INANCIAL COMMUNITY QUITE EASY

latement of President Cleveland as to the Policy of the Administration Accepted as an Index to Future Prosperity.

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE BEE,) 513 FOURTEENTH STREET, WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.

Whatever may have been the intention o resident Cleveland in issuing his statement ist night respecting the gold situation, hether todeny the fact that there have been arp words and stormy scenes between uself and certain members of the cabinet or to infuse into the situation some confience upon the part of the financial comunity, it cannot be denied that it has had salutary effect. Monetary conditions are

A number of Washington bankers went to ew York on Friday night to feel the pulse Wall street and forestall future fluctuaon and anticipate any fluery which might trise today as a result of extreme steps upon ie part of the secretary of the treasury. They returned here this evening and report wonderfully favorable change for the

On Saturday money was close and rediscounts were almost impossible in New York. low confidence is almost restored, money is cheaper and rediscounts are as easily con-tracted for as they have been at any time within the past twelve mouth. It is believed the run on the gold reserve is about over and that danger of a stringency in the financial world is almost, if not quite, past. The patriotism of the people seems to have come to the rescue of the government's credit and will preserve it.

Postmasters Appointed. J. W. Jackson was today appointed post-

J. W. Jackson was today appointed postmuster at Loomis, Phelps county, Neb., vice Edwin Barnum, resigned.

Other postmasters were appointed as follows: Wyoming—Atlantic City. Tremont county, L. L. Geisler, vice Nicauley, removed Green River, Sweetwater county, Jerry Keiliper, vice A. D. Dibble, removed. Utah—Cove, Cache county, E. S. Larsen, vice C. B. Bradbury; Fort Duquesne, Ulntah county, J. A. Mease, vice A. Mead; Kelton, Box Elder county, E. M. Jones, vice M. Alexander: Newton, Cache county, J. P. Jensen, vice Peter Christensen.

Idaho—Musten, Shoshone county, Maggie F. Marsh, vice A. M. Wilson.

Western Pensions.

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The following pensions granted are re-Ported:
Neoraska: Original—Jonn Goff, John
Eckert, Lester Houghton, Additional—
Erasmus Heathman, Reissue—Andrew J.
Nelson, Original widows, etc.—Mary Spen-

cer, Leah Stricker. Iowa: Original—Solon F. Fairman, Thomas El Johnson, William E. Lockwood, William Lockart Additional—Arnold Sarbrock, Albert Little, Hiram Janes, Levi M Harris. Renewal and increase—Allen Mullinex. In-crease—Joseph Racer, Young W. Short, John crease—Joseph Racer, Young W. Short, John Williamson. Reissue—John W. Allton, Samuel Mulford. Original widows, etc.—Minor of Patrick H. Caldwell, Sarah M. Hinmen, Martha J. Zuber, minor of Thomas Robinson, Ann Washburn, mother, Mary A. Whited. Mary Shupe, Hester A. Lockhart, minors of Willis D. Adams.

South Dakota: Additional—David W. Arand Original widows etc.—Minors of David

id. Original widows, etc.-Minors of David Miscellaneous.

Today Assistant Secretary Chandler re-versed the decision of the general land com-missioner in the case of Edward W. Sheldon of the Sidney land district, granting extension of time. The assistant secretary says the applicant has complied with the law and that the relief asked for should be granted. In the homestead entry case of Charles Lambert against William S. Fugate from Salt Lake, Assistant Secretary Chandler has affirmed the decision of the commismer in favor of Lambert.

Judgment Against the State in South Carolina Tax Case-Other Appeals Settled. Washington, D. C., April 24.—The United States supreme court passed upon the South Carolina tax case today, the opinion being elivered by Chief Justice Fuller. It came before the court upon the petition of Sheriff Tyler of Aiken county for a writ of hapeas corpus to release him from imprisonment under the judgment of the circuit court of the United States that he be fined \$500 for contempt. He had seized a train on the South Carolina road upon a warrant issued by the state authorities for the collection of taxes while in controversy. The road was in the hands of a receiver appointed by the United States court and he was adjudged guilty of contempt for failing to release the property under order of the court. He came to the supreme court for relief. The opinion contained much stronger language than is usually found in such documents. It denied the application of the politioner. It held the seizure of the property by force unjustifiable and indefensible. The claims of the state for taxes are not superior to the general rule which makes prop-erty placed in the hands of a ecciver subject to the orders of the court; hey are to be determined in a regular way and in the proper manner. The action of the circuit court was in no sense an action against the state of South Carolina, which, it was concluded, could not be maintained under the eleventh amendment to the con-stitution. The circuit court was equipped with the fullest power to protect its dignity and enforce its mandates and its use of these sowers in the case in point could not be reriewed by the supreme court.

The same judgment was announced in the cases of Sheriffs Riser and Gains, who came

to the supreme court for relief.

The justices affirmed the judgment of the United States circuit court for the state of Washington, in refusing to grant a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Albert Frederick, undergoing a sentence of twenty-years imprisonment for murder in the second degrees.

A case presenting unusual and novel fea-tures was entitled the Northern Pacific Railroad company vs C. J. Brooks & Co., et al, the defendants including a number of saloonkeepers and the Board of Commissioners of Kittitas county, Washington. The railroad company brought suit to abate saloons maintained by the defeudants as nisances, and to prevent the commissioners f the county from renewing licenses to them, on the ground that the employes of company, who must necessarily use dynamite and steam in constructing the mpany's railroad line through Kittitas unty, were induced by the presence of de-ndants' saloons along the line of the work to become unfitted for the safe use of these instrumentalities, and thereby cause loss to the corporation by the delay in finishing the work. The state courts ruled against the company. Justice Gray, for the supreme court, affirmed the judgment of the territorial supreme court, stating that upon none of the grounds advanced by the counsel for

nd secure the relief sought. Frank J. Bowman and William Patrick of St. Louis were partners in the ownership of the Colonei Sellers Accident mines near Loadville, Colo. After the property had been Leadville, Colo. After the property had been partly developed Patrick, who was in charge of the work, offered to buy Bowman's interest, which amounted to five-forty eighths, and the sale was effected. Afterwards Bowman claimed that Patrick had withheld from him information of the discovery of a large body of valuable ore on the property before the date of the purchase and that, therefore he was entitled to receive dame therefore he was entitled to receive dam-ages and he brought suit. The court below gavel udgment against Patrick for some-thing over \$57,000. Patrick appealed to the supreme court of the United States. The decision, amounced by Justice Brown sus-tained the contention. tained the contention of Patrick and re-versed the judgment of the court below. From this opinion Chief Justice Fuller and Justice Brewer dissented. They assert that the ore was discovered some months before the sale was effected, and that it was obliga-

the appellant could it maintain the action

PATRIOTISM OF THE PEOPLE of that fact.

DOINGS IN THE DEPARTMENTS.

Jones Faction Presents Its Position in the Choctaw Nation Trouble.

WASHINGTON, D. C. April 24.—Duke de Veragua called on President Cleveland this afternoon at the white house. The black frock coat which Mr. Cleveland were contrasted strongly with the gold face and brass buttons of the duke and his suite. There was no attempt at ceremony. Commander Dickens made the introductions and a few words were spoken, with just a suggestion words were spoken, with just a suggestion of formality by the duke and by the president in reference to the visit of the duke to America. Then the ducal party bowed itself out and was driven to the Navy department. In the absence of Secretary Herbert, Assistant Secretary McAdoo received the visitors, and after a received the visitors, and after a minute spent in conversation accompanied them to the State department, where they were met by Secretary Gresham in the diplomatic robes. Then the duke and his party went to the office of Secretary Lamont and paid their respects. This ended the re-

A delegation of Choetaw Indians, repre-A delegation of Chocaw Indians, repre-ienting the Jones faction, had an interview coday with Secretary Smith. They repre-sented that Jones was legally elected gov-ernor of the nation and that the whole difficolty had been caused by the refusal of the Locke people to recognize his authority. A number of Locke's followers, it was as-serted, had been indicted and convicted of crimes, and the effort made by Governor Jones to enforce the law and to carry into effect the sentences imposes and met with armed resistance. Both factions have now presented in writing their respective sides of the controversy and it is the secretary's intention to take up the case and dispose of

it at an early day.

Unless unforseen reasons for postponement should occur, the international monetary conference will reconvene in Brussels on May 30. All of the commissioners have tendered their resignations and but one of them Mr. Honry W. Cannon, president of the -Mr. Henry W. Cannon, president of the Chase National bank of New York-has seen reappointed. It is understood that John P. Jones, United States senator from Nevada, has been requested to withdraw his

resignation. Commissioner Carter, representing the Commissioner Carter, representing the Hawaiian provisional government in this country, called upon Secretary Gresham this morning and notified him that he had received the permission of his government to return, and that he would trart for San Francisco temorrow and sail on the Beigie May 24. Subsequently Mr Carter said that he had a very pleasant interview with Secretary Gresham, but that it had no political significance. Mr Carter said that he assemble as the said that he said tha significance. Mr. Carter said that he as-sumed the secretary was awaiting definite advice from Commissioner Blount before any

further step should be taken.

The director of the mint, with the approval of Secretary Carlisle, has determined on the designs for the souvenir quarter dollar, and today forwarded to the board of lady managers for their opinion two models of the head of Isabella, which will appear on the face of the coin, one representing her as young with a very beautiful profile and the other as mature, a front face. The de-sign for the reverse will consist of a figure of a woman kneeling, bolding a distaff, emble-matic of woman's industry. The lettering on the reverse will be "Board of Lady Manon the reverse will be "Board of Lady Man-agers," above and around the figures, and below the words: "Columbian Quarter Dollar." On the obverse, or face, the letter-ing will be: "United States of America—

Secretary Morton has appointed Major K. H. C. Dunwoody as assistant chief of the weather bureau, vice Major S. S. Rockwood, resigned, to take effect May I. Major Dunwoody has been connected with the weather Secretary Gresham denies the cable re-port that Mr. Patrick Egan, minister to Chili, has been recalled.

WILL MEET IN OMAHA.

State Business Men's Association Will Convene Here Next Month. The fourth annual convention of the Ne braska State Business Men's association

will probably be held in Omaha May 29 to 31 inclusive. This is the decision that has been reached by the advisory board providing that fund sufficient to pay the railroad fare of the delegates is subscribed by the manufacturers and jobbers of this city.

for the purpose, \$300 of which has already been subscribed by the Manufacturers and Consumers association. A list of those who will be called upon has already been prepared and circular letters will be mailed to them today, notifying them of the amount desired from each. The contributions to be asked for from any one person, or firm, will range from \$10 to \$60, the, list being out with the idea of taxing each one according to his means and being considered eminently fair. Heretofore about \$800 has been contributed each year for carriages and en-tertainment. This year the Commercial club will do the entertaining. The number of delegates to this convention will reach 300, and the number of towns to be Fepre-300, and the number of towns to be fepresented will be 125. Much encouragement has been received by the association on all sides and it is believed that the fund can be raised and that the convention will be held. The local bodies of the Nebraska State Business Men's association will meet in county convention at Beatrice today. One of the chief purposes of the meeting is to devise some way of ridding the state of a class of men who go about, representing themselves as agents for large establishments in the east, and take orders for merchandise, principally groceries, from the farmers. They will sell twenty-five or thirty pounds of granulated twenty-five or thirty pounds of granulated sugar for \$1 and twelve dozen clothes pins for 10 cents as a "catch," and then charge 40 or 50 cents a pound for coffee which is not worth more than 25 cents. In this way they hoodwink the farmers into the belief that they are getting bargains and are doing great injury not only to the farmers but to all the retailers as well. After they obtain orders for goods sufficient to make a carload, they send them to a confederate in Chicago or some other city and have them filled. The goods are then shipped west, unloaded at their destination and allowed by the rail-road company to remain in the depot until

If the retail merchant, however, receives a carload of goods, he is immediately notified to remove them or pay damage. It is pro-posed by this convention to stop this prac-tice, it possible, and to rid the state of this class of dealers, who have really no head, and are nothing more than peddlers, seeking to rob the guilble public. It is estimated that many trainloads of these goods come into the state annually, and that the retail dealers are damaged each year to the extent of thousands of dollars.

Plies of people have plies, but De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve willcure them.

Only a Change of Color. The Board of Public Works met yesterday afternoon for the purpose of taking action upon the paving of Leavenworth street from Tenth to Eleventh and Izard from Twelfth to Fourteenth streets. Hugh Murphy has the contract and it calls for white Colorado sandstone. A few weeks ago the council passed a resolution instructing the con-tractor to use red Colorado sandstone. When Murphy started to pave Izard street he used red stone and is nearly half through with the job. As the property owners designated the white stone and the ordinance called for its use, as does the contract, the board or-dered a suspension of work until the matter is atraightened out by the council.

IMPORTANT CASE DECIDED

Superintendent Goudy Interpets the Law Regulating Boards of Education.

MEMBERS SHOULD QUALIFY

Recent Legislation Has Changed the Subject Materially-Officers-Elect Must Assume Their Duties on the First Monday in July.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 24 .- [Special to THE Bag. |- The state superintendent of public instruction today rendered a decision of interest to all school districts organized under subdivision 14 of the school law. The decision was brought out by an inquiry from the Lincoln Board of Education as to the date on which the members-elect of the Board of Education should assume the duties of the office, the recent legislature having amended the particular section of the school

law referring to the same. Superintendent Goudy decides that under the law as recently amended the members elect should take their oath of office on or be fore the first Monday in May; that the officors-elect should assume the duties of their offices on the first Monday of July; that on the first Monday in July the board should elect its officers for the coming year; and that until the first Monday of July the term of office of the outgoing members con-

Planted an Executive Tree.

Governor Crounse and the attaches of the executive department celebrated. Aroor Day today, the absence of the governor prevent ing the proper observance of the holiday las Saturday. A group of trees was planted on the capitol grounds just north of the east entrance. Governor Crounse planted an American red birch; Private Secretary An-American red birch: Private Secretary Andrews selected an English 18h; Chief Clerk Ferris contributed a hackberry, Record Clerk Wright modestly implanted a Maiden blush apple tree, while Messenger Wingo added a red bud tree to the group. These trees will hereafter be known as the "executive group." ecutive group.

Gossip at the State House. Judge Wheeler of the Fifth judicial dis-

trict was an interested listener to the ments in the impeachment case this after

The Nebraska Realty company of Fremont filed its articles of incorporation with the secretary of state today. It has a capital stock of \$500,000, and the incorporators are G. W. E. Dorsey, Robert Bridge, B. F. Stouffer, A. K. Dame and J. D. Beli. Articles incorporating the Ponca House

and Land company were filed at the office of the secretary of state today. It has a capi-tal stock of \$100,000 and the incorporators are F. M. Dorsey, A. E. Barnes, W. E. Holmes, E. D. Higgins and W. A. Rapsey. Senator Pope of Saline county and Repre ouse this afternoon.

State Superintendent Goudy returned this morning from Beaver City, where he went to attend an educational convention, at which delivered an address on "School The case of the Farmers Loan and Trust

company against Vernon Beach was filed with the clerk of the supreme court this afternoon. It comes from Knox county.

The supreme court this afternoon appointed Myron E. Wheeler of this city as the official stenographer for the impeach-ment trial. He will employ four assistants, probably Bert Betts, Bert Wheeler, H. M. Waring and Burd Wakeley. They will fur-nish daily transcripts of everything connected with the case to all interested parties.

FOUGHT OVER CATTLE.

Case of Assault at Silver Creek Which Almost Resulted in a Lynching. SILVER CREEK, Neb., April 24.-[Special to THE BEE.]-A. P. Sutton and I. E. Wilson rot into an altercation Friday in regard to Sutton's cattle having been in Wilson's corn some time last fall, with the result that they came to blows. Sutton was knocked down two or three times and had his face badly cut up so that he has since been confined to Fifteen hundred to \$2,000 will be necessary his bed Each party claims that the other was the aggressor. Wilson was kept in the callaboose until last night when he was taken to Central City by Sheriff Porter on a state warrant. The affair has created a good deal of feeling and the night of the occurrence of the fight or assault there was some strong talk of lynching Wilson, who bears somewhat of an unsavor reputation. Public opinion, however, is per-haps about equally divided as to the real

merits of the case. Two Clay Center Accidents. CLAY CENTER, Neb., April 24.—[Special to The Ber.]—Lyman Sanderson, the 11-yearold son of J. B. Sanderson, superintendent of the Clay county poor farm, while playing with a hand cornsheller, got his hand in the machine and injured the fingers to such an extent that amputation was necessary with one of them, up to the first joint. Dr. O. P. Shoemaker, while feeding his horses yesterday morning, accidentally pierced his leg near the knee with a pitch-fork, causing a painful and to some extent a dangerous injury.

Thrown from a Horse and Killed. Bancroft, Neb., April 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-John Snodgrass died here this morning as the result of injuries received yesterday. While riding into town from Ed Farley's farm, where he was em-ployed, his horse reared, throwing Snodgrass to the ground and inflicting injuries about his neck. He was taken to the hotel, where

life lingered until this morning. Nebraska Farmers Alarmed. SHIVER CREEK, Neb., April 24.— Special to THE BEE.]-The weather continues very dry, so that small grain is suffering-too dry even for oats in many fields to germinate. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday very high winds prevailed here, which seriously damaged oats. The sharp frosts have probably seriously injured the prospects for fruit.

Ratiroads in Court. BEATRICE, Neb., April 24.- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Judge Babcock today handed down his decision in the case of the Burlington against the Rapid Transit and Power company, granting a temporary in-junction to the plaintiff restraining the defendant from putting in what is known as the standard crossings.

Sunday Night's Heavy Rain. FREMONT, Neb., April 24.—[Special to The Bee.]—The heavy rain that fell last night will be of great benefit to vegetation of all kinds in this vicinity. Farmers in this county will soon have their land ready for planting corn. The small grain, oats, etc.,

Piles of people have pues, but De Witt's Witch Hazel Saive will cure them.

Wants Practical Men. It develops that Mayor Bemis does not heartily approve of the idea of sending five councilmen on a junketing trip to other cities to investigate their garbage systems, and is possible that his objections may knock the plan in the head The resolution authorizing the trip and

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appropriating \$250 to cover the expenses is in Mayor Bunds, hands, awaiting his signature. It is said that while Mayor Bemis believes such a trip would be of benefit, and might assist Omaha in solving the garbage problem yet he thinks the personnel of the committee sent should be entirely different.

In case the mayor does not sign the resolu-tion he will probably recommend that a contion he will probably recommend that a con-mittee of practical men be sent, who are somewhat familiar with the study of gar-bage disposal, and have given the subject a great deal of thought and attention. The opinion is that he will escemmend that City Engineer Rosewater, Dr. Somers, Building Inspector Tilly and perhaps Councilman Mc-Learie be delegated to do the investigating.

COUNTY ROAD PAVING.

County Commissioners Receive Bids but Take No Action.

The county commissions met yesterday and gladdened the heart of County Judge Eller by allowing him to hire an additional clerk at a salary of \$80 per month, provid ing that the fees of the office would be sufficient to pay the new man.

County Attorney Kaley entered a protest because the board had refused to allow a \$40 bill, contracted by Mr. Kaley having hired a stenographer. Notwithstanding the pro-test, the bill went to the files and the comnumeration went into the hands of a com Last winter the Associated Charities con

tracted a coal bill which amounted to \$100 and then asked the county to assume the inand then asked the county to assume the indebtedness. Yesterday the commissioners decided that even if it was one of those emergency cases the county could not be expected to stand good for the amount.

John A. MacMurphy resigned the office of
justice of the peace of Douglas precinet, his
reasons being that he had removed and was
a resident in another portion of the county.

W. J. Flynn presented an application in
which he asked that he be named as one of
the paving inspectors upon the county roads
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which it is proposed to improve this season. Nothing was done with the application, the commissioners deciding to wait until after the contracts had been let before appointing

Taking up the ax of the headsman.
Albert Sharp, one of the old janitors of the court house, was decapitated and John Erickon was appointed to fill the vacancy. By resolution it—was decided to paint and therwise improve the looks of the interior

f the sheriff's office. The bids for the \$150,000 road bonds, the saving of the three roads and the grading of

Military avenue were opened.

For the bonds W. J. Hayes & Sons of Cleveland, O., were the highest bidders, they offering par, accrued interest and \$4.50 premium. John Dale wanted the bonds, but the took them he wanted the county to pay im \$1,000 commission and then he would

pay par.
For doing the paying there were four bidders. Riley, McDonald & Penfield bid as follows: The Center street road, Colorado sandstone on concrete, \$4.55 per square yard: Dodge street the same and Military road, \$4.80. Stone on broken stone the figures were \$4.75 on the first two roads and \$5 on the latter. Stone on sand they bid \$4.65 and \$4.90. On brick on sand, they bid \$4.65 and \$4.90. On brick they bid \$4.25. On Telford macadam, \$3.50; and macadam on concrete, \$3.25. Van Court bid only on macadam en con-crete and offered to do the work at \$2.90 per

square yard.

Hugh Murphy bid on Colorado sandstone, his prices being \$5.63 on the Center, \$4.74 on the Dodge and \$3.86 on the Military road.

J. W. Furnas & Sons bid \$4.75 on the Center street road; \$4.60 on the Dodge and \$4.70

on the Military road, the material to be red Colorado sand stone. All of the bids were referred.

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For doing the necessary grading Henry Hall was the lowest bidder, he offering to do the work at 12% cents per cubic yard.

A levy of 7 mills was made upon all of the taxable property of School District No. 3, South Omaha, for the year 1892 in order to raise the funds called for by the Board of Education, as provided for in the estimate submitted to the country commissioners last submitted to the county commissioners last August. The valuation of the taxable prop-erty was placed at \$2,107,232,73, and upon this valuation the county clerk was in-structed to make the extension. The delay in making this levy, it will be

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remembered, grows out of a law suit, in which both South Omaha and Douglas county were involved. Las "ummer. e Board of Education contended that the county commissioners were the proper parties to make the levy, while the commissioners declared that they had nothing to do with the matter. Thus the affair rested, and the district managed to pull through without the money. The case was taken to the supreme court on a mandamus, and there it was decided that the commissioners were the ones who should have made the there it was decided that the commissioners were the ones who should have made the levy and carried it onto the books of the county. This decision also carried a mandate with it, compelling the county clerk to do the very thing which the commissioners have now ordered him to do.

Repairing the Storm's Work. Yesterday morning's rain caused both Major Furay and Major Balcombe to put on their hustling clothes and test the realities of their positions as sewer commissioner and street commissioner. The former investigated as to the damage to his trenches and he latter as to the washouts and cavein ipon the surface of the streets. Both ar the harness and personally looking after neir departments, although Major Balcombe has not a force of men at work upon the streets and is holding off until Mr. Winspear surrenders or routs him from the position he now holds. Winspear's office was closed during the forenoon and it is not known whether he put his force back to work this

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