RECTIONS

Stanton County Treasurer Seeks to Mandamus State Official.

EXPRESS CHARGES ON STATE MONEY the duplicate returns sent in by the clerks

on the Monthly Collections When Remitted to the State Treasurer is Up.

LINCOLN, Nov. 15 .- (Special.)-The application for mandamus brought by Agge Axen, county treasurer of Stanton county, to compel the state treasurer to sign recelpts for money transmitted to him, forms a case of general interest over the state. The petition filed by Treasurer Axen sets forth that it is the duty of the county treasurer "to collect all taxes levied for about \$800 for the benefit of the soldiers state purposes in the said Stanton county and pay into the state treasury all funds has on hand \$362. The relief corps in the in his hands belonging to the state on or state number almost 150, with a membership before the 10th day of February and the 10th of 4,000 and own \$16,000 worth of property Gay of October in each year, and at such other times as the state treasurer shall require, such payments to be made in coin or in treasury notes of the United States." The petition further states that "it is the duty of the state treasurer to make triplicate receipts, under the seal of his office, for all sums which shall be paid into the treasury and deliver two of such receipts

to the person making such payment. . • The relator further represents that on the 4th day of February, 1898, the respondent as such state treasurer directed and required this relator to transmit on or before the 15th day of each month all moneys in his hands, collected in the month previous and belonging to the state of Nebraska, and all such remittances were made in obedience to such direction and requirement on part of the respondent."

The petition then goes on to state that the only convenient and safe mode of transmitting coin and treasury notes from Stanton to Lincoln is by the express company, which has offices at both places. Since the first of the year the county treasurer had forwarded by this express company amounts as follows: January, \$1,094.15; February, \$960.19; March, \$840.75; April, \$2,567.51; May, \$2,241.21; June, \$999.11; July, \$434.61; August, \$268.21; September, \$1,280.69; October, \$2,201.90,

The package of money for March, which amounted to \$840.75 and was remitted on the 8th of April, was the only one receipted for, the state treasurer having neglected and refused to furnish receipts for the others. It is to compel action on the part of Meserve that the suit is brought. The Stanton treasurer states that until the receipts are given him he cannot make his settlements with the county commissioners and state auditor as required by law and that he is liable to forfeit his collection fres for the amounts set forth in the petition.

Facts New to Public.

The facts set forth in the petition are nev to the general public, although it is probable that all the county treasurers are having the same experience. It is argued by the tive officer a critice. attorney for Treasurer Axen that the law does not contemplate that the treasurers shall come in person to Lincoln once a month to make the payments in order that month to make the payments in order that they may get their receipts, as this would epitall great expense and inconvenience. A of the deaths were from that disease. good reason for Meserve to withhold the receipts does not appear. It will be re-membered that less than two months ago with the Denver and Colorado university Treasurer Meserve made a public speech in which he claimed great credit because he had compelled the county treasurers to not recovered from injuries teccived in repay up every month. He said that "under cent games.

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An account of a new in the said that "under cent games." away with the money." He also claimed Joseph Ruenker of Council States, was in the city yesterday wande. In a state money had been lessened." The point in the case is that the Stanton county treasurer forwards the packages with search of a home. She is being cared for Source Garden was thronged with spectathe express to be paid at the Lincoln end, the county having no fund from which such of an item of expense could be taken and the express, if prepaid, would have to be borne by the treasurer personally. The state treasurer receives the money, but refuses to give receipts because the express is not prepaid. In the interests of political "economy" the state treasurer wants to compel the county treasurers to pay the expres charges from their own pockets. The average expense for each county would be \$2 per month, or a total for all counties of \$2,160. It is expected that the ruling in this case will determine whether the state shall bear this expense or whether it is to be paid by the county treasurer. The complication is one of the natural consequences of the system of book-keeping adopted by the state officials for campaign purposes and it is a matter of surprise that such a suit was not begun during the campaign fust passed.

The term of office of G. J. Evans of Hastings as member of the Board of Examiners of the State Board of Pharmacy has expired and J. H. Schmidt of Omaha has been appointed to the place.

In answer to an inquiry sent to Adju-

FIVE FAMILIES.

Discovered the Cause of Their Sickness.

Whenever I drink coffee it effects my heart in such a way that I cannot get my breath without great difficulty. My husband has had serious stomach trouble for some years, which we found by experimenting with leaving off coffee, came from the coffee directly. We have now been using



80 Elizabeth St., LaFayette, Ind.

Postum Cereal Food Coffee for three years, and both husband and myself are perfectly well. We shall never use common coffee again, as long as we can get Postum. The following people have to my knowledge been greatly benefited by the discontinuance of coffee and the use of Postum.

Mrs. Laura Quinn, 191 Cincinnati St. LaFayette, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, West Lebanon

Mrs. O. C. Wilson, Attica, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Killan, Lafyette, Ind. One thing people must remember, if they the real boiling begins.

day stating that the First regiment had not been ordered home from Manila and that there was no intention to order any

regiments home in the immediate future. The secretary of state commenced the canvass of the vote of the state on state officials and district judges this afternoon, being used for the purpose. There are still about thirty counties that have not Question of Who is to Pay the Freight sent in their returns, but many of these are expected to show up in the mails tomorrow.

Woman's Relief Corps.

The state treasurer and auditing committee of the Nebraska Women's Reflet Corps are meeting in this city for the purpose of going over the year's accounts. Mrs. Mary R. Morgan of Alma is the treasurer and the auditing committee is composed of Mesdames Alice G. Linsley of Table Rock, Lucy Auetin of Tekamah and Frankforter of Lincoln. The corps of the state has been instrumental in securing and expending of the present war. The organization now outside of real estate.

The Matinee Musicale has arranged for a number of "artists' recitals" for the benefit of its members and the first one was precincts was required and in this case given last night by a vocal quartet from the Topeka Musical club. Every number on the program was enjoyed and warmly applanded by those present. The Ministerial association has arranged

for union services in different sections of Lincoln on Thanksgiving day. Services in the downtown section will be held at the First Presbyterian church by Rev. W. H Manss of the Congregational church. In East Lincoln Rev. Spear will preach at the Vine Street Congregational church. Rev R. T. Chipperfield will preach at the Third Presbyterian church in South Lincoln. The colored religious organizations will also hold union services, but the place has not yet been announced.

The secretary of state has received duplicate returns from fifty-eight counties, but none of them have yet been opened for the tabulation of the returns.

Lincoln Local Notes. Lincoln Frost, the newly elected district judge, has appointed E. R. Mockett as his official court reporter.

Work has commenced on the new plant of the Beatrice Creamery company. Mest of the old wall is being torn down, as the new building will have street wall of handsome gray trick resembling granite. Chief of Police Hoagland left today for Bunker Hill, Ill., in answer to a telegram announcing the serious illness of his wife's brother at that place. Mrs. Hoagland has been at the bedside of her brother and asbeen at the bedside of her brother and as-sisted in taking care of him for some

months past. At the meeting of the city council last night a committee of attorneys was ap-pointed to confer with the council committee and the Lancaster legislative delegation in framing amendments to the city charter, to be presented to the legislature for passage this winter.

Judge Holmes of the district court has overruled the demurrer filed by the attorneys of Mayor Frank Graham, who is under indictruent for bribery. The question raised by the defense was that there is no statute making the taking of a bribe by an execu-

The monthly report issued from the health department shows that during October there were but sixteen deaths in the city. Of these eight were males and eight females

The university foot ball team leaves for teams during the week. It is feared that the team will not be in its strongest condi-tion, as Turner, Williams and Stringer have

by a woman near Denton in the south part

the county. that he had been meditating suicide for some time. So far as known Pollard had no

Sessions Open in Nebraska in

eventful Way. CHADRON. Neb., Nov. 15 .- (Special.)-The fall term of district court for Dawes county convened in this city this week with Hon. W. H. Westover presiding. In the absence of Judge Westover's court reporter, Colonel John G. Maher, who is ab sent in California on his wedding tour. J. D. Scott of Kearney is acting as stenographer. While the docket is exceptionally light several cases of importance will b tried before jury. AUBURN, Neb., Nov. 15 .- (Special.) -- Dis-

trict court convenes this morning, but it is generally understood that the Argebright murder case will not be reached during this session. Judge Litton presides this term. ST. PAUL. Neb., Nov. 15.-(Special.)-District court of Howard county convened today with Judge Kendall on the bench. There is at this term the smallest number of cases for several years. No crimina cases at all, no jury trials and only fifty-two civil cases-mostly all foreclosure cases, being finished up. Many of these cases are being paid off or compromised. Only two foreclosure cases were commenced during the last three months, which is good evidence of returning prosperity to Howard

county. SUES RICHARDS FOR DAMAGES.

Former Tenant Claims to Have Been Injured in His House, CHADRON, Neb., Nov. 15.—(Special.)— Attorney A. W. Crites has just returned from Denver, where he had been to take some depositions in a damage suit some prominence, wherein Minnie E. Luke, a Denver artist, brings suit against Bartlett Richards, a prominent cattle man of this city, for \$17,500 damages for injuries sustained by her in falling in one of Mr. Richards' houses in Denver which she occupied as a tenant. The fall was occasioned by a defective floor and as a result Miss Luke had her right leg broken and her left shoulder dislocated. resulting in paralysis of the left arm. The accident occurred in May, 1897, and Miss Luke claims that she has been damaged in

court, to be held in Omaha. Hollenbeck Will Mount Bench. FREMONT, Neb., Nov. 15 .- (Special.)-The following is the official vote of this the Sixth judicial district on district judge to fill the vacancy caused by Judge Sullivan's election to the supreme bench:

the sum sued for. The case will come be

fore the next term of the United States

County.	McAllister. Republican.	
Colfax		1,011
Merrick	984	880
Nance	1.266	1.427
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Savidge Draws a Crowd. WAHOO, Neb., Nov. 15 .- (Special.)-Rev Charles W. Savidge of Omaha began a series of revival meetings in the Methodist church expect to get a fine flavor from Postum. It in this city last evening. Mr. Savidge is tion; south winds. must be allowed to boil long enough to bring assisted by the Beck family, colored jubilee flavor out, and just simply setting the singers. The church was crowded to the pot on the stove fifteen minutes won't do it, doors. No doubt a great many were drawn but afteen minutes must be allowed after there by curiosity, but before the meeting in eastern portion; variable winds.

Becks are singers and talkers and Mr. Sav- SOLVING EARTH'S PROBLEMS and President Cahill of the sub-district idge is an ernest speaker. If the crowd last SOLVING EARTH'S PROBLEMS and President Cahill of the sub-district branch state union in behalf of the miners. AXEN ASKS MESERVE TO ACT tant Corbin of the War department yester- Becks are singers and talkers and Mr. Savevening was any indication there is not a building in the city that will hold the people at the end of the week.

> TRIES TO QUASH JURY PANEL Claim is Set Up that Panel is Not

Properly Drawn. TEKAMAH, Neb., Nov. 15.—(Special.)— An attempt was made at the convening of district court here yesterday by Attorney H. H. Bowes of this city to quash the jury panel drawn for this term of court.

The motion filed by Bowes was supported by an affidavit of one Singhaus, a recent adjunct to Bowes' law office in which it was claimed that the Board of Supervisors had drawn the name of one George Buck and did not include him in the sixty which formed the panel, as they considered him incompetent, and also that the board rejected several names of men who could neither speak nor understand the English language, and that the names of nonresidents were also rejected. Monday afternoon and Tuesday forenoon were spent in argument of the motion. Judge Baker, in passing on the motion, said that only ordinary discretion of the board was necessary in selecting the sixty names from which the panel was to be drawn and that no special method was prescribed by statute. A fair apportionment to each of the voting was admitted to be complied with. One thing the statute does say is that the board must select good, lawful men, but that the manner of selecting is peculiar to the board and no one has a right to question. The motion to quash was overruled.

Gathering of Nebraska Teachers. WAYNE, Neb., Nov. 15 .- (Special.)-The annual session of the Northeast Nebraska Teachers' association will convene on November 25 and continue for two days. The

program will be as follows: Friday, 10:30 a. m.: Prayer, Rev. Leeman; president's address, Child Study, Dr. O'Connel, Ponca. 1:30 p. m.; Literature, Celia M. Chase, Wayne; Anna K. Peterson, Emerson; O. A. Preston, Osmond. History Prof. Fred Morrow Fling, University of Nebraska; Civics, County Superintendent Hapeman, Dakota City; Community and (opera house): Music, vocal and instrumental; lecture and reception.

Saturday, 8:30 a. m.: Prayer, Rev. Bithel; Sensory and Motor Training (emphasizing visualization). Superintendents Kratz of Sioux City and Dovden of Stanton; Speer Method in Numbers, Miss Ellen Foster and class of children, Sioux City schools; Mathematics, Superintendents Maynard of Pouca and Stahl of Bancroft. 2 p. m.: Business meeting, music and miscellaneous topics. 8:30 p. m. (High school building): Round Table, superintendents and principals, subject, English in Schools. 1 p. m. (Methodist Episcopal church): Round Table, county superintendents, subject, "Association of Northeast Nebraska Institutes."

Thieves and Booty Captured. AUBURN, Neb., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—A daylight burglary was committed one day last week at the home of W. Zook, east of Auburn, and on Monday two brothers who reside in Brownville were arraigned as the guilty parties. They had taken blankets, lard, canned fruits and potatoes, a part of which was recovered. Mr. Zook was in the field husking corn and Mrs. Zook had gone over to her father's, but saw the parties drive into the yard and her husband soon started in pursuit.

Senatorial Candidate Announced. WYMORE, Neb., Nov. 15 .- (Special.) Hon. George Murphy is a candidate before the next legislature for the office of United States senator to succeed William V. Allen and well-informed politicians assert that he will be a factor in this interesting

Square Gardin was thronged with spectators from early in the forenoon until late at

of the county.

The jury which held an inquest over the remains of Frank Pollard today found that the young man came to his death from a pistol shot fired by his own hand. Letters were found in Pollard's pockets indicating that he had been meditating suicide for some time. So far as known Pollard had no relatives except his mother, who lives in Coventry, England

LITTLE BUSINESS FOR COURTS.

Seasions Open in Nebraska in an Un-

Class 9, six 2-year-old trotting fillies: First, Bettie Hamlin, bay, C. J. and Harry Hamlin. Class 35, seven 2-year-old hackney fillies: First, All Ablaze, chestnut, Chestnut Hill

Stock farm.

Class 44, horses in harness: First, The Whirl of the Town, bay gelding, 7 years old, C. F. Bates.

Class 17, pair of horses, 4-year-olds or over: First Water Maid and Water Cress, bay mares, 6 years old each, Lawrince Kip.

Class 6, stallions, 4-year-olds or over, for regrice. First Hatratlaw block 10 years Class 6, Stallions, 4-year-olds or over, for service: First, Helr-at-Law, black, 10 years old, C. J. and Harry Hamlin.
Class 55, horses not under fifteen hands two inches, shown before a brougham: First, Lord Chesterfield, Albert C. Boswick, 80, horses over fourteen hands one inch and under fifteen hands, up to carrying 160 pounds: First, Lady of Quality, Harvey

Ladew. Class 72, ponies, twelve hands and not exceeding thirteen hands, 3-year-olds or over: First, Jill, thirteen hands, 5 years old, P. F. Carmen, Huntington, L. I. Carmen, Huntington, L. I.
Class 67, park teams, shown before drags,
owners or members of coaching clubs to
drive, horses counting 50 per cent, drags 25,
harness 15 and liveries 10 per cent, quality
and good action and manners considered:
First, Lady Wisu.a. Lady Flavia, Lord
Chumley and Lord Chesterfield, Albert C.
Bostwick.

Bostwick.
Class 102, heavyweight green hunters, up to carrying 199 pounds to hounds, conformation counting half and jumping half: First prize, Burford, br. g., 4 years, Adam Beck, London, Ont.
Class 97, hunters capable of carrying 199 pounds to hounds, conformation and quality counting half and jumping half: First prize, Richmond, Hart Brothers, Staten Island.

Class 76, saddle horses, fifteen hands two Class 76, saddle horses, litteen hands two inches or over. 4 years old or over, up to carrying 200 pounds: First prize, American Boy, b. g., the Durland company.

(* es 64, harness tandem, the wheelers to be over fifteen hands five inches: First prize, Narragarasett and Lord Brilliant, ch. g., George B. Hulm, New York.

PREPARING FOR A YACHT RACE. Chicago and Canadian Clubs Fixing

TORONTO, Nov. 15.—Representatives of the Chicago and the Royal Canadian Yacht clubs met this afternoon to arrange a race for the Canada cup. The Chicago club was represented by W. R. Crawford, George Warrington, J. B. Berriman and C. H. Thorn. The Royal Canadian Yacht club was represented by Commodore Jarvis, G. A. B. Brown, F. M. Gray and E. H. Am-brose.

brose.

The Chicago Yacht club submitted a challenge, making the thirty-five-foot class as the class in which the races shall be sailed and August 22 as the first of the days upon which the races shall be sailed.

The meeting adjourned with all but these three points settled—time limit, course and date of race—it being agreed to arrange these by correspondence. The races will be best three out of five.

TODAY'S WEATHER FORECAST Indications Point to a Fair Day in

Nebraska with Variable Winds.

Wednesday:

Determining Exact Amount of Flattening at the Poles.

MAKING WORK AN INTERNATIONAL ONE places of the strikers.

Convention at Stuttgart Inaugurates

It-Much Else Accomplished of Value to the Scientific World.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—The work of the International Geodetic association at its Stutters conference last mouth which is Stuttgart conference last month, which is bills. expected to bear fruit of far-reaching importance to the scientific world, is announced by Mr. E. D. Preston of the United States Coast and Goodsia. states Coast and Geodetic survey, who represented this government there and who has just returned to Washington. Little publicity was given the proceedings of the conference, but an interesting report now an interesting report now an interesting fact in this connection. is about to be made by Mr. Preston. The prime object of the conference, which was in session October 3 to 12, was the measurement of the earth, and action was taken for the measurement of an are at the greater of its existence as the Bank of Spain of the measurement of an arc at the equator.

This, taken in conjunction with the measurement of an arc near the pole now under ment, but ultimately its bank bills have all way by the Swedes and Russians, will throw new light on the flattening of the earth. The comparison of the two measures will The comparison of the two measures will consist of twenty-five Spanish peseta make it possible to obtain how much shorter the polar diameter is than the equatorial, a knowledge of which is important both in the making of maps of great extent and in the "Napoleons." which have also been given a making of maps of great extent and in the solution of many astronomical problems. Ever since it was discovered some ten years ago that the latitudes of all places

on the earth are subject to a small periodic the scientific world has given more or less attention to the subject. Now the international association has determined to go to the bottom of the matter, and has planned to take up the work of continuous latitude observations at six stations, encircling the globe near the thirty-ninth parallel of latitude. This parallel passes a little north of Washington and San Francisco, through Cincinnati, and crosses Japan, Turkestan School, Jane Lemond, Stanton. 7:30 p. m. and Italy. In each one of the countries named an observatory will be erected. The three stations in each will be at Gaitherdburg, Md., Ukiah, Cal., and of course at Cincinnati, the exact parallel chosen, by a happy coincidence, passing through the regular astronomical observatory which has been established there for many years. The work will begin in the summer of 1899, and is now provided for during a period of five years. It is altogether probable, however, that in order to completely determine the secular motion of the pole, much more time will be required and a continuation of the observations for at least twenty or thirty years may be counted on. The total annual cost of the work will be about \$10,000, so that if necessity arises for prolonged investigation the association will have ample outlet for its surplus funds.

Work of the Conference.

Discussing the work of the conference, Mr. Preston said today: "An important discussion was on the difference of longitude between Paris and Greenwich. It is a curious fact, as a matter of congratulation for Americans, that the best direct determinations of the difference of time between these fundamental points on the earth's surface was that made incidentally in 1872 by the United States coast survey. It was executed as a check on two determinations of our longitude from Paris and Greenwich, respectively. The work has been directly done four times by the French and English, and has been repeatedly accomplished in an indirect way by other European surveys, showing the importance of the problem. Thanks to the efforts of the international association we may soon hope to see the present

of a new alloy steel was laid before the conference. The International Bureau of Weights and Measures at Paris has found that when a bar consists of 36 per cent nickel and 64 per cent steel the expansion from heat is only onefiftieth of what we should expect from the individual components. This discovery has a great importance in the construction of astronomical clocks, or, in fact, of any clock, since the effect will be to practically eliminate the temperature question, which has thus far been the great difficulty in obtain-

ing a uniform rate in time pieces. Nineteen countries belong to the associapublished only in French and German, but any report submitted in the language of the tion delayed. country from which it comes may be printed | It is understood that both the president in that tongue. An effort was made recently and the secretary of the treasury agree to introduce English as one of the official that this form of taxation and the revenue means of communication, but owing to the from lotteries must be abolished. comparatively small number of delegates ; good reason for excluding Spanish, which is who do not pay get little or no attention. man, and which is growing in usefulness is large. Some statistics show only one to more rapidly than either.

"Seventy years ago some learned men in pulse to the awakening interest in the size has been remedied. and shape of the earth. From this beginning the society has steadily grown in iminto an international convention in which the principal nations of the globe were represented and now stands as the world's author-

S1. PAUL SAILS THURSDAY

Will Carry Army Supplies and Fou Thousand Christmas Packages for Manila Soldiers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 15 .- The United States transport steamer St. Paul, laden with army supplies and Christmas goods for the soldiers in the Philippines, will leave here on Thursday. There are 4,000 packages for the soldiers, so Christmas will not be devoid of its Santa Claus features to the boys on the other side of the world Owing to the great ill-health of the New York volunteers now encamped at Honolulu that regiment will be sent home as soon as the method of its transportation can be decided upon. It is expected that they will arrive in this city on the 6th and 14th of December, when the steamers Australia and Alameda arrive.

Virden Company Finally Allows the Scale Demanded by the

Union Miners. CHICAGO, Nov. 15 .- The Chicago-Virden Coal company today practically acceded to all demands of the striking miners. The island, of which he says: company agrees to pay the union scale of

For Iowa-Fair; warmer in eastern por- result is looked upon as a big voctory for

President Loucks and Manager Lukens represented the coal company. The meeting lasted until late in the afternoon.

The company agrees to pay 40 cents a ton for pick mining and 30 cents for machine mining. The agreement did not cover the future of the men employed to take the

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been redcemed.

The gold coins current in Cuba are the Spanish and French coins, the bulk of which

legal value of \$4.24 and decreed since the end of 1893 as legal money.

While the principal banking concerns are unanimous as to the gold standard, there is a difference of opinion in relation to the advisability of squeezing the inflation out of these gold coins, while others recommend as the only logical remedy to the situation the substitution of American currency as sole legal tender. In such an event other coins would have their proper market value. Such action on the part of the United States government would in no way interfere with present contracts, which are inva-riably expressed as payable in Spanish gold.

Force a Premium on Gold.

The premium on Spanish gold, your commissioner was informed by no less an au-thority than the president of the Spanish Chamber of Commerce of Havana, was never agreed to by the business people. Having thus arbitrarily put a premium on Spanish gold, the same authorities later put a premium on French gold. The whole thing is entirely artificial, and to continue it, in the opinion of your commissioner, would be a mistake.

A perusal of the testimony will show that

some bankers think it inadvisable to intro-duce American money at this time, while the planters are fearful lest their labor should refuse to take one American dollar instead of two Spanish dollars. The latter looks more probable, it must be granted, but if the purchasing power of the sound dollar is double that of the depreciated dollar, there will be no difficulty in the end.

A country which is fust now going through an operation involving its existence will not be likely to be seriously affected by taking this fictitious value out of the gold coins and establishing once and for all a sound currency that will be good for all a sound currency that will be good cents on the dollar, no more, no less, the world over.

Mr. Porter then takes up the question of taxation, and suggests the abolition of certain taxes, especially that known as "the consumption tax." on the killing of cattle, which is an exaction that greatly increases the price of food to the people. "This tax," says Mr. Porter, "like many others, is simply farmed out to private firms or corporations, whose emissaries in its collection become a constant menace to thrift and industry in their respective districts.

Another tax which will fall of its weight when the United States forces take control of the island is the "cedula," or head tax which varies in amount from a few cents to of the individual

Another Burdensome Tax.

Curiously enough, this tax, when not collected, becomes a greater source of injustice and annovance than when collected. It is generally allowed to run until some occasion comes for the unhappy victim of Spanish rapacity to require a public document of permit to bury a child or relative, a license to marry, a transfer of real estate, or a notarial acknowledgment. Then it is that the petty rascals in charge of public bustness bear down heavily, and unless the fines and back "cedula," and a handsome tion, of which fifteen were represented at "gratification" to the official are forthcomthe Stuttgart meeting. The proceedings are ing, the body must await interment, the marriage must be postponed, or a transac

Mr. Porter then takes up the question who spoke this language, it was considered of education. There are free public schools impracticable at present. Besides, if Eng- in Cuba, but the teachers have the right lish is so admitted, there seems to be no to take pay scholars and naturally those more widely spoken than French or Ger- The proportion of people who are illiterate forty of the laboring classes able to read and write. There can be no stable govern-Germany formed an association to give im- ment in Cuba. Mr. Porter says, until this

In regard to industrial enterprise, Mr. Porter concludes that little can be done portance. After having become national in until the sanitary conditions have been imthe land of its birth—in 1886—it was merged proved in all the industrial centers. Not only the commercial prosperity of Cuba, but to a considerable extent that of the souththe earth's figure. The next meeting will be in Paris in 1900."

depends upon destroying the germs of yellow fever which exist in the larger town. ern portion of the United States, vana and Matanzas, and which have been the cause of epidemics of this disease which have occurred in the United States during

> the last century. Mr. Porter recommends that a commission of experts be appointed, some of which shall be engineers of skill and experience, to rake a sanitary survey of Havana and Matanzas and report as to what shall be done to stamp out yellow fever in these cities, with careful estimates of cost.

Trunk Railway is Needed. Dealing with the railway system of Cuba

with the facts gathered on this subject by Commissioner Porter, he points to the advisability of immediately constructing trunk railway from end to end of the island, with branches extending north and south to the important cities and ports. In the opinion of the commissioner, from whatever standpoint it may be viewed, no one enterprise could do so much to improve the situation in the island. No revolution could have existed in Cuba if such a rail-CONCESSIONS FOR STRIKERS could have existed in Cuba it such a road had been completed by the former government, and nothing would so rapidly tend to the revival of commercial and general business as the facility for quick passage from one end of the island to the other and over branches to the seaboard cities. Mr. Porter closes his recommendations by

giving an account of laborers landing on the There is at this moment a steady demand to cents for hand work and 33 cents for machine work.

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Officials of the coal company held a meet
Cuba your commissioner received one cable the work can be obtained for these same and the work and the spots where starvation stares them in the face to the localities. Santiago. He will then go to Cienfuegos

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—Forecast for Wednesday:

For Nebraska and Kansas—Fair; variable winds.

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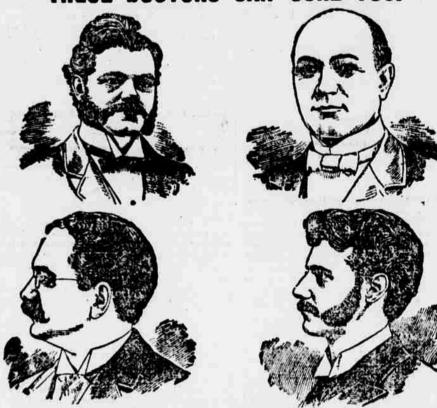
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