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# FOR THE

Most Important Happenings of the World Told in Brief.

PERSONAL.

Louis A. Gregori, who fired upon Maj. Dreyfus during the ceremonies last June incident to the placing of the body of Emile Zola in the Pantheon, the Dreyfus affair, was acquitted by a jury.

John Mouton, a leper, who escaped from the Louisiana leper home in Iberville parish about a year ago, was found selling tickets at a nickel theater in New Orleans.

Bishop John L. Spalding of the Catholic diocese of Peoria, Ill., resigned because of ill health.

George W. Fitzgerald, accused of having stolen the \$173,000 which disappeared from the United States subtreasury at Chicago, was discharged by Judge Chetlain.

Count Leo Tolstoi received innumerable letters, telegrams and gifts from all parts of the world on the occasion of his birthday.

Judge Alton B. Parker said he was not willing to make the race for governor of New York.

"Billy" Sunday, the evangelist, armed with a sledgehammer, destroyed \$3,500 worth of plates containing an edition of his sermons in the pressroom of the W. B. Conkey Publishing company at Hammond, Ind. Congressman George L. Lilley was nominated for governor of Connecti-

cut by the Republicans. Harry J. Handy of the New Illinois Athletic club won the Marathon ten-

mile swimming race at St. Louis. the lives of two men on Lake Mendota. The men were in a canoe that capsized. The governor rowed to the

#### GENERAL NEWS.

The towns of Grand Marais and Beaver Bay were reported to be burning and many other places were endangered by the forest fires of Michigan and Minnesota.

A hurricane of great fury swept over Turks Islands, B. W. I., and the town of Grand Turk was devastated. A number of lives have been lost, but just how many cannot yet be said.

Emperor William disappointed the general expectation that he would set foot on French territory in the course of a sight-seeing voyage along the Vosges range

In a flight lasting one hour, ten minutes and 26 seconds, Orville Wright surpassed all his exploits for a time and distance flight for a heavier-than-

The number of unemployed in London, England, was strikingly illustrated when 3,000 men surrounded and attempted to make their way into a hospital which had advertised for a porter at a wage of \$4.50 a week and

Warm praise was given President Roosevelt by Judge E. H. Gary, chairman of the board of directors of the United States Steel corporation, at a banquet given for him by Sir Hugh Bell, president of the Iron and Steel

institute, and others. The plant of the Cosmosdale Cement Company, located at Cosmosdale, 17 miles southwest of Louisville, burned with a loss estimated at \$2,000,000.

American workingmen and workingwomen, represented by the American Federation of Labor, will co-operate with the coming world's congress on tuberculosis to prevent the spread of consumption in workshops, homes and public buildings.

The formal notification of John Temple Graves of his nomination as vicepresidential candidate of the Independence party took place at the Ponce de Leon Casino in Atlanta, Ga.

The board of directors of the National Federation of Women's Clubs selected Cincinnati as the place of the death. 1910 biennial convention.

Descendants of Maj. Gen. Alexander Macomb, first commander-in-chief of Gov. Cummins to the United States the United States army, gathered in senate. Detroit from many parts of the United States for the unveiling of a statue the negroes having purchased fireof Gen. Macomb, erected at the site arms. of his birthplace under the auspices of the Michigan Society of the Daughters N. H., accidentally shot and killed his

Paris Fletcher, member of a wellknown real estate firm of St. Paul, meeting of unemployed workingmen Minn., and prominent socially, was in- of New York into an anarchistic demstantly killed and Mrs. Fletcher was onstration, and for half an hour the severely injured by the overturning of big meeting held in Cooper Union was their automobile at Minneiska, near the scene of wild excitement, during

excursion craft in local waters, was made. Alexander Berkman and a badly damaged while attempting to young woman were arrested. pass through the Northwestern drawbridge at Winona, Minn.

ern Minnesota, destroying the village at Los Angeles by Billy Papke of Illiof Snowball and threatening several large towns.

Gold-bearing sand was found in Kansas City by a man digging a cis-

Heavy rain fell in northern Minne-

fires. Robbers dynamited the post office safe at Breckenridge, Mo., and got

a small amount of cash. The McAlpin trophy in the national

was won by the Ohio team. The Union passenger station at Memphis, Tenn., was destroyed by

fire.

Twelve hundred employes of the Great Northern Paper Company at Millinccket, Me., went on strike.

The commodities clause of the Hepburn railroad act was declared unconstitutional by the United States circuit court for the eastern district of Pennsylvania.

Judge Kenesaw Landis, who fined the Standard Oil Company of Indiana \$29,000,000, is charged with having permitted outside influences to govern his decision by the attorneys for the company in their answer to the application for a rehearing filed in the United States court of appeals.

County Attorney English at Omaha, Neb., filed a complaint against Charles E. Davis, charging him with murder in the first degree in connection with the shooting of Dr. Federick Rustin.

In a flight requiring great skill on account of a ten-mile wind, Orville Wright in his aeroplane circled around the drill ground at Fort Myer 58 times in 65 minutes and 52 seconds, break ing his own world's record.

The American battleship fleet arrived at Albany, the capital of Western

Jacob Hernesniemi, with his two sons, respectively 12 and 14 years old, met death while trying to fight off the forest fires that swept their homestead on Otter river near Calumet, Mich. Falling a victim to its policy of over-

extension and poor management the well-known fish, oyster and sea food house of A. Booth & Co. of Chicago, the largest in this country, was forced into the hands of a receiver.

The supreme court of Oklahoma upheld the validity of the depositors' guaranty law, denying the injunction prayed by the Noble State bank to restrain the state from levying a one per cent. assessment upon the deposits of the bank.

Miss Patricia Egan, daughter of Maurice F. Egan, the American minister to Denmark, was married in Copenhagen to Jerome Elmer P. Murphy of Los Angeles, Cal.

The body of Mrs. Ashton Harvey, dressed in white and literally covered with jewels worth a fortune, was found in the private pleasure lake on the estate of Stewart Hartshorn, at Short Hills, N. J., by blood hounds which had been brought from New York to seek her. Mrs. Harvey was the wife of Ashton Harvey, a millionaire corporation lawver.

The St. Vincent, the largest and heaviest battle ship ever built for the British navy, was launched successfully at Portsmouth.

Queen Wilhelmina's hopes of providing an heir to the throne of Holland were frustrated once more by a

Robert Wiltse, a veteran of the civil war, shot himself in the anteroom of the G. A. R. post at Oswego,

Batling Nelson clinched his claim to the lightweight pugilistic championship by defeating Joe Gans for the second time at San Francisco. The fight ended in the twenty-first round when Gans, beaten down by a succession of blows from his sturdy conqueror, failed to get upon his feet within the count of ten.

A severe gale caused many casualties among smaller craft along the coast of Great Britain. The schooner Phyllis Grav, laden with coal, went aground and turned turtle and the crew of six men were lost.

Philip Lilienthal, manager of the Anglo-California bank, San Francisco, was killed in an automobile accident. The Republican squabble in West Virginia was ended by the recognition of the Swisher convention as regular. In view of 7,000 persons at the Richmond county fair, held at Dongan Hills, Staten Island, William Coby, a youthful balloonist of Milwaukee, fell from an exploded balloon

and was probably mortally injured. D. R. Anderson, former cashier of the First National bank of Masontown, Pa., died at the penitentiary from paralysis. He was serving a fiveyear sentence for embezzlement.

Factions of the union and non-union stogie makers of Gallipolis, O., met on the street and fought a desperate battle which resulted in serious injury

to John White and Clarence Bayes. Hibbing, the largest town on the Mesaba Range, was threatened with destruction by forest fires and a des perate fight was made to save it Grand Marais also was reported in

Mrs. Abbie Rice testified at the inquest over Dr. F. H. Rustin of Omaha that he had planned for her to shoot him and kill herself and that when she weakened he told her he had made the same arrangement with C. E. Davis, a bank clerk. Mr. Davis ad mitted Dr. Rustin gave him drugs with which to commit suicide but denied any knowledge of the physician's

Republican standpatters in the Iowa legislature blocked the election of

Kansas City is in fear of a race war.

Carroll Hall, aged 14, of Danville,

16-year-old sister. An attempt was made to turn a which red flags were raised, the police The steamer Rutledge, the largest denounced and incendiary speeches

Forest fires broke out anew in north- was knocked out in the twelfth round nois, who is now middleweight cham-

pion of the world. At Fort Myer Orville Wright made the two greatest aeroplane flights ever made publicly in this country when he remained in the air for over 11 sota, saving Hibbing from the forest minutes on his first flight and for nearly eight minutes on his second

Adam Menche, deputy factory inaway with \$1,100 worth of stamps and spector and former president of the Illinois State Federation of Labor, was found dead in his room at Kewanee. shooting tournament at Seagirt, N. J., Ill. He is believed to have succumbed to heart disease.

sota named William H. Allen of St. arguing the necessity for increasing are paralyzed. The doctors say he commission will hear its demurrer Paul for governor.

# TO THE FREIGHT MEN

WHAT CLARK HAD TO SAY TO

## TRAFFIC MANAGERS.

Incorporations and Their Rules Should Be Overlooked and Supervised by Federal Tribunals.

St. Louis, Ill.-"I doubt if the whole history of lawmaking in this country discloses such a record of ignoring, evading and defying law as has marked the course of the interstate commerce law. Its purpose has been defeated through technicalities, but it must not be assumed that the effort toward government regulation of interstate commerce has been, is, or will be a failure or that it will be abandoned in despair. There will be no vindictiveness, no playing to the galleries and no partiality in administering the law as laid down by congress, but there will be a firm purpose and an earnest effort to enforce the full in-

tent." This statement was made by E. F. Clark, interstate commerce commissioner, in an address this afternoon before the annual convention of the American Association of Freight Traffic officials.

Mr. Clark said the roads should be permitted to maintain traffic associations, providing their articles of incorporation and their rules are subject to approval by a federal tribunal and are made public.

He opposed the proposition that a complaint against an increased rate should automatically suspend such rate, but urged that the Interstate Commerce commission be given authority to suspend a proposed increase in rates until its reasonable-

ness could be determined. The following officers were re-elect-

ed by the association: President, Robert C. Wright, Philadelphia: first vice president, T. W. Gallagher, Baltimore; second vicepresident, W. D. Groseclose, St. Louis; third vice-president, Charles R. Capps, Norfolk, Va.; fourth vice-president, George R. Crosby, Chicago; secretary, treasurer, J. F. Ausch, Philadelphia.

#### Cholera Has a Firm Hold.

St. Petersburg-An official stateent of the cholera situation in St. Petersburg shows that Sunday there were fifty-eight new cases and eight deaths from the disease and that there N. Y., while a post meeting was in are 107 patients in hospitals in with it.

Harry Thaw Gets Transfer.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y.-Harry K. Thaw will be transferred from the Duchess county jail to the jail at White Plains, Westchester county, under an order issued by Supreme Court Justice Mills at a special term in this

Burglars Rob Embassy.

Washington-Burgiais entered the British embassy and stole from the room of the housekeeper, Miss Clara Childs, a sum of money, jewelry and a gold watch and chain. Ambassador and Mrs. Brice are in Europe.

Idle Men by the Scores. London-The number of unemployed in this city was strikingly illus trated when 3,000 men surrounded and attempted to make their way into a hospital which had advertised for a porter at a wage of \$4.50 a week and meals.

Shaw Heads the Company. Philadelphia-Leslie M. Shaw, for merly secretary of the treasury, will come to this city shortly to accept the presidency of the First Mortgage Guaranty and Trust company of this

Yellow Fever in Mexico. Mexico-Reports from the city of Merida, cepital of Yucatan declare that two authenticated cases of yeilow fever are in the pest house there and that four suspected cases are under

cbservatior. SPING WHEAT STARTS EAST.

Movement Begins Earlier Than Last Year and Grain High Quality. St. Paul. Minn.-According to the

general freight agents of the northern railroads, which run through the wheat belt of the northwest, the wheat ercp movement has just started and it is from two to three weeks earlier than last year.

Reports received from Duluth and Superior show that the movement the last two days of last week indicated receipts of from 500 to 650 cars daily in those two cities for trans-shipment down the lakes.

The crop is more abundant in some places and less in others, but the grade is larger. The percentage tag of No. 1 northern wheat is greater

To Investigate Fish Combine. Chicago.-A statement made by Louis M. Polakow, publisher of a trade journal devoted to the fish trade, which was given publicity on Saturday, was made the basis of a report that federal investigation would be made of the affairs of A. Booth & Co., who went into the hands of a receiver last week. Polakow declared that the middleweight champion of the world, prices of fish to dealers throughout the country were dictated by A. Booth & Co., and that he was ready to give the district attorney details concerning their operations.

> More Men for Signal Corps. Washington-With the utility of aerial navigation as an adjunct to the army in time of war, practically demonstrated by the phenomenal flights made at Fort Myer; with the activity displayed by foreign governments in securing aerial navies, and with the advantages of maintaining constant communication between the various units of an army in time of war strikingly illustrated in recent international conflicts, military authorities are the strength of the signal corps.

THE STATE GAPITAL NEBRASKA NEWS AND NOTES. items of Greater or Lesser Impor-

tance Over the State.

Mrs. Mary A. Gilmore of Otoe coun-

ty went insane and was taken to the

A young man of Milford, named

Burkholder, was arrested by Sheriff

Elmer Tuttle, a young man raised

in Salem, was run over by a west-

bound Burlington train and killed. He

is said to have been intoxicated and

A reward of \$100 has been offered

Gillan for attempted assault on a

stroyed by fire. The loss is \$2,500.

tive in David City.

to be strapped down.

young woman named Erb.

was lying on the track.

bay weighing 1,750 pounds.

tance in an automobile.

to be amputated.

but the corn crop short.

and many others of larger size.

The union labor lodges of McCook

observed Labor day with a big pic-

nic. an address by Congressman G.

W. Norris and several unionist

speeches, music by the High school

band, a ball game and numerous other

Mrs. Seigart of Hastings, who sev-

eral weeks ago was injured in Doni-

phan, is still in a serious condition and

a suit may be instituted against the

village of Doniphan or the St. Joseph

& Grand Isand railroad for having im-

Mark Selts, one of the progressive

young farmers of Pawnee county, was

so seriously injured as to cause his

death. He was engaged in building a

new residence on his farm, three and

one-half miles east of the city. While

Three men, Joe and Jay Harrison

and John Conrad, were arrested at

Ponca for breaking into John Coin's

saloon. They got \$21 and probably

some whisky. After they were ar-

rested they gave up the money, but

With his arm in a sling as the result

of a collision with a Mexican bicycle

rider, D. E. Thompson, ambassador to

Mexico, arrived in Lincoln in his spec-

ial car. He is on leave of absence and

will remain in this country several

weeks. This is the second time the

same arm has been fractured and Mr.

Thompson said it had caused him con-

siderable discomfort and inconven-

According to the report of County

Superintendent R. C. King, there were

thirteen schools, in Otoe county that

were not able to open on account of

the shortage of teachers and these

schools will have to remain closed

until teachers have been secured. A

month ago there was a shortage of

forty-seven teachers, but since then

the shortage has been cut down to

One of the heaviest real estate sales

erland dispatch, in a long time, was

ranch, lying in the east part of Keith

passed from the ownership of C. F.

acres of deeded lands and is well

The story of the killing of a Mr. Per-

lick by George Boyer has reached

was engaged in setting a post on the

it was not on the correct line. Hot

the head with a heavy tamping stake

Harry T. Martin, Fred Thomas,

ago and was traced to Central City.

The corn crop is maturing rapidly in

he had been using.

which they paid.

little damage.

will not recover.

stocked with cattle, horses, etc.

proper lighting.

upon him fatal injuries.

are held under \$500 bonds.

state treatment at the Lincoln asylum.

Keith county, when the tank house

collapsed, are all alive. Frank Kalviet,

man in his meat market, is the most

The peach and appe crop is so

City dispatch, that the canning fac-

tory has contracted to put up some-

The Oxford roller mills were de-MATTERS OF INTEREST TO ALL Burglars of late have been very ac-CITIZENS.

# asylum. She is very violent and had

Eleven Counties Yet to Be Heard from Before Tabulated Statement Can Be Given

Lincoln-Returns from eleven counies are yet to be received before the secretary of state can complete the tabulation of the official returns from for the capture of a thief. who stole the primary election held September 1. a horse from Hodges & Baldwin's Most people, except those personally barn in Fremont. The animal is a big. interested, take much interest in the matter so far as the large majority of C. M. Earnest was arrested in Sethe state offices are concerned. The wad by Sheriff Gillan for having stolen result has been known for many days except in the case of candidates for a team June 8 in Holt county. He sold it at Krolbach. He was taken the nomination for state auditor. to O'Neill by the sheriff of that county. Eighty counties reported give Barton 9,930, and Alden 10,608. Among the F. Erickson and family of Menahga, missing counties is Douglas which Minn., arrived in Fremont in an automobile. They came to visit Mr. and gave Barton a plurality of about 1,100. Mrs. David Jones, who reside south of Barton's nomination by about 250 is considered assured. The counties missthe city. They drove the whole dising from the official returns are Richard Prettie made an application | Brown, Butler, Deuel, Douglas, Hayes, to Clerk Mundy at the district court | Holt, Polk, Rock, Thayer and Washof Dodge county for hearing under the ington.

dipsomaniac act. Prettie says he is a Unless the figures are not deceptive, dope fiend and he wants to take the W. B. Price of Lincoln, the democratic nominee for state auditor, is also nom-The five people who were injured in inated by 250 or more. Mr. Price is probably as much surprised as any one over the result of the primaries. the young man employed by Mr. Gir-He desired to be a candidate for congress in the First district but was sudseriously injured. His leg may have denly pulled off at the last moment and informed by the leaders of his party that he could not run for congress. Unbeknown to him some of his heavy in this section, says a Nebraska democratic friends then filed nomination papers for him for the office of thing like fifteen carloads of these two state auditor.

kinds alone. The tomato crop was fair, Congressman Hinshaw believes the newspaper reports have given him too Fremont's new \$60,000 Y. M. C. A. much of a majority over his opponent. building was opened to the public last His reports are official with the excepweek. A big crowd filled the lobby, tion of reports from three counties. He corridors and the gymnasium. The believes the returns give him 7,868. swimming pool in the basement called Aldrich 3,809; a majority of 4,059. out the admiration of the smal boys

It is shown by the official returns that the two constitutional amendments submitted for adoption by political parties to be placed on the ballot this fall as party measures have been adopted by all political parties, republican, democrat, populist and even socialists. The returns show some opporanks to the amendment increasing the number of supreme judges, increasing their salary and increasing the salary of judges of the district courts and providing for the appointment of four supreme judges by the governor. This opposition is shown in Valley county, where the democrats defeated this amendment, and in Webster. Kearney and Harlan, where the populists defeated the amendment relating to the judiciary. The amendment for the investment of state school funds in school district bonds and such other securities as the legislature may from time to time direct. appeared to be more popular everywhere than the judiciary amendment. The real test of the popularity of the amendments will come at the November election, when they are to be voted upon for final adoption or rejection as

a part of the state constitution. If the candidates do not amend their ffidavits, Edgar Howard of Columbus will be recorded as having spent more money in his campaign than was spent by his opponent, James P. Latta of Te-

Secretary of State Junkin has received a message showing that W. A. Stewart of Lexington was nominated by the republicans of the Thirteenth senatorial district by a majority of twenty-three, Stewart's opponent came out for county option and he opposed it. This was an issue of importance in the district. Stewart is said to have won because of his record as a progressive as against his opponent, who has been identified with the old machine for many years.

to occur in this section, says a Suth-Nebraska Educational Commission. The Nebraska Educational commis consummated during the past few sion, appointed by the Superintendents days, when the famous "Duck Brand" and Principals' association at its annual meeting in 1907, met in the office county, a few miles west of this place, of the state superintendent. The members of the commission present were Nevin to P. P. Maddux of Miller, this State Superintendent McBrien, Presistate. The ranch embraces 75,000 dent Crabtree of the Peru State Normal, President Thomas of the Kearney State Normal, and Dean Bessey, acting for Chancellor Andrews of the University of Nebraska. The committee dis-Bridgeport. Boyer, who is well known cussed the plans for the unifying of throughout that part of the country. the state courses of study and for the codifying of the school laws, and will section line between his place and that make its official report to the Superof Mr. Perlick, when the latter apintendents and Principals' association peared and demanded that the post at the November, 1908, meeting. This be set back several feet, alleging that committee is acting along the same lines as similar commissions in the words followed and in the quarrel states of Massachusetts, Connecticut, which ensued Boyer struck Perlick on New York, California, West Virginia and Illinois.

Headquarters at Lincoln.

Larry Mullin and Lulu Wolfe, who The headquarters of the Bryan volwere arrested at Decatur by Sheriff unteers, which have been in Columbus Phipps, charged with selling liquor without a license, were taken before Judge Sears where they all plead guilty and were fined \$200 and costs, their location, will be moved to Lin- Ancient Order United Workmen, has Sheriff White and two deputies from near the democratic state headquar- developments of the last few days Ida Grove, Ia., who have been in Cen- ters. Up to this time the work at show that Mrs. Mary Latky, grand tral City for several days, were re- democratic headquarters has not been chief of honor, has taken a hand and warded in their search by the capture stenographer have composed the enof Ehiner Johnson, who is wanted at Ida Grove on a charge of statutory as. | tire force. But now that the primary sault. Johson left home some weeks | battle is out of the way, the democrahis management promises activity.

Date for Lumber Hearing. Thayer county. Grain men say Thayer The Commercial club of Lincoln county will produce more corn this jumped into the game to assist the season than ever before. The crop is railroads in maintaining a high rate so far advanced that frost would do out of Omaha on lumber. The lumber Orpha Cook, a Kinkaider, living in north Deuel county on his homestead, the Railway commission setting out put his team up at a livery barn in that the railroads were hauling lumber Ogalalla and slept in the loft. Next | out of Lincoln to points in the state morning at 4 o'clock he got up in the at a rate less than the rate given darkness, stepped throug a hatchway. Omaha merchants. The Commercial falling to the floor below. The spinal club here employed Judge Field to column is dislocated, his lower limbs | help maintain the present rates. The

TREATMENT OF TUBERCULOSIS.

Things that Should be Carefully Guarded Against by Afflicted. Afflicted.

In the home treatment for tuberculosis you need to carefully guard yourself against taking too much exercise, and should you have an afternoon temperature, you should take no exercise at all. The fever is the "consumption" and is the destructive force in the disease. Hence, if you have to take a thorough course of Peruna. fever, you should not even sit up, you should lie down. . his is an important | to inform me that the thing for me to do point and those who imagine that they I was to resign my position and seek a should take vigorous and heroic exer- higher, more congenial climate. Everycise should have their minds disabused at once. (A person who is below normal weight should take no exercise at all until he has regained his normal weight.-Kirschner.) Your | plied myself as iduously to the task of exercise should always be directed by taking it, as per instructions, in the your physician. This rule should not

be violated. If you are a user of intoxicants you must cease at once for you cannot be cured if you insist on using them. Remember that you have a "consumpon" burning the vitality from your blood more rapidly than nature can restore it. If upon your already devitalized condition you impose an additional burden you may as well abandon hope of recovery. You must leave liquor alone.

Your recovery will depend largely on temperament. The cure must be earned and it will require an extended period of time to do this. There is small chance for you if you are a melancholy, discontended, fault finding person. Intelligent, persistent and painstaking action is required, in must be maintained. There will all by the immense crowd of pilgrims, ways be much to encourage the faithful and the patient ones, and an equable temperament and fine conduct will find ultimate and large reward.

The foregoing paragraphs are extracts from a pamphlet on Home Treatment in Iowa for Tuberculosis, edited by A. E. Kepford, Lecturer Department of Education on Tuberculesis and published by the Iowa Board of Control. This literature is spread broadcast in Iowa in the heroic effort made by that state to throw off the stackles of thralldom to the great white plague. Mr. Kepford was once a minister of the gospel, now he calls himself a minister of the gospel of good health, and what a gospel, verily. To quote from a current magazine: "That it is stupid to be sick is a new idea, because we have always believed that most of our illnesses are either foreordained or accidents. Now we are rapidly learning that our illness are largely of our making; of our own carelessness; of our own stupidity in fact." Then let us no longer be careless nor stupid, lest nature exact her tribute from us in punishment meted out to us for leaving her simple ways. If you are consumptive go back to nature; if you do not know how, address Tuberculosis, 408 City Hail, Omaha for information.

#### Equalization Board's Work.

The State Board of Equalization concluded its work of equalizing the value of railroad property assessed under the terminal tax law by increasing the main track of the Union Pacific about 10 per cent and the sidetracks about 50 per cent. This increase does not apply to Douglas county, which was left as returned by the assessor. The Northwestern, including the Minneapolis & Omaha, was reduced practically 10 per cent. This increase and reduction was done in order to equalize between the different roads. The total terminal property of the various roads, with the exception of the Northwestern and the Minneapolis & Omaha, are not yet available. The property assessed for local purposes belonging to the Northwestern in 1907 was \$587,-813, and this year under the terminal tax law it amounts to \$1,115,647. Property of the Minneapolis & Omaha assessed last year for city purposes amounted to \$227,100, and under the new law it amounts this year to \$435,

### Senator Burkett Invited.

Senator Burkett has received an in vitation to attend the nineteenth annual session of the Trans Mississippl commercial congress, to be held at San Francisco October 6 to 10, and to deliver an address at the meeting. The object of the congress is to discuss subjects of interest to the states in a commercial way, such as river and harbor improvement, finances, live stock industries, dry farming, leasing of public lands. Special attention will be given at this session of the congress to the conservation of natural resources, to which attention has been directed by President Roosevelt.

## Contract is Awarded.

The board of public lands and buildings awarded a contract for a new laundry and store room at the girls' industrial school at Geneva to take the place of a building destroyed by a wind storm. Mr. Ashmacher of Lincoln will build it for \$6,950.

Degree of Honor Politics.

The fight between Mrs. Hattie Woolley of Lincoln and Miss Teresa Hemall summer, and which have been the pel of Plattsmouth for the office of subject of conflicting rumors as to grand recorder of the Degree of Honor, coln, where rooms have been secured | reached the fever heat stage and the has endorsed Mrs. Wooley for place. Another development is that Governor Sheldon has withdrawn his name from a circular being sent out by Mrs. Woolley endorsing her.

Big Brief in Miles Will Case.

One of the largest, if not the largest brief ever filed in the supreme court was filed in the Miles will case by the attorneys for the appellants-John dealers of Omaha filed a petition with Lee Webster, John H. Atwood, Reavis & Reavis, I. J. Ringolsky and Joseph H. Broady. The brief contains 353 pages besides a complete index of seven pages, and one page of apology to the court for the length of the "book." The suit is an appeal in a proceeding in equity to set aside the probate of a will of Stephen B. Miles, who died at Falls City in 1898.

## Night Sweats & Lough.

E. W. Walton, Condr. S. P. Ry., 717 Van Ness St., San Antonio, Tex., writes: "During the summer and fall of 1902, my annoyance from eatarrh reached that stage where it was actual misery and developed alarming symptoms, such as a very deep-seated cough, night sweats, and pains in the head and chest. I experimented with several socalled remedies before I finally decided

"Twoof my friends had gone so far as one thought I had consumption and I was not expected to live very long.

"Having procured some Peruna, I decided to give it a thorough test and apmeantime.

"The effects were soon apparent, all alarming symptoms disappeared and my general health became fully as good as it had ever been in my life.

"I have resorted to the use of Peruna on two or three occasions since that time to cure myself of bad colds."

BATHING AN INDIAN IDOL.

#### Curious Ceremony Attended by Thousands of Devout Pilgrims.

Thousands of pilgrims from the various outlying villages and other parts of the Hooghly district poured in from an early hour in the morning to the

temples of Jagernath, says the Calcutta Stateman. The image of the god is placed on a conspicuous part of the temple, so which a cheerful, contended demeaner | that it can be viewed at an advantage and there at a certain fixed hour the

bathing ceremony commences. The most curious part of the festival is that water is not poured on the image of the god until a certain small bird is found sitting on the topmost banner of the temple. There is a popular belief that the bird comes from Puri, the famous place of Hindu pilgrimage, to Maheoh on the day of this festival, and his very presence is an indication that the ceremony should commence. Immediately after the bath the bird disappears.

#### EYESIGHT WAS IN DANGER

From Terrible Eczema-Baby's Head a Mass of Itching Rash and Sores

-Disease Cured by Cuticura. "Our little girl was two months old when she got a rash on her face and within five days her face and head remedies but it got worse instead of better and we thought she would turn blind and that her ears would fall off. She suffered terribly, and would scratch until the blood came. This went on until she was five months old, then I had her under our family doctor's care, but she continued to grow worse. He said it was eczema. When she was seven months old I started to use the Cuticura Remedies and in two months our baby was a different girl. You could not see a sign of a sore and she was as fair as a newborn baby. She has not had a sign of the eczema since. Mrs. H. F. Budke, LeSueur, Minn., Apr. 15 and May 2, '07."



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