NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

INTELLIGENCE HERE GATHERED COVERS WIDE AREA.

GREATER OR LESSER IMPORT

Includes What is Going On at Wash-Ington and in Other Sections of the Country.

CONGRESS.

Senator Nelson has introduced a bill introducing a system of asset-secured currency for national banks.

The senate passed the resolution giving the naval committee the power to investigate the armor plate con-

Education and labor committee of the senate are considering plans for investigation of West Virginia coal

Senator Smith of South Carolina has demanded an investigation and action against persons who sold cotton to cotton pools.

The House Naval affairs committee deferred action on armor plate factory resolution; Admiral Twining testified regarding proposed factory. Finance sub-committees of the

House have begun the work of revis- ent Yale field. ing various schedules of the tariff bill to report to full committee.

The banking and currency commitdraft a list of questions on currency reform to be submitted to all bankers.

Senator Overman has introduced a class postmasters under civil service. she needed hiking exercise. Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale, appear. a bill creating an international com-

mission to study the high cost of liv-A constitutional amendment to proyear term was proposed in a resolution by Representative Britten of Illi-

nois Senator Lewis has been elected democratic floor manager and assistant to Majority Leader Kern by democratic caucus, which also named ganization of democratic congressional campaign committee.

Senator Cummins plans to call up for consideration in the senate his of a subcommittee to investigate the claration against lobbyists by Presi dent Wilson.

proposed by Senator Works in two ranto writ to prevent the fire insurfrom November to August and pro- from Missouri. vide for annual sessions of congress the first Monday in June. CENEDAL TIPE

GENERAL

Maryland expects to complete 500° miles of new state roads system this

New York is passing the hat for \$50 000 to finance a Fourth of July celebration. After a week's search, the body of

Miss Vinnie Colt, a girl of 18, was found in a ravine in the Sierra Nevadas, twenty miles from Trukee. She had been killed and partially devoured Former President William H. Taft. in his concluding lecture at Yale on "Some Questions of Modern Government," declared the United States was , "ludicrously unprepared for war."

The strike at the Mount Hope mine of the Empire Steel and Iron company, at Morristown, N. J., has been settled and some of the miners have gone back to work. The strike began last March.

The countess of Aberdeen has been invited by twenty national women's councils of Europe and America to retain the presidency of the International Council of women for a further period of five years.

Federal laws against the "introduction of liquor into Indian country" are held by the supreme court to prohibit the introduction of liquor from neighboring states into Oklahoma counties occupied by Indians.

George Comstock, known among circus people as "Babe Caldwell, the fat man," and who weighed 408 pounds died suddenly at Venice. It required twelve men to carry Comstock to the automobile in which he was rushed to a hospital when he became ill.

Gaylard M. Saltzgaber of Van 'ert, O, has taken the oath of office as com-

ing of coal mines was asked of congress in a memorial from the Alaska egislature laid before the senate. General Antonio Rabaga has resigned as military governor of Chi-

Construction of railroads and open-

City. Twenty students of the Central and South high schools of Akron, O., were

injured when a balcony in the audi-

Dr. Eusebio Morales, the newly accredited minister from Panama has arrived in Washington.

New Jersey has a baby born on the thirteenth of the month, in 1913, and is the thirteenth child of its par-

O. E. Harder has resigned as state food analyst of Kansas to accept a fellowship at the University of Illi-

Thomas P. Kane, acting controller of the currency, has abondoned the compulsory annual meetings of national bank examiners at their own ex-

Miss Frances A. Shaw, for thirty years a resident of Minneapolis and widely known as an author, is dead. Joseph R. Wilson, brother of the resident, has accepted a position with a leading bonding company with headquarters in Balitmore. The "Frisco" railroad and its sub-

sidiary road, the Chicago & Eastern Illinois have gone into the hands of a receiver. The Maryland convention of the Protestant Episcopal church voted

against the proposition to change the church name. The Hip Sings, On Leongs and the Four Brothers-warring-tongs of New York's Chinatown-have signed a

reaty of peace. Robert Goodwin of Skowhegan, republican representative to congress from the Third Maine congressional district died at Portland of hardening of the liver.

School children between 8 and 14 years went on a strike in Cambridge, Mass., because the school hours did not suit their fancy.

Wakana Utagawa, who entered the Tokio Academy of Fine Arts at 14, is visiting this country. She began her studies at the age of 6. General Lunsford L. Lomax, one of

the oldest surviving generals of the confederate calvary, died at Washington, he was 79 years old. A flight from Milan to Rome, 410 miles, was made in a monoplane in

six hours and seven minutes by the Italian aviators, De Roy and Cevasco Eighteen barrels of ginseng, containing 1,343 pounds, and worth \$8,061, have begun their journey from Wausau, Wis., to China.

Former President William H. Taft and president Hadley of Yale will lay the cornerstone of the new Yale coliseum to be built opposite the pres-

Walter Hines Page, the new American ambassador, was received with great cordiality by Sir Edward Grey, tee has authorized Chairman Owen to the British foreign secretary at the foreign office.

For the second time Emma Goldman has been chased out of San Diego resolution to abrogate former Presi- by a marching mob. Emma's stream of battle, and appropriated \$150,000 for quarters to the visiting hosts. dent Taft's order putting fourth of talk convinced the regulators that

Dr. Emery W. Hunt, who resigned ed before a senate foreign relations the presidency of Denison university sub-committee urging the passage of at Newark, O., has accepted the secretaryship of the American Baptist Foreign Missionary society.

Manufactured goods exported from the United States in the first ten vide direct election of the president | months of the fiscal year 1913 exceedand vice president for a single six- ed by \$500,000 worth a day the exports in the corresponding year. The American Red Cross recently

authorized American Consul Miller at Tampico, Mex., to draw \$3,000 for the maintenance and transportation of American refugees to Galveston. The Danish premier has informed committee to confer regarding or the party leaders that as a result of

the recent elections, the government would resign on June 12, when the Danish parliament will reassemble: Frank A. Roach, train dispatcher resolution directing the appointment for the Missouri Pacific railway at Sedalia, Mo., testified that forgetful-

presence of a tariff lobby in Washing. ness on his part caused a wreck at ton, as emphasized in the recent de- Brant, Mo., in which three trainmen only eighteen years, but fifty years state of Pennsylvania are preparing Attorney General Barker has filed A new plan for national elections in the state supreme court his brief in and the assembling of congress was support of his petition for a quo war-

In an editorial on the California, from the first Monday in October to situation the London Standard advises Japan to deal with the question

than to import into it sentiments of age. offended racial and national pride. Information charging six University of Missouri students with illegal voting in a municipal election, was filed at Jefferson City recently, by E. C. Anderson, prosecuting attorney. He says he will file against twenty

other students. Much apprehension was aroused at the discovery that unidentified per sons had defiled the front door of the United States consulate at Naples, Sonora. Counsul Frederick Simpitch sent a note of protest to the town prefect, and a policeman immediately was sent to remove the defacement. Suits to hold C. K. G. Billings, bank er and sportsman of New York and Chicago, responsible for approximate ly \$5,000,000 due to the failure of the John R. Walsh banks, the Chicago National and the Home Savings has been filed in the circuit court at Chi

Field Marshal Kalmar Von Der Goltz, considered one of the foremost strategists of the age, has presented a request to Emperor William to be allowed to retire. The field marshal who entered the army in 1861 and ought through the Prussian-Austrian and Franco-German wars, would have commanded the main German army by the Spanish war, when lack of

SPORT. Catcher George Gibson, of the Pirates, wearing a plaster cast on his broken ankle, has gone to his home near London, Ont. George will be out of the game for a couple of months at least.

Tony Jannus made a hydro-aeroplane flight from Paducah to St. Louis, a distance of 250 miles. President "Tip" O'Neil of the West.

ern league has announced that he had purchased Umpire Jack O'Toole of the International league. "King" Cole, the former Cub pitch-

er, now twirling for the Columbus huahua state. He will go to Mexico team, won the first three games he pitched in the American association. A crack "All-Filipino" baseball team composed of fourteen of the fastest ball players in the Islands have starttorium of the Central high school col- ed for a tour of Japan and the United States.

Manager Holmes of the Sioux City eam of the Western League has reeased Third Baseman Bob James. Mayor Charles F. O'Neil of San Diego, Cal., vetced the prize fight ordinance permitting twenty-round con-

tests passed by the city council. Pitcher Charles McCoy of the St. Joseph Western League club has been ordered to join his team in Lincoln

o accompany it to Denver. Tommy Ketchall of Chicago was warded a decision over . Maurice Thempson of Butte at the end of welve rounds of hammer and tong

Big Reunion of Survivors of Civil War at Gettysburg on July 1.

40,000 EXPECTED TO ATTEND

Men Who Wore the Blue and Gray to Again Gather on Ground Made Memorable by Historic Conflict.

By EDWARD B. CLARK. ASHINGTON. — During the battlefield of Gettysburg. Pa., tending forces, was the success of the southern cause, or the beginning of its defeat, to be followed by the restoration of the Union as it had been before the first shot was fired at Fort Sum-

The United States government and of the north and south one of the great of Pennsylvania some time ago apthe purpose of entertaining the vet-

40,000 Veterans Expected.

It is expected that 40,000 veterans of July 1. It will be a different reveille than that which the fife and drum corps of the two great armies sounded fifty years ago. The call to awakening will be a call to a peaceful celebration while the call to the awakening in July, 1863, was a call of armies to conflict and, to thousands of men, a call to death.

For years the veterans have been looking forward to this reunion. It is probable that there will be present many thousands of survivors of the battle. The United States government under an act of congress has appropriated money for the preparation of the camps and for the messing of the soldier visitors. The average age of the men engaged in the Civil war was fought at Gettysburg, and so if the computation of age was a true one the average years of the veterans who will meet in Pennsylvania in July will be bills. He would change election day ance companies from withdrawing about sixty-eight years. Many of them, of course, will be much older and a good many of them, men who entered at ages ranging from fourteen to seventeen years, will be younger, but all as a purely business matter rather will be old men as the world views

Many of the states of the Union. the Gettysburg reunion and to pay all burg is recognized as the turning point of the war between the states. It has decisive battles of the world. Generally it is recognized that Gettysburg decided the great conflict, helped in field was decided in favor of the northern arms.

The preparations which the government is making to care for the veterans at Gettysburg are interesting. They have been under the charge of eral of the United States army, and Henry G. Sharpe, commissary general health of the soldiers throughout the Texas encampment was almost perfect, made so by the plans which had been carefully laid to see that perfect ed States army was taught a lesson | tlefield.' in case of the breaking out of a war. proper sanitary precautions and unpre-

Spaniard. The estimates of the commissary based upon an attendance of 40,000 vetas host to the survivors of the battle Gettysburg reunion.

Big Task to Feed Men. The survivors of the war from the

a way which would not have been nec- known to warfare. essary fifty years ago. The messing of the veterans will require 400 army ranges, 1 great field bakery, 40,000 mess kits, 800 cooks, 800 kitchen helppose of installing the field bakery, the

the encampment is over. The old soldiers are to be supplied with fresh meat directly from refrigrator cars drawn upon the field. They vill be given fresh vegetables and special bread with the best coffee and tea which the market affords. For them it will not be a case of hardtack, bootleg and poor bacon.

The Battle of Gettysburg commisa large sum of money at its disposal find out?

for the entertainment of the visiting veterans, and the thousands of persons who will accompany them. Hospitality is to mark the days. Fifty years ago Pennsylvania aided in the work of repelling the visitors from the south. In early July next the same state will have its arms wide open in welcome to the men wearing the gray. Entertainments of various kinds will be offered the visiting veterans, but it is pretty well understood that their deep interest in revisiting the scenes where they fought, Little Round Top, Oak Ridge, Cemetery Hill, Culp's Hill, Rock Creek, the Stone Wall and other places will hold them largely to the pleasures and to the sadnesses of personal reminiscences. Arm in arm with the Union soldiers the Confederate soldiers will retramp the battleground. They will look over the field of Pickett's desperate charge. They will retrace the marching steps of Longstreet's corps. They will go to the place where Meade had his headquar first four days of July the ters and to the place from which Lee

directed his southern forces in battle. will again be the scene of a Pennsylvania is going to make a meeting of the Blue and the great celebration of peace of this fif-Gray, but this time they will meet in tieth anniversary of what probably amity and affection. A half-century will was the decisive battle of the war, alhave passed since last these men of two though it was fought nearly two years great American armies met on this before the war ended. Other states northern field. Then they were face will help Pennsylvania in its work, and to face in deadly conflict, for the issue, from every section of the country, was well understood to both con- north, east, south and west, the veterans will assemble, most of them probably to see for the last time in life the field upon which they were willing to die for the sake of their respective causes.

The veterans will not be directly encamped in the Gettysburg park, which the government of nearly every state is dotted with monuments to the variin the Union have combined to make ous commands which took part in the the Gettysburg reunion of the soldiers | fight and which is laid out in approved park fashion, with fine drives, and peace events of the century. The state beautifully kept lawns. There will be two camps, known as No. 1 and No. 2. pointed a "Fiftieth Anniversary of the No. 1 will cover 149 acres and No. 2 Battle of Gettysburg commission" to will cover 44 acres. The layouts of make preparations for the four days' these camps are based on the use of reunion, at which Pennsylvania as a conical tents, each of which will, withstate was to act as host to the vet- out crowding, accommodate eight pererans of the war between the states sons. Inasmuch as accommodations and to the thousands of visitors who are to be furnished for 40,000 visitors would follow their march to the field 5,000 tents will be required to give

The quartermaster general in a report says: "It is assumed that the meals will be served to the visitors in a manner similar to that used by of the war, not all of them, however, the regular troops when in camp for survivors of the Gettysburg battle, will short periods; that is, by having each be found encamped upon the field man go to the kitchen with his mess tent or other convenient places."

Visitors to Be Cared For.

Every possible care is to be taken of the visitors. The sanitary arrangements which have been made are said to be the best that are possible and they are the result of careful study by medical officers of the service. All the experience of the past has been drawn upon to make it certain that the health of the veterans will be conserved while they are in camp.

With so many thousands of old soldiers in attendance, and taking into consideration the probability that the weather will be warm, it is expected that there will be sickness, but the for a hospital service which shall be the injured, and there will be many field hospitals with surgeons in attendance, where the sick can receive instant attendance.

It is said that this contemplated reunion has induced more interest among the old soldiers of the north and the south than any event which has happened since the day that the north as well as south, have made ap- war closed. There is today at Gettyspropriations to send their veterans to burg a great national park, in which is included a cemetery where thouother expenses. The battle of Gettys- sands of soldier dead are buried. The United States government and the legislature of Pennsylvania worked tobeen called time and again one of the gether to make a park of the battlefield and to mark accurately every point in it which has historic interest. When one goes to the field he can tell the decision probably by the fall of just where this brigade or that bri-Vicksburg on the Mississippi, which gade was engaged, just where this took place virtually at the moment charge or that charge was made and that the conflict on the Pennsylvania just where the desperate defenses of positions were maintained until the tide of battle brought either victory or defeat to one of the immediate commands engaged.

It was in 1895 that congress established a national park at Gettysburg James B. Aleshire, quartermaster gen- and gave the secretary of war authority to name a commission "to superintend the opening of additional roads. of the United States army. Two years | mark the boundaries, ascertain and ago last March 14,000 regular troops definitely mark the lines of battle of were gathered in camp at Texas. The troops engaged, to acquire lands which were occupied by infantry, cavalry and artillery, and such other adjacent lands as the secretary of war may deem necessary to preserve the imporsanitation was maintained. The Unit- tant topographical features of the bai

When the Union and the Confeder ate veterans reach Gettysburg on June paredness in other ways cost the gov- 30 next they will find on the scene of ernment the lives of more men than the old conflict between five and six were sacrificed to the bullets of the hundred memorials raised in commemoration of the deeds of their com mands on the great fields of the Pennand quartermaster authorities are sylvania battlefield. There are, more over, 1,000 markers placed to desigerans. It probably will cost the gov- nate historic spots. There are great ernment about \$360,000 to act in part towers built upon the field by the government so that bird's-eve views call and other veterans who attend the be obtained of the entire scene of the battle. Fine roads have been constructed and everywhere attention has been paid to every detail of the least north and south who will be present, importance in setting forth the history being old men, must be cared for in of one of the greatest battles ever

It is expected that much good wil. come from the reunion of the Blue and the Gray on the battlefield of Gettysburg. Time has healed many wounds. ers and 130 bakers. This helping per- The o d soldiers have forgotten their sonnel will be required to be in camp animosities more readily than have or at least seven days, and many of the civilians. It is thought that this them for a longer period, for the pur- great coming together in peace of two once conflicting hosts will mark the field ranges and in dismantling, clean- passing of the last trace of the bitter ng, packing and storing material after ness of the war between the states of this great Union.

> Patience-Small panes of glass are set into the side of a new fountain pen so the quantity of ink it holds can he seen readily.

Patrice-Some people are too impa tient! Why can't they wait until the sion of the state of Pennsylvania has link comes out on their fingers t

BALKAN WAR ENDED

"TREATY OF LONDON" SIGNED BY

Montenegro Still Dissatisfied But Yields to Pressure Brought by

London.-The eights months' war between Turkey and the allied Balkan states is ended. The "Peace of London" was signed in the gallery of St. James palace.

Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, presided over the formalities. The following peace delegates signed the preliminary treaty: Osman Nizami Pasha for Turkey, Dr. Daneff for Bulgaria, Stejan Novakovitch for

England, which took the lead in the spoliation," would take every step to compensate Montenegro for its sacri-

chose to have them.

tocol.

After informing the ambassadorial draft, Sir Edward Grey suggested that three questions: A constitution for Alwhen reveille sounds on the morning kit to be served there and dining in his frontier of Albania and the status of the Aegean islands.

Attempted Lynching Frustrated.

Howard Jones Tuesday night,, wrecked a half dozen stores in the foiled in an attempt to take the pris

The mob, armed wth a heavy beam oner. Sheriff Lindsey had learned of United States government and the the intention to lynch the Italian and auto to another city. The sheriff adequate to any contingency. There his deputies were on hand when the will be hospital corps detachments mob arrived, and threw open the jail present ready to render first aid to to an inspection committee, which courthouse.

Angered by its failure to secure the alleged murderer, the mob swept through the business section of Counproperty of foreigners.

was suffered by John Birbilis. The Palace of Sweets, at 4 Pearl street, owned by Birbilis, was the worst wrecked of any store. A dozen bricks were hurled through the windows and the stock was badly damaged. Loss here may exceed \$250. Another candy store, at 540 West Broadway, owned by Birbilis, was damaged to the extent of \$200.

Washington.-Secretary Bryan signalized the day commemorative of the country's hero dead by announcing that eight nations have responded favorably to his peace plan asking that suggestions be submitted in regard to details. The nations in the order in whch they have accepted are: Italy, Great Britain, France, Brazil, Sweden, Norway, Peru and Russia.

Cudahy Workers Strike. Sioux City, Iowa.-Three hundred truckers, steam fitters, helpers, hog killers and laborers in all departments of the Cudahy Packing plant at Sioux City have gone on a strike for higher wages. Most of the men on strike are fat to pay the cost of feed and care.

Bulgarians Destroy Town. Saloniki.-A dispatch from a trustworthy source says that the Bulgarian troops have already destroyed the village of Hadji, between Saloniki and Serres and massacred the population.

Overlooked \$3,500 Draft. Salina, Kas.-Several hundred people walked over a negotiable draft for \$3,500 that was lost in the postoffice by H. H. F. Sudendorf, a business man.

tinuing the use of the special 10-cent registery stamp and providing that no additional registry stamp shall be printed after the present supply shall have been exhausted. Escaped Prisoner Captured Albuquerque, N. M .-- James Arthur

NEBRASKA IN BRIEF.

about three and one-half inches this week.

Dan Hiner, a prominent farmer near Ord, has been taken to a private sanitarium at Lincoln for treatment for a mental disorder.

The hospital at Elmwood is quarantined for smallpox. The little antined for smallpox. The little daughter of Dr. E. S. Liston contract- ALFALFA IS NOW BEING CUT ed the disease from a nurse.

Judge L. M. Pemberton has appointed A. H. Kidd a member of the Beatrice city park commission to succeed R. W. Grant, who recently resigned. The twenty-first annual convention of the Jefferson County Sunday School association was held in the

Christian church at Fairbury. Lieutenant Colonel Waldo E. Ayres of the War department, formerly stationed at Fort Crook, is inspecting the state headquarters of the National

As the result of complaint by citizens of North Loup against the slot machines, County Attorney Staple has invoked the state law to abate the nuisance.

order to be held at Beatrice June 10, 11 and 12. The little 3-year-old son of Mr. Hansen, a farmer living about seven

miles southeast of Newman Grove, fell into the stock 'tank and was Mrs. Henry Shaffer of Humboldt, while disking for her husband, was thrown from the plow as it ran over

a stump, and sustained several severe cuts. From June 12 to 22 a Chantaugua will be held in Beatrice. The park

sion to hold the Chautauqua at the Charles park. The discovery of small insects re sembling lice in the roots of several fields of wheat that have shown symptoms of blight has caused some alarm

near Fremont. The baseball fans of Pickerell and Cortland want the Union Pacific company to run a motor car to Lincoln on Sunday so they can witness the Western league games there.

Wymore dog poisoners have set a new record. They rid the community of twenty-one dogs in three days, surpassing their own record of the past by about fifteen dogs. Edgar Steinhaur, an employe of

the Plattsmouth Journal, while riding tandem with Leland Briggs on a motorcycle, was knocked unconscious in a collision with a farmer's team. The Dempster company has a force of men working at Zimmerman Springs, northwest of Beatrice, with

a view of securing an adequate supply of pure water for the city. The state railway commission in dulged in a little salary raising. U. G. Powell, rate expert, who has been receiving \$200 a month, was given a

June 1. A new organization, known as the twenty-five.

missioner Gerdes of the Board of Con-

suits, of which the cost of making the two offices, Winnebago and Macy. shall not exceed \$5 each. Frank H. Krenzberg, who lives near Odell, after voting for thirty years and considering himself a citizen of the United States, has learned

that he is still a subject of the German emperor. The streets in the business section of Beatrice are to be flushed every day by the firemen and so do away with the sweeping. The work will be done between the hours of 2 and

3 o'clock in the morning. During a match game between the Grand Island and Cozad High schools Vance Faught, a member of Cozad's team, was struck at the base of the ear by a pitched ball, resulting in internal hemorrhage and death.

On Tuesday and Wednesday of next.

week a rousing campaign will be carried on by the Beatrice Commercial club to raise the \$7,500 budget fund. At the present time about \$3,000 has been raised with very little effort. Gage county farmers are at present milking about 10,000 cows, each producing on an average 125 pounds of Lumber company to Messrs. J. F. butter fat a year. Farm Demonstrator | Hinshaw and son of Tabor, Ia. The Liebers says that a great many of these do not produce enough butter of F. E. Lloyd, the president and man-

A contract was made Tuesday morning between the city of Wymore and the Murray Iron works of Burlington, Iowa, for the purchase of a Corliss steam engine and two boilers. The machinery is to be in Wymore within thirty days. The plant will be

used to generate electricity. The insurgants of the M. W. A. will open national headquarters at Hast-

Edward A. Brown, who was editor and proprietor of the Nebraska City Daily News from 1890 to 1908, died at his home in Oskalocsa, Ia. He was married to Miss Belle Sellers of

Omaha in 1892, who survives him. The pure food department keeps busy looking after the fruit dealers. Commissioner Harman has received word from one of his deputies that a the county being forty-eighth miles man at Havelock was prosecuted for selling a decayed pineapple and was of fifteen miles wide it has been im. assessed a fine of \$10 and costs.

J. E. Finfrock, who recently sold his interest in the Auburn Republican, is now city editor of the Ord Quiz. Peter Tongren, aged 21 years, whose home is in Beatrice, was drowned in Wood river. He was a student in the

normal school here and would have graduated this year. At a meeting of the Alliance board lowing the opening of churches, pictures shows and other public buildings to the public. The number of cases

spread of the disease

Thayer c unty has had a rainfall of CROP ANXIETY OVER

OFFICIAL REPORTS SHOW THAT BEST OF CONDITIONS PREVAIL

First Crop of the Forage Is Being Harvested in Western Part of the State-Weather Is. Clear.

The Burlington' Nebraska crop report has been waited for with considerable anxiety by grain men and others interested in crop conditions. It has been known that the rains all over the state were the heaviest in years, and consequently it was feared that the report would show possibly heavy damage in many localities.

The anxiety is now dispelled, for the crop report indicates a most flat-President Waters of the state aerie tering condition so far as small grain of Eagles is making final arrange is concerned. On the ten-year basis ments for the state convention of the the condition of winter wheat is placed at better than 100 per cent and on the several divisions of the road is estimated as follows:

Omaha division, 102 per cent. Lincoln division, 104 per cent. Wymore division, 106 per cent. McCook division, 100 per cent. Estimates Too Low.

General Superintendent Allen of the Nebraska divisions still maintains that the estimates as made by the agents and other experts and then compiled by divisions is too low. He maintains that after making extensive commissioners have granted permistrips through the wheat growing counties of the state he is justified in putting the condition of the cereal at 120 per cent, as compared with the ten-year average.

Oats are reported to be in fine condition, without any signs of the appearance of rust or damaging insects. This is also true of all other kinds of spring small grain.

Taking up corn the report goes on to say that while it has been very unfavorable for planting farmers planted between showers, and consequently got considerable seed into the ground. There are no reports of corn having rotted. On the other hand it is stated that early planted corn is growing fairly well, regardless of the cold and wet weather.

On the McCook division it is estimated that 80 per cent of the corn hed been planted, 50 per cent on the Omaha and Lincoln and 30 per cent on the Wymore division.

In the west part of the state where the weather was clear, the first cutting of alfalfa was commenced.

Headright List Taken to Washington.

Winnehago Neb. - Superintendent salary of \$250 a month, beginning A. H. Kneale left for Washington, D. C., Sunday, May 25, supposedly for the purpose of having the list of Indipublic service club, has lately come ans to whom he recommends that the had ordered the prisoner removed by into existence at Broken Bow. It is long looked for head right be paid in composed of leading business men cash, approved at the Indian office. It and has a charter membership of is understood that the list has been prepared with the idea of being as Secretary of State Wait and Com- liberal as possible, as regards the competent ones. The headright of trol have gone to Beatrice to super- the incompetent Indians and also of vise the installation of an electric the minors, is to be reserved, or still power plant at the state institution in held in trust. Mr. Kneale expects to return in about one week when the The graduating class of the Frechecking in of the new agent, Mr. mont High school has set a limit on Spear, will take place. In the meanthe cost of graduating frocks. The time, the latter is making himself acgirls have agreed to wear sailor quainted with the reservations, and

Western Union Appeals Suit. The Western Union Telegraph company has appealed to the supreme court from a judgment secured in the Douglas county court against the company by C. B. Nash & Co. of

Omaha. The Nash people set out in their case in the district court that the telegraph comapny failed to deliver a message sent by them to a brokrage firm in New York instructing them to sell 300 shares of American Smelting and Refining company's common stock at 681/2 cents. As a result the Nash company lost out in the amount of \$1,687.50 on the stock. The lower court gave the company a verdict for \$799 and the telegraph company ap-

peals. Lumber Firm Changes Hands. Bradshaw, Neb.-Quite animportant business change was made in this town in the sale of the Bradshaw sale includes the fine new residence ager. Mr. Hinshaw is a cousin of ex-Congressman E. H. Hinshaw of Fair-

Wymore will celebrate the Fourth of July. The volunteer fire department will have charge of the expenditure of \$500 which has been subscribed for the day's festivities.

Will Have New Court House. Springview, Neb.-Keya Paha county has voted to issue bonds to the amount of \$17,000 to build a new court house in Springview, the county

seat. The proposition to vote bonds carried by a majority of 68. Two years ago the same proposition lost by thirty-three votes. The present court house was built in 1885 and is not even an excuse for a court house, but east and west and only an average possible to get a bond issue till now.

For a National Highway.

Fremont, Neb .- The meeting in Fremont of the Platte Valley Good Roads association in connection with the Central transcontinental national highway association resulted in the Platte Valley official transcontinental of health a resolution was passed al- association for promoting the national highway movement across Nebraska and Wyoming. Five states were represented at the meeting. Despite of small pox has greatly decreased the muddy roads over 200 road boostand there is no further danger of the ers attended, from east as far as Chicago and west as far as Julesburg.

PEACE DELEGATES.

CEREMONIES ARE VERY BRIEF

the Powers.

Servia, Stephanos Skoloudis for Greece and M. Popocitch for Monte-The only dramatic feature of the historic occasion was M. Popovitch's expression of keen disappointment that Montenegro had "been despoiled of its just share of the spoils of a triumphant war" and of the hope that

The actual ceremony was very brief. The delegates signed the treaty without reading it, evidently in full confidence that all the seven articles were in such wording as the powers

The Bulgarian delegates proposed that peace become immediately effective without ratification of the treaty. This proposal was rejected and the delegates then left after having agreed to meet to consider the advisability of an eventual annexed pro-

conference of the signing of the peace the conference limit its discussions to bania, the delimitation of the southern

Council Bluffs, Ia.-A mob of nearly 300 men, formed for the purpose of lynching Francisco Guidice, an Italian accused of murdering Fireman heart of Council Bluffs, when it was oner from the county officers.

for a battering ram, marched upon the county jail and demanded the prisvisited every cell. Other committees visited the city jail and searched the

cil Bluffs, shouting and demolishing Property demolished probably will not exceed \$1,000. The heaviest loss

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Stilwell Sentenced to Sing Sing. New York .- Former State Senator Stephen K. Stilwell, convicted of bribery by a jury after he had been exonerated by the New York state senate, was sentenced to serve not less than four years nor more than eight in Sing Sing prison.

Special Stamp Abolished. Washington.-Postmaster General Burleson has issued an order discon-

Baker, who escaped from Sheriff Wilson of Riverside, Cal., by jumping from a train, was captured here by Chief of Police McMillin.