THE OMAHA DAILY BEE. TO REACH THE BEST PEOPLE, BUSINESS MEN FIND THE BEE'S ADVERTISE IN THE BEE MARKET PAGE UNEXCELLED. SINGLE COPY THREE CENTS. OMAHA, WEDNESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 11, 1905-TEN PAGES. ESTABLISHED JUNE 19, 1871. MORE SHIPS FOR EAST STRIKE EXCITES GERMANY ALVA ADAMS IS IN OFFICE FIGHT AMONG STOCKMEN GRIST IS COMING IN NEBRASKA WEATHER FORECAST BEE WANT ADS RENT ROOMS Snow Wednesday, Thursday Fair and Over Two Hundred Thousand May Colder in West; Snow in East Por-tion. Quit Work Because of Unsat-Oath is Administered to New Governer of OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 4, 1905 .-Trouble Over Propesition to Admit Packers Some Work Already in Sight for Legisla-Ree Publishing Co., Omaha, Neb. isfactory Conditions. Russia Will Assemble Third Squadren for and Railroads to Membership. Celorado by Chief Justice. Temperature at Omaha Yesterday: tive Mill to Grind On. Gentlemen-Replying to your letter Jupanese Waters. COLOGNE, Germany, Jan 10-Both the in regard to my experience with ADDRESS OF PRESIDENT HAGENBARTH oal miners and mine owners throughout WANTS AN HONEST EIGHT-HOUR LAW advertising in your paper, will say HOUSE ALMOST DOUBLES SENATE BILLS I have been a patron of your want LOSING CONFIDENCE IN KOUROPATKIN the Roenish and Westphalien districts are 3 p. m...... 7 ft. Massault 2 columns for the last ten or eleven preparing for a general strike. So far S n. m 2 4 p. m Says that Conditions in Colorado He Tells of the Work of the Year and Whenever I have a vaaly 20,000 out of a total of 270,000 men con-YOUTS. 5 p. m..... Dedge Has a Measure for Regulation of 10 n. m...... 4 6 p. m...... 11 n. m...... 5 7 p. m...... linve Been Painted Blacker Than cant room I advertise it in The Efforts of Committee to Get cerned have gone out. The mine proprie His Order for an Advance Three Months All Party Primaries. tors began rejecting requests yesterday. Bee, and I have never had any True, but Laws Need Retter Freight Rates-Wool Ago Brings Sterm of Oriticism. 12 m..... 6 S p. m....... trouble in keeping my rooms and as soon as their replies are received the Amendment. Growers Elect Officers. 2 p. maaaaaa rented. Yours truly. ters, according to their previous deci-ALSO HAS NEW WATER BOARD MEASURE MRS. G. W. LANCASTER. EXPEDITING BOUNDARY REPORT CONSTANT QUARRELS AMONG OFFICERS sion, do not go to work when it is time for their next shift. The employers, under DENVER, Jan. 10 .- Standing beneath the 2406 Cass Street. DENVER, Colo., Jan. 10 - A hot fight has Compulsory Furchase Eliminated and New the law fixing the relations of employer and draped folds of the American flag, while roken out in the ranks of the National South Dakota Is Auxious for a Settle-Live Stock association over the question Discipline is Lax and Situation in Front of employe, are hotifying the miners to rethe walls about him and the floor beyeath Body Has Complete Control. him trembled in response to cannon that ATTEMPT TO DAMAGE STATUE ment with Its Veighbor on turn to work or be discharged with the of whether or not railroads and packers Mukden is Serieus. loss of six days' wages. The miners at roared a salute in his honor, Alva Adams the South. shall have representation on the govern-PROPOSED CHANGES IN REVENUE LAW seven Dortmun works went out today. Small Bomb Exploded Near Image of was at noon today inaugurated as governor ing board of the organization. VLADIVOSTOK WILL BE STRENG D The proprietors affirm that they are unable of Colorado. Frederick the Great at President Hagenbarth is in favor of the PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 10.-(Special Teleplan and has urged it strongly. There is to agree to the demands to include the While he stood with uplifted hand taking gram.i-In the senate today a comm Washington. Sheldon of Cass Proposes Two-Mill cation was received from ex-Governor time of going into and returning from the the oath of office, administered by Chief heavy contingent of stockmen, particu-Lessons Learned at Port Arthu Levy to Be Made Yearly for the shafts in the wage period, nor can they Justice Gabbert, at his side stood the athletic larly those from the west, who are bit- C. N. Herried, transmitting the records of WASHINGTON, Jan. 10 .- Somewhat of a terly opposed to the idea, and they are the boundary commission which located form of the ex-governor, James Peabody, Se Used to Advantage by Rt-2 make expensive alterations in the mines, Wiping Out of the because, the owners claim, Germany would sensation was caused in this city today by making the fight of their lives to keep the boundary between Nebraska and South who will tomorrow inaugurate the most sians at Northern State Debt. . thereby lose its position in the internaenergetic and bitter contest that Colorado the discovery of what appeared to be a the management of their organization Dakota, and both houses advanced the Port. has ever seen for the right to fill the posi- definite and serious attempt to blow up or tional competitive field, both in coal itself solely in the hands of men who are resolution accepting the report. tion that Governor Adams has sworn to deface the statue of Frederick the Great, actively engaged in the handling or care A communication was received from the and in manufactures by the use of coal. (From a Staff Correspondent.) Some proprietors aver that the economic administer to the best of his powers of given to the United States by Emperor of stock. These men assert that the governoor of Virginia asking the state to LINCOLN, Jan. 10 .- (Special Telegram)-ST. FETERSBURG, Jan. 10,-The William of Germany and erected in the railroads and packers have, by working provide an exhibit at the Jamestown exequilibrium is so delicate that the whole body and mind. The real business of the twenty-ninth legtoday confirms the Paris Temps' repd The inauguration ceremonies were simple arsenal grounds near the army war col- together, deprived the western stockmen of position, to be held in that state. industrial fabric of Germany can be disislature began today when twenty-one bills yesterday that the first division of me arranged, and contend that Germany could Third Pacific squadron will leave Libau at n the extreme. A few minutes before 12 lege on the Potomac river front in the good prices for their cattle; that their B. F. Williams and W. W. Boyd were were introduced in the house and twelve in o'clock Govrnor-elect Adams called at the southern part of the city. It was believed interests are not identical with those of added to the list of senate committee not, in the case of a change in price, comthe end of January and will consist of the the senate. pete with Belgian and French producers. clock Governor-elect Adams called at the at first that a crank had made a real ef- the stock breeders, and they should not clocks. The indications now are that no warships Admiral Senjavin, General Ad-Among the measures is the primary elec-Only a week's supply of coal, it is further empany him to the house of representa- fort at destruction of the statue, but after he allowed to have a voice in the man- effort will be made to push the work of miral Apraxine, Admiral Oushakoff and tion bill by Dodge of Douglas in the house assorted, is in store. The matter is caustives, where the inauguration was to be a careful investigation the police say the agement of the affairs of the stockmen. the session until after the recess adjournand another by the same author for the Nicholas L the cruiser Vladimir Monoing a tremendous discussion in the press, be held. Arm in arm the two men, Pea- material used was incapable of producing The advocates of the plan to admit the ment, everything being allowed to go mach and several torpedo boat destroyers revision of the law regulating Omaha's most of the influential newspapers of body on the right, Adams on the left, en- damaging results. All the evidence so far railroads and the packers declare that over water board and control of the water supand torpedo boats. Cologne, Frankfort, Dusseldorf and Essen tered the house, which was packed almost secured, the police announced tonight, their admission does not mean that they In a lengthy review of the military situa-Among the principal senate bills introto suffocation by senators, representatives tends to show that the attempted effort to will work against the interests of the ducid were by Hanley, providing for insetting forth the mine owners' position. tion the Novoe Vremya urges the immediate giving the Omaha firemen the two-shift while the socialist periodicals proclaim and visitors. Lieutenant Governor Hag- injure the statue was puny and amateurish stockmen, but to the contrary; that the creased wolf bounties, asking for a total ate reinforcement of Viadivostok, the island gott, presiding over the joint session of the to a degree. It is regarded as an attempt wider the scope of the organization the of \$10,000 appropriation each year, instead day of twelve hours each; one by Mockett that a social war is beginning. of Sakhalin and Kamchatka. The paper legislature, greeted both men as they to work up a sensation. The police are greater its power, and that differences of \$5,000, as now provided, and increasing of Lancaster in the senate making more Herr Hue, a socialist member of the stringent the state divorce laws, and an-SLYS: Reichstag, in a speech as Essen, described stepped upon the rostrum with a shake of making a thorough investigation, but thus will disappear in a community of inter-There is little probability of the Russians There is little probability of the Russians being caught unprepared at Vladivostok as at Port Arthur, but the moral responsibility rests upon the government to see that nothing in the way of detensive prepara-tion is overlooked. Sakhalin and Kam-chatka are both harder to detend and have a scantier population, but both are rich in mineral and other resources and are especially tempting to the Japanese, to whose scheme for national expansion they are necessary. the miners as working naked in water for other by Mockett providing for a juvenile the hand, and seated Governor Peabody on far have not discovered any clue as to the est. When the plan of reorganization Wagner, providing that costs of suits his right, the governor-elect on his left. which will admit the railroads and pack- brought in wrong counties shall be taxed court in Lincoin and Omaha; a bill by the equivalent of 95 cents a day, cursed identity of the perpetrator. by the overseer as lazy and fatally affected "The chief justice will now administer The facts developed by detectives show ers was proposed at the convention to- to plaintiff; by May, regulating salaries Sheldon of Cass in the senate for the paythe oath of office to Alva Adams," he said, that a negro hackman, named Arthur day it was referred to a committee of of register of deeds and county auditors ment of the state debt; one by Burns of by a worm disease, because their life is always in darkness. Chief Justice Gabbert stepped forward Carter, took the man thought to have per- three from each industry affiliated in any on county valuations; by Whitlock, basing Lancaster in the house allowing state, "What difference does it make." asked and in a few seconds the oath was given petrated the affair, from the Pennsylvania way with the raising of live stock. These salaries of county auditors on property county and city officials to give surety Herr Hue, "whether we starve or not under and taken and Alva Adams was the gov- railroad to the statue. Apparently, he had committees met as a whole tonight and values; by Northrup, to prevent the in- bonds; one by Windham of Case in the such conditions? Let us strike with the just arrived in the city. His baggage con- will report tomorrow to the general conernor of Colorado. troduction of noxious insects into the house authorizing the supreme court to infron fist, and if we perish, let us at least Lieutenant Governor Haggott, still re- almed of a small and worn dress suit case. vention. are necessary. state, and by Mortimer, authorizing coun- crease the membership of the supreme Continuing, the Novoe Vremya points out be men." It was late in the afternoon before the serving the seat of honor for the governor | The man told the hackman to drive slowly court commission from three to six memtics to fund outstanding indebtedness. The auditors of Herr Hue, miners in five of the state, requested ex-Governor Pea- to the barracks ground. When the statue convention went into session, and the that it is possible to send reinforcements The house secured the first roll call of bers. The revenue law enacted at the last and supplies to Sakhalin and Kamchatka shafts, have gone out on strike. body to change seats with Governor Adams was reached, the stranger alighted, ran up probabilities were that the debate will the session. On the senate resolution for session comes in for several proposed and the man who went passed to the left the steps leading to the westerly terrace last far into the night. while the ice lasts independent of sea power adjournment from Thursday to Tuesday amendments. M. WITTE'S POWER IN ASCENDANT The probability is that the railroads will of the presiding officer, while the man who of the War college esplanade, and disapand begs that this should be done at once. Speaker Rouse still is not ready to anthe call was demanded and the resolution Touching on the general peace talk in came in took the seat of honor on his right, peared behind the pedestal of the statue, be denied representation on the board of adopted by a vote of 65 to 20. nounce his committee appointments. The Former Minister of Finance Will Be-Governor Adams' Address. A minute later he ran back to the cab and control. The general committee, composed the foreign press, the Novoe Vremya sum-Vanosdel of Yankton was the first man speaker apears to be playing no favorites come the Bismarck of Russia. marizes the list of Russian reverses in the Governor Adams commenced the reading the backman noticed that the stranger's of the officers of the various branches of and few advance tips are out. There is a to attempt to speak on any measure at ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. H -2:15 a. m -present war and asks if it is possible to of his inaugural address. In his address grip, which he carried, was missing. The the live stock industry, could not reach the session, talking against the resolurather general impression, however, that The Associated Press is in a position to consider the question of peace without Governor Adams says: stranger jumped into the cab and ordered an agreement tonight and will meet again tion to memorialize congress for the 640-Perry of Furnas will be chairman of the During the past two years Colorado has had many incidents to regret, many deeds to deplore, but much of our evil fame is out of the grounds the stranger through the transformation of the railroads was very strong out of the grounds the stranger through the transformation of the railroads was very strong state positively that Emperor Nicholas has substantial Russian victories. acre homestead act. His remarks were judiciary committee and it seems to be not yet accepted Prince Sviatopoik Mirsky's Extent of Submarine Mines. largely on conditions in the southeastern fairly well settled in the minds of the memresignation of the ministry of the interior out of the grounds the stranger jumped out, | and the discussion grow so animated that part of the state in the days of early TOKIO, Jan. 10 .- (8 p. m.)-The Navy debers that Lee of Douglas will capture the The minister has informed his matesty paid the hackman and disappeared toward it was thought best to adjourn without settlement, and he announced his belief partment says that the district covered chairmanship of the cities and towns comof his desire to be relieved of the office the river front. Post Baker Reiger, at the action. The packers and all other allied that there was no need for the enlarged with submarine mines had a radius of mittee. If he does and this committee gets because the imperial reform program does barracks, saw the cab drive up and the industries will probably be admitted and homestead. forty miles outside of Port Arthur. It renot go far enough to meet his views, but clerk, which it is believed it certainly man jump out and run towards the statue the railroads will be left out. House bills not senate duplicates were ports the destruction and explosion of 555 the emperor so far has persuaded him to with a satchel under his arm, out of which President Hagenbarth's Address.

of the sea mines to date. Ten additional survivors of the third expedition of the Japanese to blockade the entrance to Port Arthur have been found in Russian hospitals. They have been transferred to the Japanese.

General Nogi has reported additional prisoners of war, as follows:

Prince Sviatopolk Mirsky's retirement soon, however, is regarded as certain, and M. Witte, apparently is equility certain of becoming the Bismarck of Russia, de-spite the fact that he is cordially hated as well as feared at court. Even the emperor seems to shrink from the influence of this strong man, which is accepted as accounting for his reluctance to give up Prince Sviatopolk Mirsky, so long as M. Witte stands as the only alternative. M. prisoners of war, as follows: Major Generals Nikitin and Bails and Rear Admiral Wiren. The paroled, besides General Stoessel, include Major Generals Ries, Nadien and Kostinkow and Rear Ad-Ries, Nadien and Kostinkow and Rear Adthe people. Let that promise be kept. Next, an amendment to the arbitration law requiring a compulsory submission of any grievance of difference between em-ployer and employe. This is not compul-sory arbitration, nor does it lead to a com-pulsory decree, but it does compel a con-ference and where the parties to an indus-trial conflict honestly confer, a settlement is almost corrigin. he will accept the ministry of the interior, being of the opinion that nothing less than the post of chancellor, which would give him official dignity as well as power, would satisfy him if the emperor should call him is almost certain. to the helm at the present crisis. The election scandals in Denver, Teller

remain in the ministry.

Prince Sviatopolk Mirsky's retirement

to deplore, but much of our evil fame is due more to our own exaggerations than to facts. The truth has been bad enough without partisan color. Lies need no press agent. At is not true that half the voters of Colorado are dynamiters and anarchists, nor is it true that the other half are Shy-locks and oppressors. We cannot complain if the world takes us at our own estimate. Hereafter when we paint our own picture, let us use a brush that will not hide all our virtues and intensify our faults. The annals of several counties have been

smoke was issuing, but he could not see With 1,000 delegates in what became of the man.

by Lindley, making homesteads ltable for mechanics' liens.

WESTERN MATTERS AT CAPITAL Number of Appointments in Postal

Service and Rural Routes Established,

(From a Staff Correspondent.) ASHINGTON. gram.)--Rural free delivery routes ordered An address of welcome from the governor established February 15: South Dakota- it eliminates the compulsory purchase of Colorado was on the program, but up at Colon, Minnehaha county; area covered, the capitol Governor Peabody was closing | thirty-six square miles; population served, BRYAN AND TAGGART SPEAK up the affairs of his office and Governor- 505. Hartford, Minnehaha county, addi- of conditions; second, it takes from the city elect Adams was preparing to step into his | tional; area covered, thirty-eight square place, and it was impossible for either miles; population, 525. Sloux Falls, Minnegentleman to be present. The address of haha county, additional; area covered, forty-eight square miles; population served, Rural free delivery carriers appointed;

will owing to the vast amount of work contemplated, Charles Potter of Omaha doubtless will be the cierk. The Douglas delegation now has no other candidate for the place, since the name of Foster, brother of Representative H. A. Foster, has been withdrawn, Mr. Foster having obtained a position elsewhere.

Howell Law Knocked Out.

Dodge's bill on the Omaha Water board seeks to knock out entirely the compulsory urchase act brought about at the last sea-

miral Ouktomsky, Gregorovitch and Ro stillski, Engineer-in-Chief Rindeback,

Lose Confidence in Kouropatkin. 7 p. m.-Information which has reached cortain reliable duarters here state that the Russian generals in Manchuria are losing confidence in General Kouropatkin and that the Russian situation around Mukden is a serious one. It is feared that

if Kouropatkin attacks the Japanese position along the Shakhe river he will court disaster and that his further retreat

will mean the demoralization of his army. This information goes on to say there is constant bickering at Russian Manchurian headquarters, and that the soldiers are discontented, dissatisfaction being with the series of retreats after the battle of Tellsau, (Vafangow), and the withdrawal from Liao

Yang, when it was believed it was possible This minister, who has just completed a hold that place. The climax came with tour of the Balkan capitals, writes that the the Russian defeat at the battle of Shakhe Turkish and Bulgarian governments are river, following Kouropatkin's strongly nergetically preparing for evenualities.

worded order directing the forward move-Large shipments of arms and ammunition ment dated October 2. This defeat brought have been made and recruits from Asia a storm of criticism upon the commander Minor are arriving at Salonica weekly for in chief and resulted in discord among service in the Turkish army. The Bulthe officers garian and Greek bands in Macedonia are

Long inaction, the information alleged, is increasing daily and are fighting each other undermining the morale of the Russian and the Turks. This three-cornered guerarmy, and it is pointed out that recent rilla warfare threatens to assume the skirmishes and outpost brushes indicates bloodlest phase in the spring. that the Russian soldiers are becoming "But." concludes the minister, "whether

disheartened, as they do not show their or not there will be real war between Turformer fighting spirit or qualities. key and Bulgaria in the spring I am not The siege guns to be sent to Manchuria prophet enough to say. Unless certain from Fort Arthur will probably be placed powers think the time is opportune war in advanced positions for the purpose of may be postponed this year as last, but in enabling the Japanese to shell far into the any event we are a year nearer the ine-Russian lines. vitable conflict."

Rojestvensky Near Port Said.

PORT SAID, Egypt, Jan. 10 .- The division of Russian warships commanded by Rear Admiral Botrovsky, which left Suda bay, Island of Crete, Sunday, has been sighted heading for this port.

Later in the day the seven ships under Admiral Botrovsys command, the cruisers self through the head in his bedroom. Oleg, Isumrud, Dnieper and Rion and the torpedo boat destroyers Crozni, Gromski He created him a royal Prussian councilior. and Rezity, arrived here.

appointed him to the body of dentists and The Russian minister, accompanied by him many presents. Dr. Sylvester Captain Schwank of the Russian navy, was the ploneer American dentist in Berboarded the flagship Oleg. After signing lin, having come here thirty years ago. He the necessary declarations the vessels will had an extraordinarily large professional be allowed a limited quantity of coal. The squadron will leave Port Said at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. A torpedo hoat destroyer while entering the harbor today struck and punk a coal lighter. talked incoherently.

Honors for Stocssel and Nogi.

BERLIN, Jan. 10 .- Emperor William has onferred on General Stoessel and General Nogi the order of "Pour Le Merite," in recognition of the bravery of themselves isters that the Moroccan crisis had been and their troops at Port Arthur. His ma- entirely relieved. The sultan restores his business reputation of the state, and can jesty has asked the Russian and Japanese' French military advisers and expresses not be permitted. satisfaction with the French policy. Acemperors to authorize Generals Stoessel and Nogl to accept the decorations.

Japanese Squadron at Diego Garcia. PORT LOUIS, Island of Mauritus, Jan. 10 .-- It is rumored here that a Japanese squadron is at Diego Garcia, Chagos Islands The Russian admiral was informed Jan-

uary 2 that Japanese warships were proeeding to meet the Russian squadron. Meisler and the insurgent Witbols in h vigilance of the latter was redoubled. man Southwest Africa January 2. Major The alde-de-camp of the Russian admiral, Haron von Naunendorf and three other offiin an interview at Tamatave, capital of the cers and fifteen men were killed. Four ofisland of Madagascar, was quoted as saying icers and forty-five men were wounded. that the Russian squadron would require a month to cross the Indian ocean.

General Gomes Declines Presidency. HAVANA, Jan. 10.-General Maxim Gomes has published a letter declining to allow himself to be mentioned as a candidate for the presidency. General Gomez has been frequently mentioned as a possible candidate, especially in connection with his reiterated pollcy in paying revolutionary veterans in full in accordance with the lists instead of effecting a compromise, which was the plane tentatively effected by the Palma administration. chamber of deputies.

Pueblo, Huerfano, Las Animas and some other counties indicate a need of change in our election law and the enactment of an honest and efficient primary law. No as-LOOK FOR WAR IN THE BALKANS

While Suffering from Influenza.

France and Moroceo at Peace.

Hussian Delegates Assassinated.

MARSEILLES, Jan. 10 -A mail steamer

which arrived here today from the far

ast reported that Colonel Begdonoff of

the Russian army, and three companions

sent by Former Viceroy Alexieff on a mis-

Trenty is Approved.

peace and amity between Chile and Boliva

has been approved by the senate and

SANTIAGO, Chile, Jan. 10 .- The treaty of

don to Mongolia were assassinated by

policy of France.

matives.

Turkey and Bulgaria Both Prepare sault upon free government is as serious as a corrupt ballot. The pure ballot is the for Possible Trouble This Year. as a corrupt ballot. The pure ballot is the very heart of our governmental system, and where that fails, democracy is a failure, and a free republic a delusion. In framing your election laws see that their meshes are strong enough to hold the big election thief as well as the small. The ordinary ballot crook at the polls is bad enough, but back of him, responsible for bin is some one induction the strong ballot LONDON, Jan. 10 .- The active preparaons already reported to have been made both in Turkey and Bulgaria for a possible war this year are fully confirmed by a private letter received in London from a minister accredited to the Balkan courts.

for him, is some one infinitely stronger and re dangerous Penbody's Notice of Contest. Ex-Governor Peabody's notice of con-

test will be filed on January 13, the last day allowed under the law. Attorney Henry J. Hersey, who is in charge of the case, said this afternoon that it would be difficult to prepare the necessary papers before that time. Mr. Hersey expressed himself as entirely confident of the outcome of the contest, and feels positive that its termination will see James H. Peabody once more the governor of the

state of Colorado. The hearing of the contest will consume at least six weeks. The personnel of the committee which will hear the evidence will rest with Lieutenant Governor Jesse F. McDonald, who is a republican, and, jority held by the republicans in both all did their best.

branches of the legislature, it is certain strongly predominate when the committee Friend of German Emperor Ends Life is made up. There is every assurance that the in

BERLIN, Jan. 10,-Dr. Alonzo H. Sylvestigation will be conducted fairly and ester, Emperor William's American dentist, with an impartiality unusual in contests ammitted sucide here today. He shot him-

of this kind. Neither man will be seated by an arbitrary act of the legislature, if legally cast. That this will be the outgreat corporate and financial interests of Colorado-the men who constitute the ncome, but had nevertheless financial diffi- real political power in any commonwealth. culties. Recently Dr. Sylvester had been They have made it plain to the legislasuffering from a severe attack of influenza tive leaders that the investigation must

committee honest; that the action of the legislature must be in accordance with the facts, and the man found to have PARIS, Jan. 10-Foreign Minister Del- the greatest number of votes must be asse today informed the council of mingiven the seat. Any other line of action, they declare, will seriously injure the HELENA, Mont., Jan. 10 .- Both houses of cordingly the French minister has been the Montana legislature balloted separately

German Officers Are Killed.

BERLIN, Jan. 10 .- In the fight between the German troops commanded by Major

ordered to proceed to Fez tomorrow and today for a United States senator to suc-

arrange the details for carrying out the ceed Paris Gibson. T. S. Carter, who lead, ceed Paris Gibson. T. S. Carter, who lead, received ten votes in the senate and twenty in the house, fell twenty votes short of the number required on joint ballot to elect.

National Leaders of the Democratic Party Feast at Lafayette. Indiana.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Jan. 10 .- Several naional leaders of the democratic party and many prominent state democrats broke bread tonight at the eighth annual banque of the Jackson club, held in honor of the memory of Andrew Jackson. Following the feast there were addresses in which William J. Bryan received the largest share of applause, but National Chairman

Thomas Taggart was also accorded an ovation. It was expected that Senator Benjamin Tillman of South Carolina and Mayor Harrison of Chicago would, be present, but upward. either put in an appearance, W. R. Hearst also failed to attend. There were many prominent Illinois, Ohio and Michigan lemocrats and nearly every county in Indiana was represented. More than 800 per sons sat down at the first table. The Coliseum was elaborately decorated with banners and portraits.

Chairman Taggart, in his address, took occasion to deny the reports of disagree ments between the members of the na tional and executive committees and also of disloyalty of some members. He asconsidering the ma- serted there was a perfect accord and that

W. J. Bryan, in his address, pointed to AMERICAN DENTIST KILLS SELF that the members of that party will the fact that the party polled less votes than for a silver platform and asserted that the silver question was not dead.

Sues for Wife's Affections

LAKE ANDES. S. D., Jan. 10 .- (Special Telegram.)-A \$50,000 damage sult has been filed in Charles Mix county circuit court The emperor was fond of Dr. Sylvester, the result of the recount shows his oppo- against Joseph R. Arnold, the dual mayor nent to have a clear majority of votes of Flatte and this place and a capitalist of large acquaintance, by Dr. Henry M. come of the contest has been made prac- Marks of Sloux Falls, but formerly of tically certain by men representing the Platte. It is alleged in the complaint that Arnold was the means of alienating the affections of Marks' wife while a resident of Platte. It promises to be a hard fought contest and the most aggravated one in and for two or three days past he had be clean and thorough, the report of the both sides having already been subpoenned the history of the county, the witnesses of to appear today at the convening of court.

> State Fair Wants Appropriation. PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 10.-(Special Telegram.)-The State Fair Board met here this evening and has decided to ask for an appropriation of \$15,000 for buildings it for seevral hours. on the grounds at Huron, and \$5,000 a year for two years for premiums.

> > Veteran Firemen Meet.

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Papers have come and papers have gone, but The Bee has maintained its supremacy as Omaha's leading newspaper for over thirty years.

attendance

President Hagenbarth was as follows: The last year has seen a continuation of 515.

The last year has seen a continuation of the failing prices for range cattle inaugu-rated two years ago. Statistics show this year's, depreciation to have averaged \$1.5 per head on all cattle marketed. To par-tially offset the losses sustained by the cattlemen, the mutton grower reaped a rich reward. With depleted domestic markets and a world's shortage of wool, the grower of that commodity faces an ap-proaching season which at this time seems to be of the brightest. In the face of the year's humper corn for on it would seem that to be of the brightest. In the face of the ear's humper corn crop it would seem that effore long the cattle feeder must fill his ed lots or store his corn for another year. The latter he cannot profitably do; sooner r later he must feed. When this move-ent begins a much enlarged market will sem for cattle and prices should move ward. 16.

Transportation Rates.

Your transportation committee met bicago in February with the traffic Chicago in ectors of a number of western trunk lines n conjunction with efforts made influences succeeded in a measure influences succeeded in a measure in ing some of the hardships that rallresigned

softening some of the hardships that rali-road practices had imposed upon us. Those who have properly bred and prop-erly fed their animals, rejolcing that their labors were done and the golden harvest about to be gathered, have consigned their stuff to the tender mercies of the common carrier. Time and again have they seen the fruits of their labor destroyed and their profits shrunk and sacrificed on count-less sidetracks of a conscienceless corporaas sidetracks of a conscienceless corpora-on. Though believing that many, and tion. Though believing that many, and knowing that some, railroad rates are un-scientific and unjust, yet I maintain that inefficient and many times negligent rail-road service has cost the live stock ship-per dollars where excess in freight rates has cost him cents. There may be some excuse for high rates, but gross ignorance or criminal negligence alone can account for much of the bad railroad service which we have suffered. Is this progress? Then, again, our friend, the packer, has failen in the way of error. I will not dwell upon the two-day market which he has established, whereby the surplus ship-ment of one day is used to bear the price of supplies the next. Others more compe-tent will not

is established, whereby the surplus price is established, whereby the surplus price f supplies the next. Others more compe-ent will tell you about that. The packer laims he wants a steady market fed by teady supplies. Market manipulations such as have been practiced in the past are not conducive to steadiness. Is it a square deal when the feeder prices are bid for second cuts of fat stuff, when such stuff is hought to kill and not te feed? Does this treatment encourage the breeding and treatment encourage the breeding and treatment front-class animels?

years president of the Live Stock association, delivered a short address in memory of members of the association who died. It was heard with marked attention and elicited much favorable comment. The convention took up the question of

erganization and was busily engaged with In the afternoon no session of the Live

turned over to the National Wool Growers' on the range question.

The convention of the National Wool

I wonder why?

Nebraska-Spencer, regular, Joseph E. C. Chuse: substitute, David Case. South Dakota-Howard, regular, Elsie B. Purman; substitute, Larison A. Purman, Frank W. Colgrove, regular, and Amy J. Colgrove, substitute, appointed to fill vacancy at Meadow Grove, Neb., to take effect January

Postmasters appointed: Jowa-Bennett, Cedar county, C. W. Hamilton, vice J. J. Buzzard, removed; Berea, Adair county. Perry F. Hale, vice Harvey J. Maxwell, resigned; Monmouth, Jackson county, Bert R. Dye, vice G. E. Keggley, resigned. South Dakota-Hummer, Charles Mix county, S. E. Burrington, vice E. R. Mansbridge, resigned; Vandervoort, Clark county, John Swenehart, vice T. J. Boyd,

Congressman Burkett arrived in the city last night. The congressman had nothing to say regarding the senatorship, except to remark that everything was harmonious.

CHARGE AGAINST NIEDRINGHAUS

Missouri Solons Will Look Into Report that Brewerles Paid Him to Influence Legislation.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 10 .- Representative Grace of St. Louis today introduced a resolution in the lower house of the general assembly calling for an investigation of the report that St. Louis brewers had given \$21,000 to Thomas Nied-

SURPLUS OF WORLD'S FAIR Small Balance Will Be Left to Distribute Among the Stocks

holders. ST. LOUIS. Jan. 10 .- At the regular

monthly meeting of the board of directors Stock association was held, the hall being of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition company a financial report was read showing association and a meeting of the cattlemen that the company now has a surplus of \$395,000 and that \$350,000 is due from the wrecking company on the contract to drmolish the fair buildings. Out of the aggregate of these sums post exposition expenses will be paid and it is said that a small surplus will be left to divide among the stockholders.

> Movements of Ocean Vessels Jan. 10, At New York-Arrived: Kronzprinz Wil-heim, from Bremen; Manuel Calvo, from Genoa and Nagles; Bleucher, from Ham-burg, Balled; Mesuba, for London; Ar-At Liverpool-Arrived: Ionian, from Halt-At Antwerp-Arrived: Vaderland, from mary the elector must state the party At Nev At

slon through R. B. Howell of Omaha. First, clause, by which Howell sought to force the city to buy the waterworks regardless council what authority it possesses in the way of controlling or regulating the water supply and gives this power to the water board. In short, it enlarges the scope or the water board's powers so as to give it omplete control over the water supply resulations. Third, the bill provides that the inw shall be in conformity with the city charter of Omaha, and fourth, it repeals

the old law. The bill introduced in the senate by She don of Cass for the payment of the state debt provides that the State Board of Equalization shall have the power to make a 2-mill levy on every dollar's worth of property in the state, the money thus realized to be used by the state treasurer in cancelling warrants that have been registered and are drawing interest. The bin provides that when the 2-mill levy shall bring into the state treasury more money than is necessary to cancel the warrants the state board shall have the power to derease the amount of levy.

McMullen of Gage is the first man to Introduce a bill for an amendment of the present revenue law. His house roll No. 1 provides for the election, instead of apcontinent of deputy county assessors.

The next whack at the revenue law is taken by Witham of Johnson, who wants precinct assessors elected for a period of four years and denied a re-election, their bonds being fixed at \$5,000. This is house roll No. 4. House roll No. 12, by Horton of Cherry, is the third attempt to amend this notable statute. It probably will attrace greater attention than any of the other oills niming at this law, since it seeks to change the basis of assessment for all property from 5 to 3 per cent of the actual value. It was over this very clause that the foint committee two years ago had such prolonged debate, the 3, 4 and 5 per cent basis, and, indeed, the full valuation basis being under discussion for a long time.

Primary Bill.

Dodge's primary election bill provider for the primary election of all parties on the same day, seven weeks prior to the general election in November and five weeks prior to the city election in citics of the metropolitan class. Primary election day will be the first day of registration and the polls will be open from \$ o'clock in the morning until 9 at night in the larger cities. The registrars shall act as judges and clerks of election. The bill provides that at this election all candidates for state, congressional, judicinf, county and city offices shall be nominated. The bill does not apply to special elections or to village, township or school district officers. In addition to a nominal fee charged candidates for filing, candidates will be required to file a petition signed by 2 per cent of the voters of the district wherein he is a candidate, no voter being permitted to sign more than one petition for any one office and he must under the bill declare his intention to support the candidate whose petition he signs.

The bill provides that the names of the andidates for any one office shall alter nate on the ticket; that is, no one candidate shall have his name at the top of more lickets than any other candidate. If a candidate is nominated by more than nenian, for Liverpool. one party he shall choose under which At Manchester-Arrived: Caledonian, from party name he desires to go on the ticket and the name cannot be on the ticket more than once. In order to vote at the pri-York. Naples-Sailed: Neapolitan Prince, for York. Bremen-Arrived: Frankfori, from of that he intends to support the nominees At Bremen-Arrived: Frankfort, from New York; Kniser Wilhelm der Grösse, from New York. At Moville-Arrived: Ethiopia, from New York, for Ginsgow and proceeded. At Moville-Arrived: Ethiopia, from New York, for Ginsgow and proceeded. At Fort Said, Jan. 8-Sailed: Telemachus, for Liverpool.

