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CLEANS UP ALL THE BILLS

Governor Vetoes a Few More and Signs the Remainder. SUPREME COURT COMMISSIONERS NAMED

S. D. Jackson, E. R. Duffie and L. L. Albers the New Ones and Former Officials Are All Reappointed.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, April 5.—(Special.)—Legislative action is now up to the courts. Governor Mickey has had his final swing and the matter has passed out of his hands.

Unless the governor interposes, Frank Barker, the Webster county murderer, will be hanged at the state penitentiary Friday, June 18. The supreme court today affirmed the decision of the Webster county district court, before which Barker was tried, refusing to interfere in the carrying out of the sentence.

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which shows that many claims were paid with a less amount of money than the liability. Dr. Spinnery, president of the order, was notified of the action of the auditor by letter this afternoon and it is presumed he will mandamus the auditor to compel him to issue the certificate.

This action is another chapter in a long drawn-out fight between Spinnery and the insurance department which has dragged its way through the supreme court, after first being heard before a special commissioner appointed to take testimony. The supreme court allowed the company to continue business provided it corrected some of its claims.

Lancaster County Wants Cash. Lancaster county has come to the supreme court in an effort to secure \$500,000 which it claims are owed it. The treasurer of Lancaster county deposited state taxes to that amount and collected same in the Capital National bank, which failed in 1881, thereby causing a loss of the money.

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TELEGRAPH TAX HELD VOID

Gross Receipts of Company Not Correct Measure of Value of Franchise.

TELEPHONE COMPANY ON SAME BASIS

Decision Rendered by the Supreme Court in Case Carried Up from Omaha—Frank Barker

Must Hang.

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NEBRASKA TOWN ELECTIONS

Question of Granting Saloon Licenses the Prevailing Issue.

SEVERAL NOTABLE CHANGES IN SENTIMENT

Norfolk Surprises Itself by Electing the Democratic Ticket, While Columbus Selects a Republican Mayor.

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OSCEOLA, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—Osceola has gone dry again by a majority of 24. There was but one ticket to be voted for, two trustees, and the issue was electric lights and the saloon, and both these issues carried by good majorities. There was no excitement.

EMERSON, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—At the election it was decided to issue bonds to the amount of \$20,000 for building and furnishing a school house.

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