#### **Experts Differ On** Depreciation of **Public Utility**

Lity Expert Says 3 Per Cent a Year, Light Company Expert, 5 Per Cent-"Bare Bones" Value Discussed.

What is the valuation difference octween the "bare bones" structure of an industrial or public utility plant ! and a plant with a paying business

This was the paramount issue distussed yesterday before the city courage, or lack of physical endurcouncil in connection with the elec- ance. But any or all of these traits trie rate hearing.

The supreme court of the United States has frequently distinguished between the bare bones structure of onsiness," asserted J. A. C. Kennedy. attorney for the Nebraska Power

## City Expert Cross-Examined.

The company, in its application for nereased rates, includes an element of going value in its presentation of a fair value for rate-making pur-Alton D. Adams, expert for the city, was cross-examined closely on this point. He admitted the existence of an element of going value and even referred to a decision by Justice Brewer of the United States suprine court in the Kansas City water case, wherein 10 per cent of the physical assets was added as going inent nose and his expression.

"If a plant is capable of meeting the demands of a community, then I believe it has an element of going value," said Mr. Adams, who, however, did not approve of the element satangible value commonly

#### Differ on Depreciation.

During a discussion of depreciation Mr. Adams asserted that 3 pe cent of the physical property in place at any given time would con stitute the amount of annual de-preciation charge. W. J. Hender-son, expert for the company, held that 5 per cent would be a fair depreciation charge to be allowed a public utility of the character and scope of the Nebraska Power company's plant. Mr. Adams further enlightened

the city council on the development of the electric art during the last 20 years. He discussed "single phases," which were replaced by three-phase alternating current, and told of the displacement of direct current motors by alternating The change in frequency of the alternations and other technical features were explained and discussed. The hearing was continued until

10 o'clock today.

#### Anniversary of Rabbis

Pastorate to Be observed Special services commenorating seventeenth aniversary of Rabbi Frederick Cohn's connection with temple Israel win be temple Friday evening. Rabbi Cohn will speak on "Our Seventeenth Anniversary." Music will intend the Manufalsohn's anthem, "I Temple Israel will be held in the Mendelssohn's anthem, Waited For the Lord," and St.

air's organ solo, "Memories." Seventeen years ago to the very Rabbi Cohn preached his insugural sermen as rabbi of Temple This year also marks the twenty-fifth anniversary of Dr. Colm's graduation from the Hebrew Union college as a rabbi, Next June will be his silver anniversary as a rabbi of Israel. This event also synchronizes with the golden anriversary of the congregation of Temple Israel.

A new law in Turkey prohibits women from being seen publicly with men or be employed in any establishment with men.

#### Get Acquainted

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TIERE'S one of the busiest men on The Bee's staff these days. P. C. Powell is down at Lincoln keeping tab on the doings of the state legislatice.

"Tis an ard ous and intricate task, and one he'll be glad to see finished at the close of the session. he opines, during his occasional week-end visits to Omaha.



several miles a day around the capitol and about Lincoln hotels in order to keep Bee thoroughly informed on what the solons are doing and planning and thinking. The solons, 'twould

he is footing

seem, appreciate his fairness. There have been no

stories, and, believe us, solous are not backward about kicking when they feel a kick is in order. Powell, after working for several

years on Omaha papers, rambled He returned to The Bee via Topeka,

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#### Your Face and What It Tells

Those Chinless Persons You Meet Are Not Always Weak and the Protruding Chin Doesn't Always Prove Belligerency—Watch Other Details.

F YOU have been entertaining is the combination of such a the idea a receding chin is necessarily an indication of mental is bad. cakness, or general inefficiency, If you see a chinless sort of perrget it. Other indications can comletely offset the weak tendencies the cceding chin may prophesy.

The receding chin, true enough, may indicate weaknesses such as impulsiveness, impatience, changeableness, irritability, lack of mental can, and do exist, in the same personality with a high type of men-tality. Not only that, but many a tality. man is hampered by some of these weaknesses, and yet has a chin like a prize-lighter.

Many men and women, who are failures, so-called today, are blanning their mistortunes on to inadequate brain caliber and receding chin, when a matter of fact the fault lies in the fact that they have some other weaknesses of which they are not aware and which they could over-come with the help of a character good development of the other head he had set in the trap. analyst and by psychological form-

#### Receding Chin, Low Crown.

One of the strongest characters I ever analyzed has practically no chin, but his mental courage showed out in his height of head, his prom-The important thing to watch for,

#### Arguments Begun In Lawson Trial

Defendant's Mother Last Witness; Case Expected to Reach Jury Today.

murdering his wife left the witness of an alleged disregard of an injuncstand at 3 yesterday afternoon in tion issued against him some months District Judge Troup's court and of crops which Dr. B. W. Hall of then the arguments to the jury Benson claimed.

Chief Deputy County Attorney Coffey, making the opening argu- tore up the summons handed him and ment for the state, talked to the jury day, with reinforcements, Johnson, two hours. He was followed by after chasing Nielsen through a Gene O'Sullivan, attorney for Law- barbed wire fence, a cornfield, a son, whose speech was stopped at adjournment last night. He will man. continue this morning.

County Attorney Shotwell will make the closing argument for the state and Attorney Jamieson for the defense. It is expected the jury will take the case late this afternoon. Mrs. H. Lawson, mother of the defendant, was the last witness and testified that Burnell's hair is naturally a sandy color instead of fiery red, as had been asserted. The young man dyes it.

#### Crops Put in Jeopardy by

Suit for Indian Land Rent Thousands of dollars of crops and hundreds of acres of Indian lands in Nebraska and South Dakota are in eopardy pending the outcome of a test case filed in federal court Thursday by Frank A. Peters, assistant United States attorney.

The suit is for a first lien on property held by John Ragan of Winnebago for nonpayment of \$600 rent to the government, acting as guardian of Indian lands,

A decision will establish a precedent to determine the status of simi-Bankers who financed lar cases. Bankers who financed renters of Indian lands may lose thousands of dollars Peterson says.

#### OMAHA AUTO SHOW

March 14-19 CITY AUDITORIUM

Clarke G. Powell, Mgr.

Teacher asked what postpone meant. and I said, Tryin to have breakfast without Post

- Bubby

Main Office

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# By MABEL WARNER RUGG | when you observe a receding chim

with a low crown of the head. That son whose head is full front but flattens out over the crown, then you confirm weakness. If the nose is slightly "pug" then there is absolutely no doubt that the person has a lack of mental courage, and its accompanying train of weaknesses.

#### The Protruding Chin.

A clain protruding out of harmony considered the pugnacious Robert, 19. chin, the prize-fighter chin. With a pression, it is liable to be.

But with fine texture, such a chia morning chores. may only show a tendency to be too patient, to be procrastinating in Wednesday not to set the thief trap decision and action

nearly on a plane with the forehead sections mentioned before, the character indicated excellent. But if it is ing face downward 20 feet from the not, then it shows only symmetry of features, that is all.

Editor's note: While these articles are being published Mabel Warner Rugg will undertake to answer all questions from Bee readers on character and analysis and vocational choice. Send the letters cars of The Bec.

#### Man Captured After Wild Chase Through Fields by Deputies

After defying Deputy Sheriffs Holter, Johnson and Hoye, Wednesday afternoon, Rasmus Nielsen, living near Bennington, was arrested and placed in the county jail.

The last witness called in the trial | Nicisen was summoned to Tuesday of Burnell Lawson on a charge of to answer contempt charges because Tuesday, Deputy Sheriff Charles

Johnson was defied by Nielsen, who cursed the deputy roundly. Wednes-

### Man Is Killed by Thief Trap He Put On Chicken Coop addition to his by three sons.

Appliance on Door Intended to Shoot Marauders Fatal to Inventor, Former Omaha Liquor Dealer.

With a bullet in his heart from a istol in a trap he had set himself catch chicken thieves at the door of his chicken houses, John A. Berg, 54, former retail liquor dealer, was found dead early yesterday morning in the barnyard of his farm, five line with the upper face has long miles north of Florence, by his son,

Robert was sent by his mother to coarse texture and a belligerent ex- call his father to breakfast when he did not return from his customary The wife declared she begged him

because of his absent-mindedness. As a general rule, I can say that and because but a few days before desirable chin is the one somewhat he had wounded himself when he pened the door of the same chicken house and walked into a pitchfork

The farmer's body was found bydoor of the chicken house. He had made an attempt to reach his home before death. Dr. A. B. Adams was called, but life was extinct,

The trap involved a .32 caliber revolver hung from a point slightly above the middle of the door and pointed downward at an angle so that anyone forcing the door would receive the charge in the breast, A shovel was fastened behind the door in such a way that when the door opened it would fall and jerk a string that pulled the trigger. Extensive theits of blooded chicken's caused the farmer to set the



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x social tonight in Seymour hall, 517 Capitol avenue Man Missing-Police were asked

Brief City News

terans and auxiliary will hold a

yesterday to search for Reuben Mer-riman, §3, 3806 Seward street, who has distppeared from his home. Secretary Appointed-Ethel D. Barker, formerly of Omaha, has been appointed secretary to Con-

gressman-elect Lineberger of North

Divorce Granted.-Henrietta Pur-

Carolina.

cupile was gronted a divorce from Benjamin H. Purcupile by District Judge Scars Thursday after she had ade allegations of extreme cruelty. Elks to Initiate-The last of the

to membership of the Orania lodge the Shrine room of the Masonic mple tonight. There will be 309 Two Coats Gone-A few days ago thief escaped with a uniform coat longing to Leo Hayes, chauffeur,

r the Omaha police department. vilian overcoat. Motor Stolen-An electric motor belonging to LeBron & Gray, 116 South Thirteenth street, was stolen from a service delivery truck Wednesday night at Sixteenth and

eavenworth streets. Altitude Record-A new altitude cord for an Omaha field was es-blished by Capt. H. W. Cook of ort Crook Wednesday. The record ight of 18,000 feet in altitude was nade in De Haviland plane.

Kidnaper Foiled-A burglar atmpted to kidnap Marie Smith, 10, her home at 2610 Charles yesterday morning. The burglar was frightened away as he was taking the child from her bed. Named President-T. L. Combs has been elected president of the "Dean T. Smith for Commissioner"

trap, but the son was substituting a club here. One hundred and fifty when the circuit court of appeals at burglar alarm for the house which men and women attended the meet. St. Louis declared the internal revburglar alarm for the house which

Medals Distributed-Officials at Rankel, John Thompson and Joe the Army building declare that al-The widow is prostrated with riet over her husband's death. In addition to his wife Berg is survived

Prisoners Released-Five federal which was seized with a fit.

was to have been completed yester- weitnesday night. Home thotel enue liquor laws invalid. They are Lee Sokol, James McKenna, Frank

the Army building declare that arthough recruiting has stopped, distribution of Victory medals is still going on. Lieut Col. J. A. Benjamin urges all former service men to caught on fire Thursday morning. apply for their Victory medals at the occupants were forced to fice into Box Social.—The Spanish war prisoners, held on charges of viola- is the third time the house ha



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1 ounce ..... 20¢
2 ozs. .... 35¢
4 ozs. .... 60¢
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cleanser) ....49c \$1.15 Vinol Tonic, 89c

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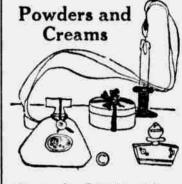
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