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Most Important Happenings of the World Told in Brief.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Commissioner of Corporations Smith in a report to the president, urges an investigation of the American Tobacco Company, the trust which conkind of tobacco in this courtry.

The house finally settled the tangle Knox being secretary of state in the Taft cabinet. In the senate Senator | fines. La Follette and Senator Penrose had a wordy war over the committee ques-

The naval bill appropriating \$136,-000,000 for the United States navy was passed by the senate. Senator La Follette criticised the methods of the navy in speaking on the measure.

President Roosevelt in a message to congress, accompanying the report made by the engineers who went with Taft to Panama, approved the lock type of caanl.

President-elect Taft announced that Senator Knox of Pennsylvania will be secretary of state in his cabinet, saying the action of the senate and house had removed the constitutional bar ment against the bill was that the raised by the senator's vote to in- present Nebraska law allowing a jury crease the salary of the office.

western coast of the country from an attack. The suggestion is made in an amendment to the naval bill, which plan to put the marines on land.

The Burke bill requiring all occ going steamships carrying fifty of more passengers to be equipped with Granada, Spain, over the question of wireless telegraph apparatus, was the collection of duties on foodstuffs passed by the house of representatives The bill prescribes a penalty of were killed and five wounded. not to exceed \$3,000 or imprisonment for not to exceed one year or both for ent in Paris incognito as Signor Neviolation of its provisions.

President Roosevelt in a special message to congress urged the establishment of a federal bureau which will protect wayward and dependent children.

PERSONAL

President-elect Taft, amid great hilarity was initiated as a member of the "Knocker's" club in Cincinnati. The object of the club is to "knock" everything detrimental to the city.

Congressman Thomas D. Nichols of Scranton, Pa., resigned as president cf District No. 1, United Mine Workers of America, an office he had filled for 11 years. Ill-health is given as

President Roosevelt, in addressing delegates to the conservation conference, spoke for world-wide co-opera-

tion in saving resources. Mrs. William J. Lemp, wife of the millionaire St. Louis brewer, was awarded a divorce decree and \$6,000 a

year alimony. W. W. Ramsey, former president of the German National bank of Pittsburg, was found guilty as indicted in connection with the recent graft ex-

posures. President-elect Taft was made a Mason "at sight" in Cincinnati in the presence of many distinguished offi-

cers and members of the order. Senator Smith of Michigan has blocked the efforts to ratify the Canadian boundary waterways treaty for the reason that his state is the loser

GENERAL NEWS.

under the pact.

A report from London said Austria had served notice on Servia that unless that country disarms before next Saturday the Austrian army will cross the frontier and begin war.

In one of the hardest battles ever witnessed in the country, Jem Driscoll, featherweight champion of England, had a shade on Abe Attell, champion of the world after ten rounds in New York. Experts are agreed that nothing short of a 25-round contest will settle the question of real supremacy between them.

President Roosevelt announced that a call will be issued for a conference at The Hague next September to consider world-wide conservation of the resources of the earth.

Gov. Marshall of Indiana in a special message to the legislature announced that the state treasury is bankrupt and has only enough money to pay the state's expenses during March. with a bomb, confessed that he is Unless action is taken at once, he says, the institutions may have to be closed.

The fishing interests of Puget Sound dren. will carry to the state department in crnment of Hecate strait and Dixon one of the most savage of his tribe entrance. This action is said to be and fought for years before he finally an attempt to extend Canadian power was run down and captured by Gen. beyond the three-mile limit.

The health officer of Gary, Ind., Capt. Mogg and five men who set found a man, his wife and children out 14 months ago to explore the arcliving in a single room with a team of tic regions and were given up as lost, horses, a mule, a cow and a calf.

Fires which were fatal to five per- Point Barrow, according to a message sons occurred at Colliers, W. Va., and received at Port Townsend. Lakeville, Pa. Chicago had a \$235. Three lives were lost in the wreck

000 factory fire. near meeting death in Omaha, Neb., sons were hurt. A broken rail caused when a big kite which he was flying the crash. picked him up from the top of a ten- Thirty lives were lost in the colstory building, and but for comrades lision of the Belgian steamer Auswho grabbed him and prevented his tralia and an unidentified versel in the further ascent, would have dropped Mediterranean, 100 miles from Gib- States." him into the street below.

The United States Steel Corpora-tion, through former Judge Gary, chairman of its board of directors is sued a statement declaring that the country's large steel and iron manufacturers have decided to declare an open market" to protect the industry. The action, it is announced, is necessary because small dealers have been

cutting prices. Rivers of Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin and Iowa are among those provided for in the \$9,971,625, appropriated by the emergency and maintenance bill introduced in the house by Chairman Burton of the rivers and harbors committee.

A high judicial official of St. Petersburg is authority for the statement that the Grand Duke Vladimir, oldest uncle of the czar, who died a few days ago, was behind a plot to dethrone the emperor and declare a regency for Russia

When Gov. Stubbs signs the antiliquor bill passed by both the house and senate Kansas will have a prohibition law which is absolutely "airtight" even prohibiting that physicians shall not prescribe liquor for the use of patients. The senate accepted the house amendment barring physicians' prescriptions. This bill is the outgrowth of the crusade against the "joints" by Attorney General Jackson.

The London police had a battle trols four-fifths of the output of each with 60 suffragists who tried to get into parliament to deliver a message to Premier Asquith. Sixteen of the which threatened to prevent Senator women were arrested and eight were sent to jail, refusing to pay their

The tariff convention adjourned in Indianapolis, after the delegates had pledged themselves to work for the appointment of a government commission. John Barrett addressed the convention on trade with the Latin republics.

The American fleet, now only 600 miles from home, after its historic world voyage, will arrive in Hampton Roads Monday. It will be greeted by thousands and reviewed by President Roosevelt.

By a vote of 56 to 24 the house of representatives of Nebraska voted down the Raper bill for the abolition of capital punishment. The chief arguto decree either capital punishment The senate wants the president to or life imprisonment for murder keep one-half of the United States' in the first degree is as good as can warships in the Pacific to guard the be enforced as long as the governor is given pardoning power.

The steamship Mauretania, the largest afloat, again broke the record also was changed to block Roosevelt's for the westward ocean voyage. She averaged 26 knots an hour on her trip to New York.

There was an outbreak of rioting at into the city in which two persons

The duke of the Abruzzi is at pres-

gretto. He is buying a medical outfit to be used on his approaching expedition to the Himalaya mountains. Joseph Pulitzer, owner, and Caleb M. Van Hamm and Robert H. Lyman. editors of the New York World, and Delavan Smith and Charles R. Williams, owner and editor of the Indianapolis News, were indicted for criminal libel in connection with stories their papers published concerning the purchase of the Panama canal property. The persons alleged to have been libeled are President Roosevelt, J. Pierpont Morgan, Elihu Root, Charles P. Taft, William Nelson Cromwell and

Douglas Robinson. Resolutions demanding the appointment of a permanent tariff commission and a revision of the present schedules immediately were adopted in the tariff convention in Indianap

Reports have just been received that 7,000 persons lost their lives in au earthquake in western Persia on January 23. Porto Rico and Alaska have recently had severe shocks.

In addition to being called before the army retiring board, Col. William F. Tucker has been sued for separate maintenance by his wife. Mrs. Tucker is a daughter of Gen. John A. Logan. Maj. Gen. Bell, chief of staff of the Unted States army, says America is more in danger of war than it ever has been in the past and urges that the

country be prepared for a conflict. Woman's suffrage legislation is out of the question in Oklahoma for two years. The senate by a vote of 21 to 15 sustained the unfavorable report of the committee on the bill granting

suffrage to both sexes. Turkey, Bulgaria and Austria were visited by an earthquake which caused 100 deaths in Sivas, Turkey, and destroyed the city. Other towns were damaged and the people terror stricken.

The Racine police arrested "Jimmy" Morgan, one of the most notorious bank sneaks in the country for the theft of \$3,800 from the First National bank in Milwaukee. He confessed saying he had four accomplices. Replies were made in the house at Washington to Representative Rainey's attack on the purchase of the Panama canal route. President-elect Taft. his brother Charles P. Taft and William Nelson Cromwell were defended by Mr Lovering

"C. M. Carnet," who attempted to blackmail Lawrence M. Jones, a Kansas City (Mo.) merchant, out of \$7,000 by threatening to blow him to atoms Robert Benjamin Bledsoe and that he lived on a farm five miles north of Dallas. Tex. He has a wife and two chil-

Geronimo, the Apache Indian chief. Washington a protest against the re- after being in prison 20 years, died at ported seizure by the Canadian gov- Fort Siil, Okla. The old Indian was Miles' men.

have been heard from. They are at

of an Illinois Central train near Mur-I. W. Cunningham of Chicago came physboro, Ill., and about thirty per-

raltar.

SOUTH OMAHA RIOTING INCITED BY A MASS MEETING.

A Number of People Wounded, the Torch Applied to Buildings, and Much Damage Done.

Omaha.-For six hours Sunday afternoon and evening the Greeks, the Austrians and the Roumanians of South Omaha were at the mercy of a howling, half drunken mob, during which time at least twenty men and boys were more or less seriously injured by beating or shooting. Probhouses and retail business places belonging to men of the three nationalities, were gutted and damaged all of the way from demolished window fronts to almost complete destruction by fire, and in which practically every man, woman and child of the three nationalities, estimated at from 1,500 to 1,800, fled from the city.

The desperate rioting immediately followed a great public mass meeting held early in the afternoon, called as a protest against the presence of the Greeks alone, following the murder of Police Officer Lowery the preceding Friday night. The call, which was largely signed, also made other serious charges against the Greeks, tending to incriminate them of insults and outrages against respectable women. The meeting itself was largely attended by the better class of citizens of the city, and in so far as the acts of that meeting would advise the following criminal acts by the mob were not justified. But at the conclusion of the meeting several hundred rowdies, attracted by it, began a course of rioting and crime, which at the beginning brought forth many encouraging cheers from the supposedly better class of citizens, who rapidly melted away, however, as soon as they saw the dangerous proceedings started. Soon the disreputable element was left alone to continue its terrorism, checked only by a small police force, until the arrival of Sheriff Brailey with a large force of deputies from Omaha. By that time darkness gave cover to the actions of the mob, and not until 9:30 p. m. was the situation gotten so under control that but spo-

radic outbreaks followed. For six hours, with revolver an club and brickbat, with torch, with blows and abuse did the ruffians march from place to place, crushing in windows, drinking the stolen liquors from wrecked saloons, stealing merchandise, assaulting those whom they sought, until the blood flowed from cruel wounds, in one instance shooting a respectable groceryman through the leg, and in another dragging a terror-stricken youth, clad only in his underwear, from a street car, where he had sought refuge, and beating him still more. Fifty buildings have been more or less damaged and the property loss will mount into thou-

# BIG FLEET REACHES HOME.

Squadron Now Lying Outside Capes

Waiting to Come in. Fort Monroe.—The returning battle ship ficet reached the southern drill grounds, fifty miles off the Virginia capes, early Sunday and the battleship Connecticut was in constant wire less comunication throughout the afternoon. The fleet will remain on the drill grounds until 5 o'clock Monday morning getting under way at that hour in order to make the capes by 10 o'clock and begin passing the Mayflower at the Tail of the Horseshoe in Chesapeake bay one hour later.

Adlai E. Stevenson III. Chicago, Ill -Adlai E. Stevenson former vice president of the United States is ill at his home in Bloomington, Ill., according to reports\_received here. The activities of the recent campaign, in which he was defeated by his republican rival for the governorship, is said to have proved a severe strain on his 74 years and he has, it is stated, visibly weakened during the last few weeks.

Slayer of Cashier Is Taken. Pittsburg, Pa.-William Gallagher, who is alleged to be wanted at Troup, N. S., for murder and bank robbery, has been arrested at Greensburg, Pa. Gallagher is said to have gone into a bank at Truro last June, and when questioned as to a check for \$28,000, which he had presented, shot the cashier and made off with the money, which had been counted out and placed at the cashier's window.

Well Known Banker Dead. New York .- Henry Seligman, international banker, at one time one of the best known financiers in the United States, and a man who played an important part in finance during the civil war, died at Frankfort-onthe Main, Germany.

Government Collects Fine. San Francisco.-The fine of \$2,500 imposed upon Henry Lair by United States Circuit Judge Landies in Chicago was collected in this city by United States Marshall Elliott.

Nephew of President Killed. Cambridge, Mass.-Stewart Douglas Robinson. 19 years old, a nephew of President Roosevelt and a sophomore of Harvard college, fell from a sixstory window of Hampton hall, a dor-

mitory on Massachusetts avenue, and

was killed.

Japs Have No Thought of War. London.-The newly appointed Japanese ambassador to Great Britain Count Takahira Kato, in an interview said that he saw no reason why Japanese relations with the United States should not remain excellent in the future, despite the loud talk of a small, excited section. "How highly we prize the statesmanlike and loyal policy of President Roosevelt in this connection," said the ambassador. "Nobody ever conceived such a mad scheme as fighting with the United

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tems of Interest Taken From Here and There Over the State, Mrs .Hale of Brownville was before the insanity board and was adjudged a fit subject for the asylum.

The legislative committee visited the Peru Normal and expressed them-

selves well pleased with the outlook. The Plattsmouth city council is considering the benefits to be derived by building its own water and electric light plant. Rev. G. M. Bing, pastor of the First

Methodist Episcopal church at Walker, Ia., has been transferred by Bishcp McDowell to the First Methodist Epiacopal church at Schuyler. President Crabtree of the Peru Nor.

mal has asked for a \$40,000 appropriation for an administration building; also for \$10,000 to build an addition to the library. The McCook Commercial club took

decisive action in a protest against

ably fifty buildings, mostly boarding the repeal of the present high school law of this state, as is contemplated in a bill now before the legislature. At a sale of personal property in Cuming county, held last week, an ordinary milch cow sold for \$82.50, the

cheapest cow sold at this auction

fetching the remarkably high price of W. Vietmeier has been appointed as bookkeeper at the institute for the blind at Nebraska City, to take the place of C. E. Hanner, who resigned to go to David City to accept a posi-

tion in one of the banks. The preliminary hearing of Austin C. Bagwell, charged with blackmailing S. M. True, cashier of the Bank of Inavale, was concluded and Bagwell bound over for trial before the district court, under bond of \$1,000.

The Presbyterian church of Ponca was burned recently. Rev. Joseph B. Cherry, the pastor, discovered the fire in the furnace room and gave the larm, but the building and contents were entirely consumed.

The McCook Co-Operative Building and Savings association at its annual meeting in McCook took strong ground against the Gates revenue and taxation law proposed, especially as the law affects building associations.

stroyed by the cyclone last June. building since their building was degregation has been without a church cated Sunday, February 21. This conduring the fall and winter, was dedibeen under construction in Fairbury Tue new church building, which has

According to statements of the promoters of the Yankton-Norfolk railroad, who declare work starts March 9, the line is to parallel the Union Pacific from Norfolk to Columbus, then extend to York and Hastings with a placing a ban on fraternities in publicarry a total of \$77,000 fo salaries, as

Al. Cochran, about 45 years old, of cowboy notoriety and an old frontier fighter, broncho buster, shot in many fights, but always came out whole, last week while riding on a load of hay south of Kimball fell off the wagon and received severe injuries.

Robert Page, who owns a farm joining that on which the Peru coal mine is located, has returned from Flagstaff, Ariz. Mr. Page came back to meet Mr. Simmons, a practical coal digger of twenty-six years' experience. The two will open a new mine on the Page farm.

Arthur Norcutt, who confessed to Sheriff Kennedy of Custer county that he had robbed the hardware store of George Willing on the night of January 28, pleaded guilty in the district court and was sentenced by Judge Hostetler to one year in the peniten-

Sheriff Fischer of Otce county captured two men at Paul who were peddling new shoes and selling them at \$1 and \$1.25 per pair. The men were brought to Nebraska City and placed in jail, where they will be held until the surrounding towns have been heard from.

Since traffic has been resumed upon the country roads many reports of severe losses of stock in the late storm have been received in Nance county. Paul Pillsbury, residing just without Fullerton, sustained perhaps the most severe loss, that of twelve show cat-

tle, valued at over \$1,000. After a search covering more than a year, during which time the Bankers' association has been trailing Benjamin Marquis of Chappell, Neb., the fugitive was arrested in Kansas City. Officers of the association say that Marquis passed \$20,000 worth of worthless checks in Nebraska and

Dr. Nicholas Sellberg, who recently came to Hastings from York, committed suicide in his room at the Lindell hotel. No indications of cause of his despondency. The doctor came there three weeks ago with the intention of establishing himself for the practice of medicine, but he had made no move toward renting an office.

David City celebrated its second annual "Tag day" Saturday. Tag day was inaugurated there a year ago to assist in raising the sum of \$20,000 for a library and gymnasium building by the King's Daughters. The funds having been raised, the day was installed as an annual affair to help in equipping and maintaining the building.

Arlington and vicinity is threatened with a smallpox epidemic, starting from one case. Most of the farmers and many from the city attended a public sale several days ago and the next day it leaked out that a smllpox case was on the farm, and that many were exposed.

W. T. S. Neligh, son of John D. Nethe waste water power at that point in an electric plant to furnish power for trade and domestic uses. He is planning for canal system to develop this power.

Freight car thieves have been doing business at the yards in Fremont. On Friday night a car in the Union Pacific yards was found broken open and some boxes of goods taken from it. The goods had been taken out and the boxes were near the tracks. Since then some other car robberies have taken place. A force of engineers has been busy

the last week surveying the Nemaha in the locality of Table Rock, which has for its object the straightening of the river in the hopes of overcoming, or at least lessening, the damage done each year by its overflow.

ITEMS OF INTEREST AROUND THE question to a vote of the electors of STATE HOUSE.

Legislative Facts and Gossip-News of the State Capital.

Auditor's Insurance Bills.

State Auditor Barton has drawn four insurance bills which he will ask members of the legislature to introduce. One is to require fraternal insurance companies to furnish him the names and addresses of the secretaries of local lodges. This information will give the auditor a chance to communicate direct with the membership of a fraternal beneficiary association and to inform the lodges of his rulings without trusting to the head officers to keep the lodges informed of his rulings.

Another bill will require stock companies to furnish the state auditor a list of stockholders or a list of policyholders.

The auditor will ask for the passage of a bill to require the auditor of public accounts to impose like obligations, burdens, or prohibitions upon foreign insurance organizations similar and equal to those imposed by the laws of any state upon like organizations organized under the laws of this state. Such an act would give him power

to retaliate in some degree on states that shut out companies from other states with difficult requirements. He could shut out companies from such states unless their companies complied with the same rules for admittance in Nebraska that govern in their

home states. A fourth bill which the auditor has drawn is to prohibit any insurance organization from writing, printing or lenberger. The claim has been apstamping upon any policy of insur- proved and will be paid by the state. ance issued by it any statement to the The state is under no obligation to effect that such policy is secured by a deposit of bonds or other securities by Governor Sheldon because it was with the proper authorities of the state to stand good for only ninety days of Nebraska and to provide a penalty as shown by the proclamation. Tay-

for any violation. Some companies have printed in big gave himself up to a brakeman on a type across the face of their policies train in California and Sheriff Ranthe statement that "This policy is secured by securities approved and deposited with the state." This is said information as to whether the large to be misleading in that the securities deposited secure a fund but not necessarily the policy.

Ban on School Fraternities.

S. F. No. 159 by Miller of Lancaster, ternities from soliciting membership is brought about by the increase in on public school grounds, was recom- the pay of the judges from \$2,500 to mended for passage without objection. The bill is as follows:

"Section 1. It shall be unlawful for the pupils of any public high school, or other elementary schools in this state, to participate in, or be members of any secre; fraternity or secret organization whatsoever that is in any degree a school organization.

"Sec. 2. Any boards of education or boards of trustees of country high schools are hereby authorized and empowered to deny to any student regalarly enrolled in such high school or elementary school, who shall violate section one of this act, any or all of the privileges of such high school or elementary school, or to expel any such student for failure or refusal to

comply with this act. "Sec. 3. It is hereby made a misdemeanor for any person, whether a pupil of any such school or not, to be upon the school grounds, or to enter any school building for the purpose of 'rushing' or soliciting, while there. any pupil or pupils of such schools to join any fraternity, society or association organized outside of said schools. All county courts and justice courts in this state shall have jurisdiction of all offenses committed under this section, and all persons found guilty of such offenses shall be fined not less than two dollars nor more than ten dollars."

Restrict Divorce Evil. Begole's bill, H. R. No. 142, was recemmended for passage. It amends the divorce law of the state providing that any person seeking divorce from causes arising outside the state must reside in the state two years before bringing suit for divorce. If the cause of action happened in the state a year's residence here is sufficient time in which to begin action. After the decree of divorce has been granted it shall not be entered on the docket of the court, or become operative for six months, during which time a review may be ordered at any time on application of the interested parties or the court. The bill is seeking to wipe out the custom of eastern people coming to the state solely to secure a divorce when the laws of their own state are more stringent than those of this state.

Turn Down Request.

The finance committee has disanproved the request of Labor Commissioner W. M. Maupin for a largely increased appropriation in his department, including a raise of his own salary from \$1,500 to \$2,000 per year. As agreed on by the committee, this appropriation is to be the same as two years ago.

State Buys School Bonds. State Treasurer Brian bought school district bonds issued by the city of Fairbury to the amount of \$32,000 The balance, \$3,000 issued by the district, was not offered to the state. The state also bought \$500 of district No.

road committee, for passage.

A New Liquor Bill.

Noyes introduced a bill Thursday which embodies the plan evolved by of the much-neglected Sixth district be wet until voted dry.

The senate made quick work of the

two suffrage bills, S. F. No. 128, by Miller of Lancaster, a constitutional amendment submitting the suffrage the state, and S. F. No. 92, by Randall of Madison, a statutory measure to give women the right to vote in cities and towns for officers and for measures other than for constitutional offices, here both defeated in final pas-The constitutional amendment required 20 votes and received 17. The municipal suffrage bill required a bare majority, or 17, but it received only 15. Some of the votes on both bills were generally considered complimentary. Laverty of Saunders voted against the constitutional amendment. On the democratic side, Banning of of Antelope, voted for the Miller bill, but voted against the municipal suffrage measure. The latter measure really gave the anti-county optionists more of a fright than the proposed

Suffrage Bills Dead.

constitutional amendment. The vote on the Miller bill was a follows:

For-Banning, Bodinson, Brown Cain, Cox. Donohoe, ammill, Hatfield, King, Majors, Miller, Ollis, Randall, Raymond, Thompson Warren Wiltse. Total, 17.

Against-Bartos, Besse, Buck, Buhrman, Diers, Fuller, Henry, Howell, Ketchum, Klein, Laverty Myers, Ransom Tanner Tibbets, Volpp. Total, 16. Following is the vote on the Randall

For-Brown, Cain, Cox, Donohoe, Gammill, King, Majors, Miller, Myers, Ollis, Randall, Raymond Thompson, Warren Wiltse, Total 15.

Against-Banning, Bartos, Besse, Bodinson, Buck, Buhrman, Diers, Fuller, Hatfield, Henry, Howell, Ketchum, Klein, Laverty, Ransom, Tanner, Tibbets, Volpp. Total, 18.

Cost of Bert Taylor's Return.

It cost the state of Nebraska \$252.44 to return Bert M. Taylor, the Kearney county murder, to Minden. This is the amount of the claim presented by Sheriff Asa Ransom to Governor Shalpay the \$200 reward offered last May lor, who murdered his sister-in-law som brought him back on a requisition issued by Governor Shallenberger, No rewards offered by the county and private citizens will be paid has not been made public.

More for High Court. The supreme court budget will lic schools and preventing college fra- against \$61,800 two years ago. This \$4,500 per year, under the constitutional amendment adopted last November. The cla commission of six members is wiped out and four judges take its place, but the higher salaries make the expense some \$15,000 larger than before.

In the land commissioner's office where Commissioner Cowles has cut out three superfluous assistants at \$1,000 per year each, the finance committee may recommend a small increase for two of the others whose work has been augmented.

Double Shift for Lincoln.

E. W. Brown of Lancaster has introduced a bill previding for a double shift of firemen for the Lincoln fire department. Omaha has such a law, South Omaha firemen want it, and since it is not included in one draft of the charter another has been introduced that does provide for it. The Lincoln charter makes no provision for louble shift but leaves the control of the entire matter in the hands of the proposed commission. The matter of double shift has been agitated from ime to time in Lincoln. The democratic majority in the legislature is on record for home rule and will hardly attempt to pass such a bill without the united support of the Lancaster delegation.

Boost for Two.

The insurance department is to have an allowance of \$3,500 for running expenses, which will be an increase of \$1,000 over two years ago. The state veterinarian is also allowed \$1,000 more than before in his expense fund. The 1907 appropriation was exhausted the first of January, when former Governor Sheldon's appointee left the veterinarian's office, and a deficit exists for the remaining three months of the quarter. Live stock owners are increasing their requests for the services of the veterinarian, which is held to justify the increase. The appropriation of \$400 for a stenographer has been stricken out of the present appropriation.

Four Mile Saloon Limit.

Raines of Webster is as determined o achieve distinction as is Howard of Douglas. Monday he added to his fame by a bill which would prevent students of the university from drink ing liquor, or at least making it difficult for them to get the stuff. His bill would amend the Slocumb law by abolishing all saloons within four miles of any university, state farm, or normal school, and within two and one-half miles of any military post. The bill, passea, would effectually make Lincoln dry.

Sackett Law Stays on Books.

Senator Howell's effort to repeal the Sackett law failed in the senate Thursday following a debate of some length in which several senators took occasion to make Douglas county the butt of a number of jests and the 90, Cedar county, \$4,000 of district No. ligh, the founders of West Point, is 60, Thayer county, and \$500 of district Douglas county members replied begmuch interested in a scheme to utilize No. 6, Boyd county. All these bonds ging the members in the name of home rule to do away with the measure. After the noon adjournment The committee of the whole recom- when the bill was taken up again mended S. F. No. 71, D. Baning's delin committee of the whole the senate murrage bill, as amended by the rail- without more talk gave the quietus to the act.

> More Normal Schools Wanted. Henry of Holt comes to the rescue

Governor Sheldon in his retiring mes- with a bill asking for \$125,000 for the sage concerning the restraint of the establishment of two normal schools liquor traffic. This measure was sug- in that district. The land to the gested to Governor Sheldon as a good amount of ten acres must be donated substitute for the county option move- by local enterprise for a site. Already ment, and much more suitable from a bill is in the house that would give his point of view. It provides that the | Ainsworth a normal school and \$50,000 state shall be dry except in those vil- to finance it. Still another is asked lages and towns where three-fifths of for at Crawford. Chadron became the people declare in favor of saloons, glarmed at the activity of the towns At present the state is assumed to around her and has sent emissaries to work for a normal school at that city.

NEW STRENGTH FOR WOMEN'S BACKS.

How to Make a Bad Back Better.

Women who suffer with backache, bearing down pain, dizzy spells, and

that constant feeling of dullness and tiredness, will find hope in the advice of Mrs. Mary Hinson of 21 Strother St., Mt. Sterling, Ky. "Had I not used Doan's Kidney Pills I be

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Thoughtful Child.

They are considerate youngsters in England, as most people know. A little boy whose grandmother had ast died wrote the following letter, which he duly posted: "Dear Angels: We have sent you grandma. Please give her a harp to play, as she is shortwinded and can't blow a trumpet."-London Tit-Rits.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought. Invention of Porcelain. At a display of porcelain in China an exhibitor said that Chinese litera ture ascribes the invention of porcelain to a period some 25 centures before Christ. Foreign experts are by

no means certain that the art existed before the seventh century of this era

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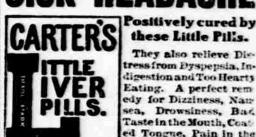
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