# THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1899.

**RAID UPON STATE TREASURY** 

Wheeler-Sheldon Grist of Curative Bills

Looks Rather Suspicious.

FURNISHES BIG PLUM FOR SOME PERSONS

Fusionists Continue Active in Their

Efforts to Fix Their Friends in

Feathered Nests for the

Present Session.

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Our success in the selling of dress goods and silks is mostly due to the promptness with which we show the new stuffs and our wonderful assortments, among the more elegant stuffs shown Monday are English Coverts, Satins Venetians, Satin Twills, Cheviots, French Crepons and Tailor Suilings.

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All wool cheviot serge, it makes a very handsome gown for any season of the year, 52 to 59 inches wide, \$1.00 a made just to All wool Mixed English Cheviot in neat,

mixed effects, exceptional value at this price, 52-inch, \$1.00 a vard. Setin Venitian, all wool, beautiful satin

spiendid values and all new gcods-40 to 55 inches wide-60c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.35 a yard.

Scotch checks, checks about one-eighth

inch square-just a neat pattern of modest colors, excellent value, 38-inch 60c a yard. Mixed Suitings, here is modest, pretti-

ness in great variety, at small cost— 38-inch—50c and 60c yard—over 75 styles to zelect from. Handsome new plaids, only 60c a yard.

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find in every grade | Are here New Crepons, new Poplius, new Coverts, |Our

new Venitians, new Cheviots, new Serges A look will tell you more. shelves and counters Handkerchiefs-Pure linen and

are unlaundered.

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Pure linen, unlaundered, plain hem-stitched, full size, extra value, at 15c or 2 for 25c

Curtains—Embroidered Swiss. 27 and 29 inches wide at 10c, 1252c, 15c, 17c, 25c and 271/2c per yard. 36-in. Swisses at 121/2c, 15c and 18c per ward. Very fine at 45c.

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Hosiery-Ladies' black cotton | New Trimmings-Finest mohair hose. With Maco soles and double toe, sole and heel-35c, 3 pair \$1.00.

Ladies' black cotton hose, with high spliced heel and double solts, in out sizes-25c pair Children's fine ribbed black cotton hose, extra good quality-25c pair, Also a very good fine ribbed cotton with double knee, toe, sole and

heel-15c pair. Corsets-

There's a difference between cor-

sets made exactly right made just to sell-the lat-

ter may wear finish, one of this season's choicest well for a few days, but fit Covert Suitings for tailor made suits- and tear will soon betray the quality.

> n our corset department we carry all the leading makes with the maker's guarantee behind each pair we sell. Consequently the corsets are made of honest goods, keep their shape, and



Choicest Piques. Dainty Ginghams. Beautiful silk striped Zephyrs. Fine corded novelties. Fast colored Madras. New Operandies. New Welts, New Dimities.

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New duck suitings, etc.

trimmings in

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patterns for skirts and waists. Also, by the yard to match. All these in strictly new styles and of choicest workmanship. We have also received a rare lot of new trimming laces in heavy applique effects. Among these are to be eeen the new Pt de Rose and Pt Venise Laces. Some exquisite patterns are to be found emong the all-overs.

Linen Specials-Mussed and soiled, ½ dozen

napkins. Monday morning we will place on sale all our mussed and soiled half-dozen napkins, regardless of cost, in all sizes and prices. One hundred and fifty

different patterns to choose from. 15 dozen mussed Towels that sold at 350 each-Monday's price, 19c Also remnants of Table Linen. Notions-Hose supporters.

The Lindsay improved self locking hose

supporter, with felt edge, button and felt covered shank, will neither slip nor tear the stocking. Ladies' belt supporters in black and white, 25c Children's Supporters, ages 2 to 12 years,

Ladies', Misses' and Children's side elastics, 1212c. 15c and 20c a pair. Ladics' Satin Belt Hose Supporters In black and colors, at 25c and 50c. Ladics' fancy frilled side elestics, at 25c

and 50c a pair. Ladies' Skirt Supporters, 15c. Silks-The new silks have ar-

rived, A revel in silk beauties for you Monday morning. Reliable stand-bys in black, that are always wanted. Filmy fabrics in the dainty new colorings and de-signs. Rich novelties for street wear

-quiet prettiness and extreme effects in stripes and plaids. Silk Waists-The new black silk waists, so popular at

all seasons of the year. are here now for your choosing at

Black silk waists with corded front and new sleeve-good value at \$5-only \$4.00.

Buffalo County Mortgage Record.

ing to \$42,920; released, 107, amount-

amounting to \$27,080; released, 59, amount-

ing to \$49,770.05; city montgages filed, 11

The collections in the county treasurer'

Fisher and His Constituents

CHADRON, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special Tele-

Federal Court Adjourns.

LINCOLN, Feb. 4 .- (Special Telegram.)-

against the city of Lincoln both went in

District Court Opens

thought that the term will not be a very

AUBURN, Neb., Feb. 4.-(Special.)-Dis

trict court convened Monday and the Argo-

Business Changes at Falls City.

**Highway** flobber Convicted.

open a term of the district court.

for the month of January

\$30,004; farm mortgages filed, 28

county

ing to \$4.524.

ing

LINCOLN, Feb. 4 .- (Special.) - The house did nothing today except the work in committee of the whole, which resulted in the killing of a bill asking for an increased fee for notarial commissions, and another bill repealing a section of the statute relating to the disposition of school fund fees in the hands of officials and uncalled for. The objection urged against the latter bill was that it was one of the Wheeler-Sheldon grist. Prince of Hall sounded the keynote when he said that these bills ought to be killed as soon as they were reached, because if they were all considered the house would have no time for other work. The suspicion has obtained in the house that the Wheeler-Sheldon bills were not

introduced in good faith and that there was a speculation behind them. One of the authors of the bills is a professional complier of statutes and the other is clerk of the state printing board. By introducing their 125 bills in each house of the legislature the state is made to pay the printing contractor about \$200 extra. Then the passage of a number of the so-called

statute revision bills would furnish an excuse to put a large number of new statutes on the market, which would furnish a neat profit for the compilers. Then there is the further suspicion that the fusion politicians are anxious to swamp the legislature with this class of bills in order to prevent the transaction of other business and neces-

sarily lengthen out the time and expense of the session. Pad the Payroll. The industry of the fusion state officials getting men on the legislative pay roll is so striking as to almost command admiration. The house takes care of a sup-

ply clerk, appointed by the secretary o state, while the senate pays for a secretary's messenger, a governor's page, a clerk and a page for the liteutenant governor. Be sides these the fusionists slipped in two

custodians and a fireman and are hunting for more vulnerable places that can be at tached by the allied forces. The manner of geting custodians on the

list has attracted some attention. At the beginning of the session a man was sent into the west end of the basement and another into the east end, with instructions to camp there as "custodians of the water closets," and with the promise that they would later be worked onto the pay roll of the legislature. The west end man held on until a few days ago, when it was found that he had been planted there by the fusion place hunters. He was discharged by the senate and a republican appointed to the place. The man who is in the east basement and who is charged up to the house is still hanging on, although the record shows that he was one of the employes o the 1897 session and that he was one of the beneficiaries of the raid made on the legislature in December, when the legislative halls were being "fixed up" for the present session.

The exposure of this "fixing up" game as published in The Bee this morning, attracted much attention among the members today, and hereafter the bills of that sort that come in will be inspected with unusual care. The condition of the printing contracts showed that there was a plan to

stitute a city of the second class-5,000 to 10.000 Senator Fowler introduced S. F. 62, a bill o amend the Code of Civil Procedure relating to replevin in justice courts. The jurisdiction of a justice court is limited to ults of \$200 or less. The present law provides that in replevin suits appraisers must be appointed to appraise the property and if they find it to be of a value exceeding \$200 the justice shall at once transcript the case to the district court. This bill adds another provision that if the appraisers value the property at less than \$200 and the case goes for trial, but the jury (or court, if jury is waived) finds the value of the property involved to be in excess f \$200, the justice shall not enter judgment, but shall at once transcript the proceedings to the district court.

#### Procedure in Trial Cases.

S. F. 24 is the bill introduced by Talsot of Lineaster relating to procedure in the trial of cases. By it part ill of section 283 of the Civil Code is amended to give defendants the right to interpose a demutter in the trial of causes, after the plaintiff has closed the introduction of his estimony, on the ground that no cause of action has been proven, but if the demurrer is overruled the defendant may proceed to introduce his testimony and not be ompelled to stand on his demurrer

Prout of Gage introduced S. F. 31, which simply seeks to amend the present law relaive to the giving of undertakings in appeal cases. The bill provides that at least one of the sureties shall be a resident of the county in which the action is pending Guaranty company bonds, however, are prorided for in case appellant desires to giv that kind of a bond.

S. F. 55, by Talbot of Lancaster, was inroduced to cure a defect in the passage of the same law some years ago by adding a proper repealing clause to the old law, but in committee of the whole was slightly amended to allow judges of the district court until the second Tuesday in January to fix the terms of court for the coming year. The present law says they must fix the terms of court for the year on the first day of January. The reason for the change was to allow incoming judges every fourth year to fix their own terms of court for that year instead of the outgoing judges doing it for them.

S. F. 52. 86 and 58, also passed today, with the five just above mentioned, are all curative acts, attaching proper repealing clauses to the former acts and do not change the law as it at present exists.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE HOUSE. Labor Bill by Sturgess of Douglas

Recommended for Passage. LINCOLN, Feb. 4 .- (Special.)-Standing ommittees reported this morning placing

H. R. 68, 252, 136, 184, 54 and 53, and S. F. 50 on general file, and indefinitely postpor ing H. R. 293 and 178.

H. R. 53 is the Zellers bill changing the Australian ballot law, and H. R. 54 is the bill providing for machine voting. 11. 11. 68 is Beverly's bill to prevent the employment of child labor. H. R. 136 Is by Lane of Lancaster, making a slight amendment to the law providing for the organization of new counties and the location of county seats. H. R. 184 is the Olmsted bill to prevent corrupt practices at elections. H. R. 178, indefinitely postponed, was by Zellers, covering the same subject as the Olmsted bill, and H. R. 252 and 292 authorized precincts, townships, cities of the second class, and villages, to vote bonds for internal improvements and H. R. 252 was sent to the general file, while the other bill was indefinitely postponed. S. F. 59 authorizes the

transfer of certain funds in the state treasury into the general fund. The house went into committee of the whole with Cox of Douglas in the chair.





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anted to run home over Sunday and many Secretary Stewart and Supreme Counselor of them were absent on these days if the F. M. Tyrrell were present from Lincoln senate remained in session.

ffice he now holds he did so under the belief that this was to be a business session. He would like to go home occasionally as well as anyone, but lived so far away he

could not do so, being therefore left in Lincoln at great expense during these adjournments. Reynolds of Dawes agreed with Sen-

H. R. 115, by Sturgess of Douglas, "to protect the association and unions of workingmen in the use of labels, trade marks

and gave forcible illustrations of benefits Currie of Custer said when he accepted the derived from the order. On a Serious Charge.

BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special Telegram.)-Sheriff Nelson returned home tonight from South Omaha with a young man named Fender, who is to face a charge of assaulting Miss Ida Iryrear near DeWitt ator Currie and said that after a while if stock yards and declares he has not been the senate would make an adjournment long away from there and is innocent of the enough for the senators from remote dis- charge. The records of the office, however, tricts to get a trip home he would favor it. show that Fender was absent from the day Dunn of Colfax said as he was the youngest before the outrage was committed until the member of the senate he presumed he was day following. H. H. Jones of Clatonia, an

very low prices.

# Engine Demolishes Buggy and Occupants Are Fatally Hurt.

Union Pacific Locomotive Crashes Into Carriage Near Depot at Columbus and Vehicle is Broken Into Small Pieces.

COLUMBUS, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.) - As the first section of Union Pacific No. 1 was coming into the yards today it struck a horse and buggy at a crossing about four blocks east of the 'epot. Mrs. John Dischner, aged about 60 years, was almost instantly killed and her son, Thomas, aged about 23, was severely injured internally and is now in a critical condition. The horse was thrown about 100 feet and was so badly injured that it was killed. The carriage was broken into small pieces. Young Dischner was carried on the pilot until the engine stopped at the depot. When picked up Mrs. Dischner was still alive, but died on the way to the hospital. Coroner Metz has been sent for and an inquest will be held. The train was in charge of Conductor Mallory and Engineer Decker.

That Portion of State Makes Strong Showing of Grain and Cattle. BEAVER, CITY, Neb., Feb. 4 .-- (Special.) The thermometer reached 15 to 18 degrees below zero several days this week. Two to three inches of snow fell between here and St. Francis with a light snowfall last night. At Atwood and Herndon, Kan., five to six inches of snow fell. The weather is the

coldest for February in years. There is a large acreage of winter wheat and the prospects are splendid. There were 1,929 carloads of live stock shipped in 1898 from Atwood to Stamford, less than ninety miles of territory. The same territory shipped over 2,000 carloads of grain during Wilsonville, Neb., shipped 440 the year. carloads of stock in 1898, and is the best stock point in southwestern Nebraska. Beaver City shipped 440 carloads of grain \$447,915.33. in 1898 and Danbury 424 carloads. Fifty thousand acres of alfalfa are growing in the Beaver valley.

WOMAN'S CLUB AT FREMONT.

Grip and Cold Weather Interferes with the Program.

FREMONT, Neb., Feb. 4.-(Special.)-The bitterly cold weather of last Saturday and years. It will be seen that the real estate the prevalence of the grip materially interfered with the program of the Woman's Mrs. T. L. Mathews, chairman of the program committee, was very ill, as were also those who were to furnish music for the afternoon. A paper on "Child Study" was read by Mrs. L. D. Whelpley, also a

#### Weak Tired. Nervous Thousands are in this condition.

They are despondent and gloomy, cannot elcep, have no appetite, no energy, no ambition. Hood's Sarsaparilla soon brings help to such people. It gives them pure. rich blood, cures nervousness, creates an appetite, tones and strengthens the stomach and imparts new life and increased vigor to all the organs of the body.



WOMAN KILLED BY A TRAIN paper on "Fairy Tales and Fables" by Mrs. county petitioned the commissioners to J. W. Richards. These were followed by a grant an election to vote on a proposition discussion on "Profitable Amusements for to issue \$10,000 in five-year county bonds, Children." but the board refused to call the election The Choral union of Fremont is now re-It is understood that the present board will hearsing nightly for the rendition of the issue the call and it is believed the bonds comic opera "Pinafore" on February 14, C. will carry. A. Gilbert of Chicago is drilling the prin-

cipals and chorus. The union has been un-HORSE HURLED HUNDRED FEET FROM TRACK der the direction of Prof. Bliss of the Normal, with Mrs. Jean Boyd as planist.

LONG RUN OF COLD WEATHER.

Mercury Reaches a Minimum Twenty-One Degrees Below Zero. HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 4 .-- (Special.)amounting to \$28,112; released, 14, amount-The mercury-sank lower this morning than at any other time this winter. At 6:30 a.m.

it was twenty-four below zero. NORTH LOUP, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)office for Buffalo county during the month The last ten days have been the coldest exof January were the largest in any month in the history of the county, amounting to perienced here for many years. The temperature has ranged from four above to \$49,857.36. eighteen below zero and only once during the ten days did it get above the zero mark

Occasional light snows have fallen. gram.)-Representative Fisher will hear BEAVER CITY, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special from Chadron before the next ballot for Telegram.)-Last night was the coldest of United States senator Monday, Certain rethe year, the thermometer registering publicans of this city are stirred up over twenty-two below zero. the senatorial situation and as the result of GENEVA, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)-This

a conference today a request was sent to morning mercury reached fifteen de-Representative Fisher tonight urging him grees below zero, the coldest for this winto support Judge Hayward for United States ter. The sun is shining this morning for senator and denying that the sentiment here the first time this week. is for Thompson as indicated by the fact ST. EDWARD, Neb., Feb. 4.-Special.)--Last night was one of the coldest nights that eight of the so-called fourteen republicans in Lincoln at the present time from

experienced here this winter, the GROWTH OF SOUTHWEST NEBRASKA thermometer registering twenty-four dethis city are for Thompson. grees below zero.

HARVARD, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)-Weather Observer John T. Fleming reports last night the coldest of the season, the mercury being fourteen degrees below zero. The coldest weather at any former time this winter, as measured by the government thermometer, was eleven degrees.

for new trials. The jury today brought in **Richardson and Platte Mortgages.** FALLS CITY, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)a verdict against Vanderburg for using the mails for the purpose of fraud. The court following is the mortgage record of Richardtook the case of the First National bank of son county for the month of January: Chariton against Fitzgerald under advise Farm mortgages filed, 38, amount, \$44,168; satisfied, 35, amount \$70,528.77, city mortgages filed, 6, amount ment. city mortgages filed, 6, amount, \$457,000; satisfied, 5, amount, \$186,500. Chattel mort-Large Elevator Nearly Completed. gages filed, 34. amount, \$11,465; satisfied 64. amount, \$57,983. Totals for the year ST. EDWARD, Neb., Feb. 4.-(Special.)- amount, \$57,983. Totals for the year 1898 are as follows: Farm mortgages filed, 26, amount, \$412,560; satisfied, 280, amount, \$417,915,72 P. D. Smith's elevator is being pushed to completion as fast as the lumber arrives. It

will have a capacity of 40,000 bushels, with Town and city mortgages filed, 122, amount, \$43,446.97; satisfied, 125, amount, \$51,346.33, Chattel mortgages filed, 756, amount, \$464,782.88; satisfied, 527, amount, a sheller attachment. The motor power will be furnished by a twenty-one horse-power gasoline engine.

\$440,795.71. entertainment and supper last night. COLUMBUS, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)-Following is a copy of the mortgage record was debated and the affirmative won.

for Platte county for the month of Janu ary and is the best record in a number of releases exceed the amount of filings by al-

most \$40,000. Thirty farm mortgages filed, amounting to \$85,024.65; seventy-three released, worth \$69,502.15; town and city mortgages filed, nine, aggregating \$4,925; the same number long one, as there are fewer cases on the docket for this term than for several years. released, worth \$10,668. The chattel record shows sixty-one mortgages filed, worth \$30,-549.03, and fifty-six released, worth \$22,bright murder trial will come up. A change 206.25. There was only one deed in fore closure filed during the month. of venue will probably be taken.

Farmers' lustitute at Wahoo FALLS CITY, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)-Two changes in business firms took place WAHOO, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.) - A farmers' institute will be held in this city this month. Frank Uhlig has February 23 and 24. The speakers from chased the hardware stock of W. S. Korabroad are L. D. Stilson, who will conduct ner and George Fallstead has become pro the session; C. A. Whitford and G. S. prietor of the meat market formerly owned Christy. C. C. Furney, president of the by F. P. Eversole. Mr. Korner has con organization of this county, and F. C. ducted the hardware store for the last fif forter, secretary, are completing a program teen years. Mr. Eversole will become and making all other arrangements to have resident of Omaha. the best institute ever held in this state.

Court Bouse at Auburn.

BEAVER CITY, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special Telegram.)-Albert Young of Arapahoe was convicted in the district court today of highcourt house in this county. Some weeks way robbery and will be sentenced to a term since over one-half of the voters of the in the penitentiary on Monday.

addle as much expense as possible on the and session and the "house cleaning" developments prove that the attack is to come from all directions. ommended for passage.

What it Costs.

To give some idea of the expense incurred in getting the legislative halls in shape for session it is necessary to go to the follows: records to find what was paid out last session for janitors and custodians, whose duty KEARNEY, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)-The t was to take care of the rooms, keep them manded for two, shall be paid in by the following is the mortgage report of Buffalo clean and leave them in good shape for the Chattel mortgages filed, 145, amount-

next session. The legislature of 1897 employed twenty wo janitors and custodians for this work at total cost of \$4,826. Besides these they question in the Broatch-Moores case. had employed by the year six men whose On motion of Prince of Hall the bill was duty it was to keep the building in order recommended for indefinite postponement. and the pay for these for two years has H. R. 92, by Weaver of Richardson, was amounted to about \$7,200, But the rooms recommended for passage. The principal seem to have been in such a frightfully bad condition that the secretary of state employed \$1,274.50 extra help in November and December to "clean up" the rooms, the bills board shall, at their regular meetings, make to be paid by the present legislature. The

the principal of the fund derived from the committee on accounts and expenditures has sale of said lands then in the treasury already allowed \$782.50 of these bills and is but none of said funds shall be invested or investigating the balance. loaned except on United States or state se-A tabulated statement of the expense of

keeping the state house clean, which must include the pay for the arduous labors of the twenty-two men of last session would be as

Salary 22 men 1897 session....... Salary 6 janitors, two years...... Bill for "fixing up" allowed...... Bill for same being investigated.... 7,200,00 782.50 492.00 \$13,200.50 Total

None of this expense could have been made necessary because of the balls and receptions held in the state house during the last two years, for in each case of this kind the regular janitors received extra pay for Federal court adjourned today at noon for cleaning up the halls. Were it not for the a two weeks' vacation, after having tried heavy drain on the taxpayers the janitor several cases of importance. The damage bills incurred by the present Board of Pubcases of Mrs. Stoddard and Mrs. Snyder lie Lands and Buildings would look ridicufavor of the plointiffs, but the city will ask lous.

No new bills were introduced in the house today, indicating that the bill factory is beginning to run on short hours and may soon close down. Some of the members are expected to come back from home with new bills Monday, but it is believed that the del uge of "by request" bills is about ended

The high number is now H. R. 432, and the printers are caught up to No. 306. In the session of 1897 the house put in 656 bills without any aid from a "statute revision" syndicate.

#### Work of the Senate.

The only new bills introduced in the sen-The Good Templars held an enjoyable ate today were the four supplementary rev-The enue bills by Van Dusen of Douglas, cutting question "Resolved, That the Earth is Flat' down the maximum amount that can be levied for certain purposes. It is understood, of course, that these measures cutting down the grip, came in. OSCEOLA, Neb., Feb. 4.-(Special.)-Judge Bates will be here next Monday to

the amounts that may be levied to meet the various public expenses of the state depend entirely upon the passage of one of the rev enue bills increasing the grand assessment roll of the state from \$167,000,000 to \$600,-000.000

The bills introduced today by Senator Van Dusen reduce the maximum amount that may be levied, upon vote of the electors of the district, for the purpose of buying school S. F. 86, 52, 81, 62, 24, 31, 58 and 55.

sites and erecting school houses thereon, from 10 mills to 2 mills. The levy for general purposes in carrying on the schools, aside from bonded indebtedness and the fund His motion was seconded by Canaday of above mentioned, is reduced from 25 mills to Kearney, but Van Dusen of Douglas was on his feet at once to offer an amendment mak 8% mills. Again it is provided that the ag-

gregate school taxes for all purposes shall not exceed 1 per cent of the assessed valuation instead of 2 per cent. Taxes for town purposes are reduced as follows: For roads, from 2 mills to one-half of 1 mill; for

as there were now on general file thirty-six bridges, from 2 mills to one-half of 1 mill; bills to be considered and disposed of. In for all other purposes, from 3 mills to 1 mill. reply, Senator Schaal said experience had S. F. 81, which was passed by the senate taught that it was an absolute waste of time this morning, was introduced by Owens of Dawson. It simply makes the law relat- to hold both Saturday and Monday sessions, ing to cities of the second class uniform and that either the Saturday or the Monday as to the number of inhabitants that con- session ought to be omitted as members ance of its second anniversary. Supreme Ferry St., Buffalo, N. Y.

other forms of advertising goods manufactured by members of such associations and union," was considered and rec-

H. R. 11, one of the Wheeler-Sheldon bills, calculated to repeal section 1 of article thought the senators might put in a few ii of chapter lxxx of the Compiled Statutes more hours daily rather than get behind on The section intended to be repealed reads as the general file. He was a farmer and got up "That all unclaimed fees and early. He grew tired of waiting till 10 costs which have been paid and not ne-'clock every morning to begin work. In reply Senator Van Dusen said that if justice or clerk of any court under whose he considered senate bills for two hours control such unclaimed fees and costs muy

each evening in his room at the hotel and be, to the school fund of the respective met with the judiciary committee at 9 o'clock county where such moneys belong." This each morning to formulate reports, as he was was the section which was brought into doing each day of the session, he though he would not complain of the work. How

ever, if Dunn wanted the sessions to begin at 7 a. m. he (Van Dusen) would agree to be on hand.

Senator Dunn offered to "swap joba" with section of the bill reads as follows, relatthe senator from Douglas, deeming the ing to school lands and funds: "The said honor obtained from securing the chairmanship of such an important committee a the neccessary orders for the investment of full compensation for the extra labor incurred. The amendment fixing Monday at 11 o'clock as the time for adjournment prevailed, only four votes being recorded in

the negative. curities and registered county bonds. The After the joint session the parleying on provision of this act in relation to the adjournment was resumed. Currie of Cuspayments of interest upon the purchase ter moved that the scoate take a recess till money of any lands sold shall apply to all

2:30 o'clock. Schaal of Sarpy offered an future payments of interest upon sales of amendment that the senate adjourn. Roll land heretofore made in this state." The call was demanded on the amendment. It bill also repeals section 21 of article i of received 13 ayes and 14 nays. Talbot o chapter lxxx of the Compiled Statutes. Lancaster tried to have his vote changed

H. R. 167, by Moran of Platte, amended from nay to aye after the result was anthe law relating to notaries public so a nounced, but was ruled out of order. Roll to entitle the secretary of state to 35 fee call on the motion to take a recess till for the issuance of each commission, and the 2:30, however, only received eight affirmacounty clerks to \$2 additional. The bill tive votes to seventeen against, many senawas indefinitely postponed after the argu tors reversing their former vote. Senato mont had been made by a number of mem Schaal renewed his motion to adjourn, and bers that there was no profit in the office it carried, upon which the senate adjourned of netary public, most of the work being till 11 o'clock Monday. done for accommodation, and that the high fee proposed by the bill would prevent many Gage County Mortgage Record.

from taking out commissions and would WYMORE, Neb., Feb. 4.-(Special.)work a hardship, especially in the sparsely The mortgage record for Gage county for settled portions of the state. the month of January, which shows a After the adjournment of the joint continuance of releases over filings, is as fol-

vention at 12:30 the house adjourned to meet at 11 o'clock Monday forenoon.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE leased, 17; amount, \$3,677; total number mortgages filed, 75; amount, \$96,368; After Considerable Discussion Adjournment is Taken Till Monday.

number releases, 101; amount, \$109,566; excess of releases, in amount, \$13,189. LINCOLN, Feb. 4 .- (Special.)-When the senate convened the roll call showed the folowing senators absent: Knepper of Butler SCHUYLER, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special Tele-Howard of Hamilton, Farrell of Merrick and

gram.)-Thefts of grain, stock and other Allen of Furnas. Senator Howard has a goods at Knollin's sheep ranch became so standing excuse owing to the illness of his frequent that the foreman investigated son and Senator Knepper was excused for with the result that George Strunk was artoday by the senate of yesterday. Before rested and fined for stealing corn. John adjourning to the house for the joint ballot Redman is under \$200 ball for the same Senator Allen, who has been suffering with

After dispensing with the reading of the them from Rogers. journal, Chairman Fowler of the committee on municipal affairs recommended S. F. 133

reports were furnished. Several bills

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ing it 11 o'clock Monday. In explanation of his amendment Senator Van Dusen said he thought the senators were here to do business and he favored staying in the harness at work, especially

"baby" and wanted to go home occa- uncle of the girl, who has been deeply sionally. He thought the senators near Lin- interested in the search for Fender, is coln who could slip home on these short highly pleased over his success. When adjournments ought not to oppose allowing some one told Fender of the feeling against those farther away and with poorer railroad him in the neighborhood of the girl's home connections like privileges occasionally. He he became decidedly nervous.

### **Notes from West Point**

WEST POINT, Neb., Feb. 4.-(Special.)-Postmaster A. L. Krause has sold his real estate and loan business to E. P. Walker. The latter also succeeds Hon. Urlah Bruner in his law practice, Mr. Bruner having retired.

Gambling was stopped in West Point this week by the marshal. It has been tried similarly before without success.

#### Business Men Will Organize.

HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 4.--(Special.)→ There is considerable talk among the business men of organizing a commercial club. The object of this organization will be to get factories and large establishments located here and push all good propositions and work for the interest of Hastings in general.

#### Plow Factory for Hastings.

HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)-It is thought that Hastings will soon have a plow factory. H. S. Ball of Ottumwa, Ia. has been making inquiries in Hastings in regard to a good location for erecting a plow factory and has expressed his intention of coming here before spring.

## Drug Company Changes Hands.

ST. EDWARD, Neb., Feb. 1 .-- (Special Telegram.)-T. Hahn and James McClintock of Albion bought the Brink Drug company stock at a private sale this afternoon. Mr McCliatock will have charge of the prescription department and will put the business on a good financtal basis.

## Gage County Teachers Meet.

BLUE SPRINGS, Neb., Feb. 4.-(Speial.)-The Southern Gage County Teachers' ociation will meet at the High school building in this city this afternoon and notwithstanding the cold weather a large number of teachers is expected to be present.

The emailest things exert the greatest in-fluence. De Witt's Little Early Risers are lows: Farm mortgages filed, 62; amount unequalled for overcoming constipation and \$92,571; released, 84; amount, \$105,889; city liver troubles. Small pill. best pill, safe pill. mortgages filed, 13; amount, \$3,797; re-

#### Soldier Dangerously Ill.

WYMORE, Neb., Feb. 4.-(Special.)-Private O'Connor of the First Nebraska, who recently arrived from Manila, is now at the home of his mother in this city with severe case of fever, and the doctors entertain little hope of his recovery.

# A TEACHER'S DUTY

#### Extends to Food and Drink.

I noticed two of my little pupils, brother offence. It is reported that plans were laid and sister, when reaching up for a book or trembled more or less from the fingers to the shoulder.

Falls from Lofty Seat. HASTINGS. Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)

total

Fay Myer met with an accident yesterday that may prove fatal. He was riding down East Third street upon a load of straw when the wagon was upset and he was thrown with great force upon the pavement. His head struck the asphalt and he was unconscious for some time. It is not known whether he will recover from his injuries

Grain Thieves Are Caught.

Tramps Steal Clumsily. HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special Telegram.)-J. Devine and L. Vencil, two tramps, were given jail sentences today of thirty and ten days respectively by Justice Howard. They were caught stealing shoes from Kirby & Day.

## Lodge Celebrates Anniversary

HARVARD, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special.)-Last evening lodge No. 4, Sons and Daughters of Photection, gave a most enjoyable banquet, with literary program, in observ-

to drive away a carload of sheep and ship any article that I desired to hand to them. I finally concluded this was not shyness aut was really some physical trouble, and upon inquiring I discovered that they were in the habit of drinking coffee every morning for breakfast. I warned the children to leave off the coffee, for I knew it was the cause of their trouble and would ruin them if continued in. I always urge children to Postum Food Coffee, for I know that to

be healthful, strengthening and a perfectly natural liquid food. A short time thereafter the little felks spoken of were entirely well of their slight palsy."

It is a distressing state of affairs where parents permit children to use ordinary coffee.

Many cases have come to my notice where the taste of Postum was not liked, but in all such cases the dislike arises from the failure to broperly boil it. It is a very tasteless liquid when underboiled and a very de-

licious, strong, rich, satisfying coffee when boiled long enough to bring out the flavor and food value .- Dr. Helen Coe, 267 W.

120 and 127 for passage. No other committee third reading were placed upon their final passage and passed without opposition, as all were measures over which there was no contest. The list of bills passed consists of

After the passage of the bills Schaal of Sarpy moved that when the senate adjourn or not.