-\$25,000. The balance will be used for work in Omaha.

Woman Knocked Down by Telephone Settles Case

She says she answered the tele- Ward. Bankruptey proceedings were phone at the home of Mrs. Susie Hartnett, her daughter, at 2563 St. Mary's avenue, and on putting the receiver to her ear there came out from it a loud report and a vibrant shock of sound of such physical strength as

to throw her to the floor. She sued the telephone company for \$5,000 damages, alleging that they were testing the line when the bell rang and that the blow on the ear caused her to lose her hearing. case was settled for \$100, according

to her attorney. Thiehoff of Burlington

Called to Big Meeting Assistant General Manager Thiehoff of the Burlington has been called to Chicago, Railroad presidents and other high officials are in session in Chicago figuring out a line-up of train service that will be operative under government control effective

next Sunday. The meeting in Chicago has to do with all the roads operating in what is known as the central district, in-Alleghany mountains and the L. P. Reger Elected Head Alleghany mountains and

City to Receive Bids for

Bids for more motor fire apparatus will be opened in the city council chamber at 9 o'clock a. m., January 22. A special tax levy of 11/2 mills yielded \$70,000 for further motoriza-

tion of the fire department Similar levies were made in 1916 and 1917 and apparatus purchased, Su-perintendent Withnell of the fire department stated that this will be the third and last expenditure of this kind for some time, as this year's purchase of equipment will complete the motorization of the department.

Wants City to Have Charge Of All the City Scales

City Commissioner Butler outlined to the city council what he believed to be the need of the city having complete control of all so-called city scales. He was requested to present his recommendations in writing. The matter came up when a weighmaster presented for approval a bond signed by local merchants, one of whom sells a commodity by the ton.

is in charge. Men of Church Exempt From

It was charged that one local coal

dealer maintains a scale in his own

yards and that a bonded weighmaster

Debts While in U. S. Service Young men, members of the North Scherrer, founder of Helena, Mont., Presbyterian church, called for serv-ice in the United States army, have in an ox train in 1859, died at his been made immune from all church home here today. He was a native debts during their term of enlistment. of Missouri and 80 years of age. Twenty-seven young men, all contributing members, have gone into some of the branches of Uncle Sam's service. At a meeting of the trustees a motion to exempt these young men from the payment of all church debts so long as they are in the army or navy was adonted

New Auto Licenses Done in Canary Yellow and Black

Automobile license number plates for this year are being issued from the office of the county treasurer. They are the same size as formerly, but the color is different from anything in the past. They carry canary yellow figures and letters on a black background.

Departmental Orders.

Washington, Jan. 8.—(Special Telegram.) — Hessie M. Baumann has been appointed postmaster at Cushing. Woodbury county. Letter carrier at Carthage. 8. D. The Postoffice dapartment has accepted the proposal of Tem B. Scott to lease quarters for the mostoffice at Gray.

SOLICITORS OF RAIL BUSINESS BACK ON JOB

Officials Agree They Should Resume Competitive Activities Until McAdoo Issues Formal Order.

Railroad freight and passenger soinformation from the government as licitors, who were called in when the government took over the control of the lines of the country last week, are now getting back into their territories and onto their old jobs as rapidly as possible. The order to go to work

came from Chicago. When the roads passed from corporate control by their operation being placed under the direction of Director General McAdoo, a majority of the presidents and general managers issued orders for a cessation of the solicitation of all business. This order was obeyed to the letter, to the extent that with the exception of the Great Western and Milwaukee solicitors were called in from every portion

of Omaha trade territory. In most instances the men were given other employment. Men connected with foreign lines were told to report at headquarters immediately. Offices were locked up or left in Master Builders, recently bought two charge of clerks and there was an exodus of general agents, agents and solicitors. No orders were received by the Great Western or the Mil-

wankee. Advices from Chicago.

Now the whole situation has changed and men are hurrying back glass company of St. Louis stating that after January 15 glass would be into their territory with even more rapidity than they hurried away a few days ago.

The decision upon the part of the railroads to resume solitation and again engage in competitive business comes about by reason of telegrams that arrived from Chicago.

Presidents, general managers and traffic managers of scores of roads, in session in Chicago are agreed that soliciting business should be resumed until a clear and definite order issued from Mr. McAdoo's department. How long solicitation of business

will continue no railroad man will at-Supreme Court Sustains

Bankruptcy of Millionaire Washington, D. C., Jan. 8.—Federal court decrees adjudging Edward W. Morrison, aged Chicago millionget for home work. The quota as- aire, whose financial tangles attractsigned Omaha for the war fund was ed much attention, a bankrupt on the petition of Charles S. Rieman, were in effect sustained today by the au-

the proceedings.

Morrison, 84 years old, inherited a Lizzie Ledgerwood alleges she was yer, obtained a \$90,000 judgment for knocked down by a blow on the left services, and discovered the millionfortune of \$8,000,000. Rieman, a law car delivered by the Nebraska Tele-phone company through the telephone \$2,000,000 had transferred most of his

> then instituted. Insurance Federation

Organized by Underwriters Douglas county branch of the In-surance Federation was organized at a meeting of Omaha and special agents at the Henshaw hotel Monday. Officers were elected as follows: C. O. Talmage, president; H. S. Byrne, J. W. Hughes and Stuart Gould, vice presidents; R. J. Mayer, secretary; C. C. Criss, treasurer. The association

is a branch of the national body. Pool Halls on Same Basis

Now as Soft Drink Parlors Superintendent Kugel of the police department will place pool halls on the same basis as soft drink parlors in the matter of suspension of licenses when convictions are imposed in police court for violation of city ordinances. It will be the duty of the chief of police to act immediately

when the convictions are recorded.

Of Omaha Poultry Breeders Receive Bids for

L. P. Reger is the new president of the Omaha Poultry Breeders' association. Other officers elected are: O. C. Ufford, secretary; A. D. Reigel, vice president; Elmer Carlson, treasurer: F. S. Nevens, John Schell and F. H. Jacobs, directors. The association voted to co-operate in the campaign for increased production of

> poultry. Standard Oil Company of

Nebraska Elects Officers At a stockholders' meeting at the offices of the Standard Oil company of Nebraska the following officers and directors were elected for the ensuing year: A. R. Richardson, president; George M. Smith, vice president; H. L. Alleman, secretary; James A. Gilmore, assistant secretary; R. C. Mc-Intosh, treasurer.

Fitzgerald Finds it Hard To Enforce Anti-Parking Law

In the absence of suitable signs it is impossible to fine violators of the city ordinance prohibiting parking of automobiles in front of fire hydrants, according to Police Judge Fitzgerald. He says half of the people do not know the existence of such a law and that the other half do not see the hydrants.

Western Pioneer Dies.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 8 .- Jacob

Ellis H. Roberts Dead.

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 8 .- Ellis H. Rob erts, ex-treasurer of the United States, born in 1827, and for many years editor of the Utica Herald, died at his home here today. You can secure a maid, stenogra-

pher or bookkeeper by using a Bee

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