Congressman Mercer Fares Badly at the spective branches. Hands of the House.

Appropriation for Blair is Shelved and There is a Probability that it Will Stny So.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 .- (Special Telegram.)-Chairman Mercer of the public site bills and when adjournment came some who hold the newly created offices of adrunning high into the millions and giving affairs. reported, among them Kearney in Greene's the document public. district and Plattsmouth in Strode's bailithem from failure and this was the condinoon. Mercer at once moved that the committee rise and proceed to consideration of bills on third reading, which prevailed,

The bill for Newport News was passed and Mercer called up the Blair bill and then ration. It says there were only two wit trouble commenced. Greene of the Sixth Nebraska, who saw the forlorn position the Kearney bift occupied, at once began a syst surgeon, who made the report regarded as tematic fillbuster. Although Dockery of the most sensational, forwarded to the com-Missouri was heading the movement, Greene | mission by General Miles. pulled the wires. Strode of the First Nebraska united with Greene in a determination to have all the bills reported considcred in committee of the whole and he joined the anti-pork receivers to preventing the passage of any bills unless Plattsmouth had a chance. So persistent was his opposition that Mercer finally moved to go into committee of the whole and another batch of bills came out of the hopper. Then the committee rose and Blair again came

up for consideration. By this time the temper of those who could not get their bills considered became ugly and fillbustering was resorted to to prevent further consideration unless an agreement could be obtained to consider all the reported bills. No such agreement was reached at the time of adjournment, so that unless another day is secured there will be no public buildings authorized by the house except at Newport News, Va., and Altoona, Pa., the latter bill being on the calendar of unfinished business.

Senator Allen today introduced a bill for the purchase of a site and erection of a public building at York, Neb., to cost \$20,000.

So pronounced has the opposition grown to the continuance of Colonel Stotsenberg with the First Nepruska that Senator Affien teday sent a letter to the secretary of war, requesting that Stotsenberg be detached from the regiment and ordered to join his regiment of regulars. This action, the sennior said, was taken at the instance of the Thurston Rifles' association of Omaha, of

which Cadet Taylor is president. It is learned that John Brennan of Rapid City, S. D., will shortly succeed Agent Clapp at Pine Ridge, S. D. Major Clapp is in poor health and desires to round out his career in military service. He tried to in- pension from the army was developed today duce officials to permit him to name his on inquiry at the War department. Al successor but to this they would not agree. though General Eagan has been suspended It is understood that Representatives- without rank or duty, he still remains comoble and Burke have recommended W. S. Warner of Deadwood to succeed his pay of that office, and there is no way in father, late receiver of the Rapid City land which he can be displaced until he is re-There were a number of candidates for the place, including Max Haehn and

John Patton, both of Sturgis, S. D. Privates Arthur L. Fairchild, Company H. and William F. Bannister, Company G. Third Nebraska regiment, have been ordered discharged.

An order was issued establishing a postoffice at Shamrock, Hand county, S. D., with William Butts as postmaster. Representatives Gamble and Burke leave for South Dakota tomorrow.

LARGER OUTPUT OF SMALL ARMS.

Present Facilities Insufficient to the

Needs of the Army. WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Provision for increasing the supply of small arms to 2,000 stands a day undoubtedly will be made in the army appropriation bill. The matter was considered today by the military committee of the house, which is framing the bill, and Major Shaler of the ordnance department explained the proposed increase of facilities. At present the armory at Springfield even on double appropriation and double time cannot supply small arms as fast as the army requires.

The War department therefore recommends an appropriation of \$350,000 for the equipment of a small arms plant at the Rock Island armory. The buildings and power are already there and with the machinery and fixtures the government output of small arms can be brought up to 2,000 stands a day, and the demands of the service



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MIX ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS met. Although final action was not taken, the United States, forfeiting all pay and although final action was not taken, the United States, forfeiting all pay and although final action was not taken, the United States, forfeiting all pay and although final action was not taken, the United States, forfeiting all pay and although final action was not taken, the United States, forfeiting all pay and although final action was not taken, the United States, forfeiting all pay and although final action was not taken, the United States, forfeiting all pay and although final action was not taken, the United States, forfeiting all pay and although final action was not taken. The property of the party of the property of the party of the property of the property of the property of the party of the property of the party of the property of Surress General Sternberg and General

Grecier also were heard today on their re-

WAR C. M. MISSION CONCLUDES STRODE AND GREENE UNITE TO OPPOSE neet Condemned by Miles to Be Found Suitable for Use in

Emergency.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 .- The War Investigating commission has now completed of the president tomorrow. The committee held a session today that extended well four pages of it had been disposed of it into the afternoon, going over details. To was faid aside for the day. A few measmorrow the members of the commission will | ures of minor importance were passed. buildings and grounds committee of the house | meet at the old offices, formally attach their had ample opportunity today to appreciate signatures to the original document and the ungratefulness of his colleagues and to proceed in a body to the executive mansion | Colo., at \$125 per acre for city purposes was marvel much at the temper displayed toward to inform the president that they have com- passed at the opening of today's session of some of the measures reported by his com- picted their mission and present their remittee by those who had failed to come in port. The commission then will cease to for their share of "pork," All day yester- exist. Its quarters will be vacated im- on printing a joint resolution appropriating day the bouse in committee of the whole mediately and will be taken possession of \$4,200 for the publication of maps and texts had under consideration public building and by General Kennedy and Major Watkins, of the surveys made last summer in Alaska eighty bills had been reported for passage, visers to the War department on colonial mediate consideration. The request precipi-

localities in thirty-eight states public build- | The report of the commission is a voings and sites. Those who had failed to be luminous document of 150 printed pages, taken care of in the general scramble and Each member has been provided a printed in the distribution of "pork," as it has come copy to retain and arrangements have been to be called, made such a howl that late made that the president will have as many the late Senator Morrill on February 22, imlast night some twenty additional bills were printed copies as he wishes when he makes

The report makes an important feature of So far down, however, were they the beef issue and dismisses as a general on the list that only a miracle would save proposition the charges that have been made against the beef furnished the army. tion they were in when the house met at finds, it is understood, that most of the beef was such as could be properly furnished as an emergency ration, pointing out that the evidence showed it never was in tended to be anything but an emergency nesses who really testified against the beef, General Miles and Major Daly, the chief

As to the testimony of these two wit nesses, the commission, it is understood goes on to point out the mass of evidence submitted to the contrary, as offsetting this testimony. As to such of the canned beef as was found to be objectionable, the com mission points out the effect of the tropical climate in producing liquefaction of the fat in the meat and the consequent render ing of the contents unpalatable. Most of the beef, though, was found to be satisfactory for emergency use where fresh beef or beef on the hoof could not be procured.

The strictures of General Miles made public on the beef and his public expressions in other ways, it is understood, are subjected to a severe criticism. The methods and manner of loading the transports in General Shafter's Cuban expedition also discussed and responsibility placed for the results.

The report says the evidence shows that Secretary Alger exercised proper diligence and supervision and that his subordinates also were efficient, experienced and faithful. The commission is a unit of its report and there is no minority report. the cutset the committee divided it self into subcommittees for the considera tion of branches of the main subject of in quiry. The sub-reports will be added to the principal statements of conclusion.

EAGAN WILL DRAW HIS PAY His Suspension Does Not Affect His

Title or His Place on the Government Pay Roll.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 .- An interesting fact in connection with General Eagan's susmissary general of the army, drawing the tired.

In this the army differs from the pays

In that branch of the service such staff an pointments are made for a term of four years, at the end of which time the incumbent may be changed or reappointed. the army the appointment is the remaining term of service. This was decided in the case of Judge Advocate General Swaim a number of years ago. Though suspended from the army for twelve years he continued to be the judge advocate general, although his duties were performed by Acting Judge Advocate General Liebert, the present incumbent of the office, and this state of things continued for nine years, during all of which time General Swaim continued to draw full pay while his deputy drew only the pay corresponding to the lower rank. General Eagan is still in Washington and the acting commissary general, Colonel John Westton, is sick in New York, never having been able to take his place in Washington.

REGULARS NOT YET RELEASED

Soldiers Enlisted "for the War" Must Await the Exchange of Peace Ratifications.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.-It was said at the War department today that the decision respecting the status quo in the Philippines and the restrictions imposed on Amerian operations there also covers the question of the disbanding of the army. There is quite a large proportion of the increase of the regular army that was mustered in 'for the war' with the specific pledge that on the return of peace these men, although regulars and mustered in nominally for three years, would be given their discharge

at any time on their own request. If advantage were generally taken of this pledge by the department it would seriously deplete the American forces in the field, but the time for the redemption of the promise has not yet arrived, and, according to the ruling of the department the war continues until after the exchange of ratifications of the peace treaty by the two countries After that the end of the war in all probability will be formally announced by executive proclamation, as was the declaraion of the war last spring.

APPOINTMENTS SENT TO SENATE. Sumber of Additions in Treasury De-

partment Are Submitted. WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 .- The president oday sent the following nominations to the

Treasury-Charles J. Bell, to be assistant reasurer of the United States at New Orleans; F. W. Gibsen, surveyor port of New Orleans; Frank N. Wicker, appraiser of merchandise, district of New Orleans; J. H. Ducote, assistant appraiser of merchandise New Orleans: D. Duilley Coleman, melter and refiner of the mint at New Orleans; George W. McDuff, of Louisiana, special exminer of drugs, medicines and chemicals New Orleans; William B. Howell of New Jersey, to be general appraiser of merchan-

Army-To be brigadier general regular army, Colonel William Sinclair, Seventh ar-

signed.

to succeed George H. Sharpe, re-

Also come-promotions of minor character in the volunteer army and in the navy,

Military Sentence for Murder. WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Private James Ellis, Company I, North Carolina volunteer infantry, having been tried and found gullty of murder by a general court-martial convened at Macon. Ga., was sentenced to be dishonorably discharged from the service of

approved and the United States pentientlary at Fort Leavenworth, Ran,, designated as

ALASKAN SUBVEYS PUBLISHED

Senate Also Restores Pensions to Veternes Who Re-Enter Service. WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.-The senate confined fixelf largely to the transaction of cutine business tolay. The Indian appropriation bill, which has been pending for several weeks, was completed and passed its labors and its report will be in the hands. The legislative, executive and judicial approprintion bill was taken up, but after twenty A bill granting a tract of 160 acres of land to the mayor of Victor, El Paso county,

Mr. Doige reported from the committee by the geological survey, and asked for imtated a lively discussion, in which Mr. Wolatt criticised the appropriations. The res-

nion, however, was adopted. Mr. Ross of Vermont gave notice that he would ask the senate to pay its tribute to mediately after the reading of Washington's farewell address.

A bill was passed to restore pensions to soldiers who had forfelted them by enlistment in the war with Spain.

Mr. Pettigrew presented an amendment to

the bill, his measure for the restoration to the Sisseton and Wahpeton bands of Sloux Indians of their annuities. This question has been before the senate for several years. Mr. Allison made a point of order against he measure that it was not legislation and had no place in an appropriation bill. In discussing the point of order Mr. Pettigrew made a strong appeal to the senate to carry out its agreement with the Indians. He declared that if an equal number of white citizens had been treated as cruelly and heartlessly as these Indians have been by congress it would have aroused the indignaion of the world. Mr. Allen advocated the amendment.

Mr. Davis urged the acceptance of the mendment. Mr. Allen said that while he was willing

it any time to debate the question, it was clearly a matter of new legislation and he nust insist upon the point of order. The chair sustained the point of order holding that the amendment was undoubtedly new legislation and as such was ab noxious to the rule. The bill was then passed.

Mr. Cullom called up the legislative, excutive and judicial appropriation bill and its consideration was begun. The bill, as eported to the senate, carries appropriations of \$23,400,977, an increase of \$17,040 over the mendment as it passed the house After completing twenty-four pages of the

ill, except the paragraph relating to the right of copyright, the bill was laid aside A bill providing for the holding of two erms each year of the United States circuit and district courts at Hammond, Ind., was passed. An order was made providing that n Saturday bills on the private pension alendar should be considered immediately upon the conclusion of morning business. In the course of the debate on the indian oill, Mr. Pettigrew made some serious reflections upon an Indiana member of the

he took occasion today to refute the charges. "It is no slight matter," said he, "for a United States senator to stand here and strike down the character of a man, however humble he may be. His reputation is as dear to him as is that of a senator. I cannot omit this opportunity to denounce the statements of the senator from South

Flathead Indian commission. Mr. Fairbanks

of Indiana was absent at the time, but later

Dakota as unfounded in fact." Substantially relterating the charges, Mr. Pettigrew said he disliked to strike at the character of any man, but he was absolutely onvinced that what was said was true and that he would let his statements stand. If se should be convinced of their injustice he would make amends.

The senate at 4:05 p. m., on motion of Mr. Pritchard, went into executive session and at 5:25 p. m. adjourned.

Indians at the White House. WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 .- A number of Inlians from the northwest called at the White House today. The Yanktons are here to few days. advance the settlement of their claims against the government arising under the the Great Northern Railway company for right of way through their reservation. The Assiniboines complain that the government has not observed the obligations of the treaty of 1851, which expires in 1901.

Correction in Death List. WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 .- A correction in esterday's Manila death list has been received at the War department which says Buncan" should read "Duncan"

Call for Bank Statement. WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The comptroller f the currency has issued a call for reports of the condition of all national banks at the lose of business February 4.

CADETS SUDDENLY LEAVE Unusual Action of Cadet Lace of Keo-

sauqua, Is., and Young Baender at West Point.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Feb. 8 .- Cadets Baender and Lace of the second class, the former of Moberly, Mo., and the latter of Keosauqua, Ia., sent in their resignations and left the military academy suddenly last night. The cause of their premature leave-taking is known only to the authorties, who decline to way anything about the matter. Baender was a valued member of the academy foot ball team, playing right end in the games last fall. Buth young men would have graduated next

Bullot on Senators. SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 8 .- Two ballots were taken for senator today, the last resulting as follows: King, democrat, 7; Me-Cune, democrat, 28; Power, democrat, 2; Nebeker, democrat, 1: Young, democrat, 2. Cannon, 9; Sutherland, republican, 12; ab-

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 8.-The eixtyeighth ballot for United States senator, taken today, shows no change in the senatorial deadlock. The vote was: Barnes, 11; Estee, 1; Bulla, 13; Burns, 23; Felion, 1; Grant, 25; Scott, 2; Bard, 2; Devries, democrat, 1; Rosenfeldt, democrat, 1; White, democrat, 28; William T. Jetter, demo-

It is said that next Friday, when Milton J. Green, manager for U. S. Grant, is called to answer the contempt charges before the bar of the assembly for refusing to answer certain questions put to him he will be sent jail if he again refuses. DOVER, Del., Feb. 8 .- Forty-fourth ballot for senator: Gray, 15; Addicks, 15; Will 2; Chandler, 11; Hillis, 1; Pennington, 4.

Doyle Must Remain in Jail. DENVER, Feb. 8 -- (Special Telegram.) --James Doyle must remain in jail until the court of appeals acts upon his application for a writ of habeas corpus. So the supreme court decided today. Doyle sued in an Iowa court and secured judgment against James F. Burns and the Portland Mining company for over \$700,000. Burns secured an injunction ordering Doyle to vacate the judgment, which he refused to do, and hence is in Little took on catarrh mailed free.

Proceedings of a Day in the Law-Making Body of the State.

ASSEMBLED SOLONS ARE HARD AT WORK

Adverse Report on the Free School Book Bill is Made in House-Futile Effort to Hold Up Special Appropriation Bills,

PIERRE, S. D., Feb. 8 .- (Special Telegram.)-In the house the free school book bill was adversely reported and the bill to fight them. On outpost our orders are to bill was adversely reported and the bill to fight them. On outpost our orders are to Judge Munger came up from Lincoln for reimburse citizens of Plankinton for money allow no natives to pass in with arms. On an hour or two Wednesday afternoon and expended in erecting a building at the December 11 a whole company of them. allowed the writ of error in the case of expended in erecting a building at the Decem'er II a whole company of them, reform school was returned without recommendation. Several revenue bills were favorably reported.

defeated. Purdin offered a resolution declaring the outposts ready to open fire. It seems they pealed from the circust court, but this is a house to be opposed to the passage of any are trying to get us to fire the first shot

after the same had been submitted to the attorney general as to its validity or the orders to keep them back if they come liability of the state. Wilmarth spoke in again. If they refuse to halt we must open favor and several against, and the resolu- fire. We have only nine men on that post tion was killed. The principal bills introduced were:

bill to enable railroad commission to carry on litigation. Davison-Providing that prisoners shall be taken to the positentiary by the attendant from that institution.

By Wilson-To remove the school of mines | Vendor of Linner to Students of Linn

By appropriations committee-Deficiency

from Rapid City to Vermillion. By Norgren-Providing a penalty for co habitation without marriage; fixing the pay of election boards at \$2 per day and 25 cents per hour for overtime. By Holdrege-Placing the sole power of court.

Hawgood-To restore the boundaries of the counties of the northwest corner or the state to what they were prior to the Brookings county last June, pleaded not act of 1897, and their incorporation into guilty. The case will be tried tomorrow. Butte county by a vote.

By Lien-Appropriating \$150 for the purpose of selecting the balance of endowment

and indemnity lands. A bill was introduced by request, without a name attached, asking for the creation of the county of Gridley out of the unorganized forty Indian witnesses in the criminal cases. counties in the northwest corner of the Deadwood is filled with court officials and state, which are not a part of the original

Butte county. The bill for the creation of the Ninth judicial circuit came up as a special order and as it developed considerable opposition it was continued till next Tuesday and made special order.

The bill for an appropriation of \$35,000 Redfield passed. An effort to hold up all special appropriation bills until after the general appropria- mie to the new one at Rawlins. A lively tion bill had been returned to the house discussion arose in the house during the was fought over for an hour, Wilmarth and consideration of house bill No. 77, relating

down. The bill for an appropriation of \$25,000 board "shall assess at its full value all live for a dormitory at Madison Normal failed stock returned for valuation." He said be for lack of a two-thirds vote, but will be | knew the amendment would not prevail, but reconsidered.

n favor of morning sessions on and after the exorbitant expenditure of public money Friday.

order for February 15. they were unnecessary and their establishnent would weaken existing institutions.

of state and county superintendents of in- and the state insane asylum were passed. struction, apportioning a dog tax on cities and towns, requiring railroads to construct crossings at all highways, providing that clerks of courts shall not receive higher salaries than county auditors, making railgardless of contributory negligence. A resolution was presented commending Kyle and condemning Pettigrew for their

stand on the peace treaty. Bills signed by the governor today: To prevent the spread of disease among swine, to reimburse Hanson county for the care of a Lyman county prisoner and a wolf bounty.

A brief is being prepared by Attorney Shunk, under the employ of Governor Lee, day by cutting his throat. No cause is ason the Phillips interest matter and will be submitted to the legislature within a children. Bills are coming before the legislature

for the establishing of an immigration bu treaty of 1872 and to secure payment of reau and for a sugar bounty of 1 cent per \$5,000 which they assert is due them from pound on beet sugar, the bounty to continue for seven years. Sioux Falls parties claim to have assurances of a factory if such a bill is passed.

> SUGAR BEETS IN SOUTH DAKOTA Official Treatise Prepared Showing

Peculiar Fitness of the Soil. ABERDEEN, S. D., Feb. 8 .- (Special.)-Prof. J. H. Shepard, director of the United States experimental station at Brookings, has contributed a valuable article on sugar beets to the December weather bureau report for South Dakota. Prof. Shepard's observation extends over a period of ten years. He states that the Sioux valley, the James river valley, the eastern Missouri valley and the northern section of the Black Hills possess the requisite climatic and soil conditions to a marked degree. "The soil is peculiarly adapted to the growth of beets rich in sacharine strength, while in the James river valley artesian irrigation will play an important part in furnishing moisture at times when most needed.

"One marked advantage this state possesses to an eminent degree is an almost ideal ripening period in the fall months. When the sugar beet has attained its growth the last or sugar producing stage is entered upon. What is required are long sunshiny days and cool nights and a scant rainfall. All these requisites are to be had from the middle of September on through a period often extending into the early days of November."

Banquet to Business Men. PIERRE, S. D., Feb. S .- (Special Telegram.)-A banquet was given to the memhers of the State Business Men's association at the Locke tonight, at which R. M. Stewart was toastmaster and responses were made by President Diamond of the association, Governor Lee, H. F. Wickham, H. H. Keith, M. H. Beebe, B. H. Lien, J. A. Pickler, John Martin and L. L. Abel. If the office of immigration commissioner

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WHAT A PROMINENT MANUFACTUR. ER SAYS OF GAUSS' CATARRH TABLETS.

Best He Ras Ever Used.

Mr. W. S. Kessler, president and manager of the Albion Malleable Iron Works, Albion, Mich., writes as follows: Mr. C. E. Gauss, Marshall, Mich: Deat Sir-"Enclosed find my check for two dollars for which please send me more of your Catarrh Tablets. They excel anything I have ever used and cannot be without them." Yours, W. S. The above testimonial is short, Kersler. but right to the point and plainly demonstrates the actual value of these wonderful tablets. Gauss' Catarrh Tablets will cure any case of cataorh, as they are asientifically prepared to act immediately upon the mucous membranes and surfaces through the system. They can be obtained at all druggists or by mail, 50c full sized package. dress C. E. Gauss, Marshell, Mich.

OUTBREAK IMPENDS FOR SOME TIME

Americans Recognize Insurgents' Efforts to Provoke Hostilities. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Feb. 8 .- (Special.)articipated in the fight at Manila, show the liberate and persistent effects of the Fillpino insurgents for several weeks to run

are daily expecting to be called out to fight the insurgents. They are very annoying and any time we want to we can commence to seventy-two men in all, came to our outposts and all had their guns ready and States district court. The total was fixed morning meetings on and after the 10th was they all came through. The last two or three days they have come clear up to our bill carrying an old or any deficiency until and then the fun will commence. We expect trouble any minute, for we have strict and it is about two miles out, and whoever is out there will have to make a running be would be all right in the morning, fight back to the reserve force. I think Wednesday of erpoon a doctor would be to that it is almost certain that we will have to fight the natives before we get back."

Vendor of Liquor to Students at In-

dinn School is Imprisoned. DEADWOOD, S. D., Feb. 8.- (Special Telegram.)-In United States court today Albert Fisher was found guilty of selling liqnor to the boys at the Indian school at distarment in the hands of the supreme Pierre and was sentenced to sixty days in Lawrence county jail and fined \$100. Otto Webber, charged with counterfeiting in Fred Keans and Frank Kelley, charged with breaking into the postoffices at Hurley and Tripp, S. D., pleaded not guilty. This case will also be tried tomorrow.

The grand jury is busy examining the witnesses from all parts of the state. Great interest is being taken in the Good Shot Indlan murder case. The grand jury will report temorrow.

Legislation Passed in Wyoming. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 8 .- (Special.)-The Wyoming house of representatives at for an asylum for the feeble-minded at last evening's session passed house bill No. 111, which provides for removing the state convicts from the old penitentiary at Lara-Stoddard supporting and Glass, Cornwell to the duties of the State Board of Equaliand Woody opposing, but was finally voted zation. Mr. Baird of Laramic county offered an amendment providing that the he offered it to show the necessity of in Thursday: In the senate a resolution was adopted some way increasing our revenues to meet forced upon the people by the stockmen in Governor Lee returned a veto on the the legislature. House bill No. 10, to in western portion; northwest winds. sills for normal schools at Aberdeen and abolish the office of state veterinarian, was Watertown and they were made a special defeated; yeas, 18; nays, 12. A bills to equip buildings at Lander for a state agri-The reason given for the veto is that cultural college, and providing a tax of oneeighth of 1 mill for the years 1899 to 1908, was passed. Bills to erect additional build Bills were passed relating to qualifications lines to the State university at Laramie

Yokum Case Up Again PIERRE, S. D., Feb. 8 .- (Special Telebe pushed by the association for the posigram.)-The Yocum murder case from Butte county is up for argument in the supreme court on application for a new trial.

William Younn killed James Barnes in a drunken quarrel and was sentenced for life two years ago and friends are now attempt.

Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1878;

Normal for the day 22

Deficiency for the day 38

Normal rainfall for the day 63 inch two years ago and friends are now attempting to secure a rehearing of the case.

DEADWOOD, S. D., Feb. 8 .- (Special Telegram.)-William Thompson, a prosperous farmer living fifteen miles north of this city on the Redwater, committed suicide yestersigned for the deed. He leaves a wife and

COAL FAMINE IN KENTUCKY

Supply in Sight Will Not Last Twenty-Four Hours-Mines Flooded and it is Eight Below Zero.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 8 .- A coal famine is threatened throughout Kentucky. T. B. Cassidy of a coal firm here, representing eleven mines in Kentucky, says to his knowledge there is not a coal supply that will last longer than twenty-four hours in any fown in Kentucky. Mines are all flooded and it is impossible to get coal. The temperature in this city is 8 degrees below zero and getting steedily colder. Only one

Arrested for Larceny.

August L. Mayer, a young Englishman employed as a solicitor in the city by several out-of-town firms, was arrented last evening Letters received from members of the First by Detectives Drummy and Mitchell on the regiment. South Dakota volunteers, which charge of grand larceny. He is said to have stolen a typewriter from the office of Dr. Coffman, Fifteenth and Farzam expects. Mayer is a well dressed young man of re pine insurgents for several weeks to run fined appearance. He is a Londoner, having on the conflict of last Saturday. The theft of the typewriter occurred Tuesday night. When returning here after an unsuccessful attempt to sell the machine in Vistor M. Dalthrop writes as follows: We Council thuffs Mayer was arrested. The ma-chine was identified by Dr. Coffman,

Appent in McCarty Case. John McCarty, who was convicted of some erfolding at the last term of the Unit A motion by Woolley to begin holding was frightened and didn't halt them, so qualified. This is the first use in the recollictliti of the atteches of the court in gone to the court of appeals from the

> Fulls and Breaks a Leg. William Corlin, 1612 Saverpart street, fell on the sidewalk Tuesday night and broke er left leg just above the ankle. He wanted into his room, but refused to per mit a surgeon o be called, see him and placed temporary applies upon the injured time after which Corlin was removed to the Clarkson hospital.

decidedly unusual proceeding.

The Advisory board yesterday afternoon refused to approve the report of the appraisers for the opening of Thirtecuth street, north of Nicholas, because the awards of damages were too high. Con-

sequently a communication will be sent to council, recommending that the street be not opened. Fought at Manila. In the published roster of Company In the published roster of Company L. First Nebraska, at Manila, the name of Frank D. Bryant was omitted. He son of Deputy County Treasurer

Dance Postnoned. Out of respect to the memory of the boys who were killed at Manila, the dance that was to have been given by the associate

members of the Trurston Rifles has been

Bryant and has been with the company

from the start.

postponed until February 24. Governor of Mississippi Very Low. JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 8.—Governor Mc-aurin is critically ill of pneumonia at the executive mansion. The disease has settled heavily on his lungs and in his present feeble condition the physicians in attendance greatly fear that he cannot stand a conernor's family have been summoned to the

TODAY'S WEATHER FORECAST North Winds Will Blow and it Will

Continue Generally Cold in This Region.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8 .- Forecast for

For Nebraska-Fair; continued cold; north winds. For South Daketa-Fair; continued cold For Iowa and Missouri-Fair; continued

cold; north winds. For Kansas-Generally fair; continued cold; north winds. Local Record. OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU.

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STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER. Omaha, clear North Platte, partly cloudy... Salt Lake, snowing

-19 --15 --2 2 Cheyenne, cloudy Rapid City, snowing Whidston, clear Chicago, clear St. Louis, snowing St. Paul, clear Davenport, partly cloudy Kansas City, clear lismarck, clealalveston, clear

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