TROUGHT DVLR PROPOSITION TO ALMIT RAILROADS.

WESTERN MEN IN OPPOSITION

Charge Laliways With Being Responsible for Low Prices Paid Cattle Raisers-Packers Will Probably De Allowed Representation.

Denver, Jan. 11 .- A hot fight has broken out in the ranks of the National Live Stock association over the question of whether or not railro...s and packers are to have representation on the governing board of the association. President Frank Hagenbarth is in favor of the plan and has urged it strongly. There is a heavy contingent of stockmen, particularly cation for a rehearing is the last apthose from the west, who are bitterly | peal possible, and the court's action opposed to the idea and they are making the fight of their lives to keep the management of their organization solely in the hands of men who are actively engaged in the handling or care of stock. These men assert that the railroads and packers have, by working together, deprived the western stockmen of good prices for their cattle, that their interests are not identical with those of the stock breeders, and they should not be allowed to have a voice in the management of the affairs of the stockmen.

The advocates of the plan to admit the railroads and the packers declare that their admission does not mean that they will work against the interests of the stockmen, but on the contrary that the wider the scope of the organization, the greater its power, and that differences will disappear in a community of interest. When the plan of reorganization which wiff admit the railroads and packers was proposed at the convention, it was referred to a committee of three from each industry affiliated in any way with the raising of live stock. These committees met as a whole and will report today to the convention.

The probability is that the railroads will be denied representation on the board of control. The general committee, composed of the officers of the various branches of the live stock in dustry, could not reach an agreement The feeling against the admission of the railroads was very strong and the discussion grew so animated that it was thought best to aljourn wit out action. The packers and all other allied industries will probably be admitted and the railroads will be left out.

At the convention of the Nationa Woolgrowers' association the old o. ficers and members of the executive committee were re-elected. Papers were read by James Rae of St. Paul on "Sheep Feeding in the Nort. west;" by D. J. Osborne of Denver on "Wool Scouring Before Market ing," and a brief address on "Govern men Control of Infectious Disease. on the Range" was delivered by Dr J. M. Wilson of Wyoming.

A meeting of the western cattlemen was also held and a number of papers were read on the problem of control ling cattle scables.

ALVA ADAMS IS IN OFFICE

Oath Is Administered by Chief Justice in Presence of Large Crowd.

Denver, Jan. 11 .- Standing beneath the draped folds of the American flag, while the walls about him and the floor beneath him trembled in response to cannon that roared a salute in his honor, Alva Adams was inau gurated as governor of Colorado.

While he stood with uplitted hand taking the oath of office, administered by Cnief Justice Gabbert, at his side was the athlete form of the ex-govvernor, James Peabody, who will today inaugurate the most energetic and bitter contest that Colorado has ever seen for the right to fill the position that Governor Adams has sworn to administer to the best of his powers of body and mind.

The inauguration ceremonies were simple in the extreme and were attended by a crowd which packed the house of representatives almost to suffocation.

No Reward for Family of Eight. Lincoln, Jan. 11 .- Somebody created the impression among the citizens of Silver Creek, Neb., that a reward was offered by the government for every family of eight children. This is why a woman of that place wrote a letter to Governor Mickey, asking Interior Separtment Opposes Any for the reward for Crank Parker, who bas eight children, all under fifteen years of age. The gover a "n reply, informed the writer of the leafe that no reward is offered for large families of children, notwithstanding Presi dent Roosevelt's attitude on race sui

Agree to Burn Cotton. Brazos, Tex., Jan. 1 ... An agree ment to burn their share of surplus cotton was reached at a mass meet ing of the farmers of this region. One bale was burned and the follow ing resolution was passed: "Be solved. That we burn a bale of cotton every Saturday until we burn at least Afteen bales of cotton our part of the 2,000, 60 bales required to be burned by the people in the cotton belt of the United States."

Jenkins Wins Wrestling Championship San Francisco, Jan. 11 .- Thomas Jenkins won the catch as-catch-can wrestling aban pionship by throwing lack Carkech two straight falls.

Farmer Probably Fatally Crushed. Buatrice, Jan. 5 .- Abe L. Lloyd, & young tert or, was probably fatally injured at a dated by driving under a large beam over a pair of scales with a har of corr, with the result that he was badly crushed.

Suicide Is Not Identified. Fremont, Nob., Jan. 9 .- The identity of the man found dead at the Ames depot is stul unknown. No man of his description has been in the employ of the cattle company or the beet sugar company at Leavitt. There is little doubt but that the man himself fired the shot that killed him.

Mrs. Lillie Denied Rehearing. Lincoln, Jan. 6 .- The supreme court denied the motion for a rehearing in behalf of Ers. Lena Lillie, convicted of the murder of her husband. Applimeans that Mrs. Lillie must go to the penitentiary for life.

M. A. Erown to Carry the Vcte. Lincoln, Jan. 10 .- Nebraska's eight electors met at the state capitol building and cast their voles for Theodore Roosevelt for president and Charles W. Fairbanks for vice president. M. A. Brown of Kosmacy was selected as messenger to carry the duplicate certificate to Washington.

Mortenson Files His Bond. Lincoln, Jan. 6.-Treasurer Mortensen filed a guaranty bond for \$1,000,-000 with Governor Mickey and it was approved and accepted. Auditor Searle announced the appointment of John Tulleys as county treasurer examiner, A. L. Searle, brother of the auditor, takes the place of chief clerk in the insurance department, formerly held by Mr. Tulleys.

Banking Board Organizes. Lincoln, Jan. 7.—The state banking soard organized by the election of Auditor Searle as president and E. C. Royse secretary. These appointments were made: Bank examiners, C. H. Baumont of Madrid, J. F. Hilderman of Burchard, T. E. Emmett of Arapahoe, Fred Whitemore of Long Pine; Addison Wait, chief clerk; Maud Hogue of Lincoln, stenographer. L. V. Haskell, bank examiner, and Chief Clerk, Dodson, retire.

Editor Sprague Takes Arsenic. Blair, Neb., Jan. 10.-C. B. Sprague, editor of the Blair Republican, took arsenic and is now in a critical conlition, all hope of saving his life having been abandoned. For several months Mr. Sprague has been in poor health and for several weeks has seen confined to his home part of the time, only going to his office occasionally. He left the house for the office and took the poison while on the street. He then told what he had ione and efforts were made to save his life, but at noon there was said to be no hope.

Old Road Exists No Longer. West Point, Neb., Jan. 9 .- The board of supervisors at its last session knocked out the last section of the old Blair road. This road, which n former years ran diagonally across wo townships southeast of this city, has been a fruitful cause of litigation, natred and ill-will for many years. Insumerable law suits have been the result of attempts to divert travel to the section lines, murderous assaults have been committed, fences pulled flown, property destroyed and for a time a perfect reign of terror prevailed among the residents adjoining the highway in dispute. The road now follows the section lines, where

it belongs under the law. Colby Is Held Blameless. Lincoln, Jan. 9 .- John A. Ehrhardt, ludge advocate general of the National Guard, has expnerated L. W. Colby, former adjutant general, of the charge of having in his possession \$126, money appropriated to pay the members of the company at Wilber. Special Examiner H. S. Wiggins made the charge against Co:by in a report to Governor Mickey, after 20 examination of the books in the office of the adjutant general. Judge Ehrhardt was instructed to investigate the charge against General Colby and made his report to General Culver. The report contains the testimony of a number of witnesses examlned, which led Judge Ehrhardt to the belief that the money in question

NO RELIEF FOR SETTLERS.

had been paid to Captain McGintie.

Extension of Time.

Washington, Jan. 5 .- The interior department, according to Judge Kinkaid, is square against Kinkaid's bill extending the time for settlement unner the bill which became a law at

the last session of congress. "I desire my friends to know," said Judge Einland, "that after having labored most earnestly with the secretary of the interior and the land tommissioner, that there is no possitility for the passage of the measure which I had noped might extend the time in which settlers could go upon the lands covered by the 640-acre bill. There is no relief in sight, and I would the re suggest to intending settlers to they prepare to take up their residence at the time stip-

ulated in the bill." A million acres of land is to be opened under the Kinkaid law on Feb. 14. Asked where this land was located, the representative from the Sixth Nebraska district stated that it was located in Lincoln, McPherson, Devel and Cherence combine

RUSSIANS ON LOOKOUT FOR MI-KADO'S WARSHIPS.

MORE CHIPS FOR THE FAR EAST

Czar Will Assemble Third Squadron for Japanese Waters-Skrydloff Starts for St. Petersburg-Explosion of Mine Kills Twenty Japs.

Port Louis, Island of Mauritus, Jan. 11.-It is rumored here that a Japanese squagron is at Diego Garcia, Chagos islands. The Russian admiral was informed Jan. 2 that Japanese warships were proceeding to meet the Russian squadron and the vigilance of the latter was redoubled. The aide-de-camp of the Russian admiral, in an interview at Tamatave, was quoted as saying that the Russian equadron would require a month to eross the Indian ocean.

Kondratenko the Real Defender. London, Jan. 11 .- The Daily Telegraph's Port Arthur correspondent says that, according to stories by prisoners, the real defender of the fortress was Major General Kondratenko, commander of the Seventh East Siberian r.fle brigade, who was killed Dec. 18. and that had he nived it is probable the fortress would not have been surrendered. General Stoessel, the correspondent adds, was inclined to sur render as early as last August. The garrison, he concludes, included 10,-000 Poles, who were indifferent fight-

The correspondent at Port Arthur of the Daily Mail says that on Jan. 8 twenty Japanese were killed by the explosion of a contact mine inside in the town also exploded.

Ekrydloff Starts for St. Petersburg. Vladivostok, Jan. 11.-Admiral Ekrydloff and his staff left for St. Petersburg. The admiral was given an enthusiastic send-off by the garrison, sailors and officers of the municipality. Addressing his men, Adto be important developments soon in the region of Vladivostok and he hoped that in case the town should be called upon to stand a slege the garrison would emulate the devotion and heroism of Port Arthur. The men responded with cheers.

Russia Prepares Third Squadron. St. Petersburg, Jan. 11 .- The Russ confirms the Paris Temps' report that the first division of the third Pacific squadron will leave Libru at the enof January and will consist of the warships Admiral ' javin, General Admiral Apraxine, Aumiral Oushakoff and Nicholas I, the cruiser Vladimir Monomach and several forpedo boat destroyers and torpedo boats.

JOLO MOROS MAKE A FIGHT

One Officer and One Private Killed in an Attack on Fort.

Manila, Jan. 11.- 'n an engagement which took place on Jan. 8 with refractory Moros on the island of Jolo, Lieutenant James J. Jewell and one private of the Fourteenth United States cavalry were killed and Second Lieutenant Roy W. Ashbrook of the Seventeenth United States infantry, Captain Halstead Rorey of the Fourth United States infantry, Second Lieutenant R C. Richardson of the Fourteenth United States cavalry and three privates were wounded.

The action was an incident in connection with the capture of a fort held by the Moro outlaws, which Ma for Scott, governor of the island, had attempted to secure by peaceful means several months ago. Recently, while attempting to secure recruits on the island, the kindly means taken by Major Scott were mistaken by the surrounding Moros, and, trouble brewing, necessitated forcible action. The Moro leader has been killed and the fort has been destroyed. The Amer ican troops were assisted by the gun boat Quiros, in command of Lieutenant Walker.

Mrs. Duke Wants Husband.

New York, Jan. 11.-Mrs. Alice Webb Duke, whose marriage to Brodie L Duke was followed by his in earceration in a sanitarium, intends to fight the relatives of her husband who are endeavoring to have the marrisge annulled, and has retained counsal and taken steps to procure his release upon habeas corpus proceed ings. She has retained a lawver and Instructed him to spare neither mains nor expense in effecting the release of the tobacco man.

NEBRASKA CITY'S MAYOR DEAD. Overcome by Heart Disease While in

HIs Office. Nebraska City, Jan. 9-H. H. Bartling, head of the Bartling Grain company and mayor of this city, dropped fead in his place of business. Mr. Bartling was one of the pioneer residents of Otce county, coming here in 1866 and for a number of years had been one of the most substantial busiless men of Nebraska City. Heart Aisease is supposed to be the cause of his doath.

Snow in Southeastern Nebraska. Lincoln, Jan. 11.-Following zero weather, snow began falling and continued throughout the night over southeastern Nebraska. There is litle wind and no drifting. The temperature continues low.



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In the District Court of the Fifteenth Judicial District, in and for Cherry County, Nebraska.

n the matter of the estate of Ti us J Order to Show Cause.

state of Titus J. Tarlor, deceased, praying for heense to sell the southeast one-quir er of Section 22, 1p 33, Range 27 w., or a sufficient amount thereof to bring the sum of \$150 0 for the payment of he seets allowed against said estate and the costs of administration, there not being sufficien personal property to pay said It is ther-fore ordered that all persons intersted in said estate appear before me at Rushville, Nebraskation the 18th day of February, 1965 at ten o'cloes a m to show cause Why a rator to seleso much of the a ove described real estate of said acceased, as shall be accessary to pay said cebts and expenses; that a copy of this ord r be published for four weeks in the Valentine Democrat, r newspaper o genral circu ation, in Cherry County, Nebraska Dated this 4th day January, 1905. W. H. WESTO, ER,

Judge of the District Court. E. D. Ciarke, a torney.

Order to Show Cause Why License Should Not Be Granted to Seil Real Property

In the District Court of Cherry County, Ne.

In the matter of the petition of Joseph Nollette for license to sell real estate. Now, on this 30th day of December 1904, this cause came in for hearing upon the petition under oach of Joseph Nol etc. administrator of Julia Anna Nenzel, deceased praying for license to sell the lowowing real estate of the said Julia vina Nenzel, to-wit: NWM of Sec. 21 F . 34, R 32 being 16) acres more or less, and all the N 34 of the NE of ec 17, Ip 34 R 32, in therry county. Neoraska except the townsite of Neuzel and the right-of-way of the Fremont Elshorn & Missouri Vali y Ranway, the same being ten acres, mar or less, for the payment of debts allowed against said estate and allowances and costs d'admi i tra ion fort e reason that here is not a so-actent amount of personal property n possession o sai i Joseph Nollette, a in inistrator belonging to said es ate to pay said ects, allowances and costs and for inther reason that said above described rea estate is not productive of any income to said estate. It is there ore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear refore me at chambers in the city of Ku hvale. Nebraska on the 18th day of February, 1905, at the nour of ten o'cloc. a. m. to snow cause, if a y there be, why a license should not be granted to Jeseph Nollette, administrator, to ser above described real estate of said decedent. It is further ordered test a copy of this order be served upon all persons interested in said estate by causing the same to be p dushed once each week for four successive weeks in the Valentine Democrat, a new-paper pointed and published in Salo coun ty of cherry.

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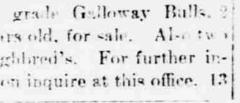
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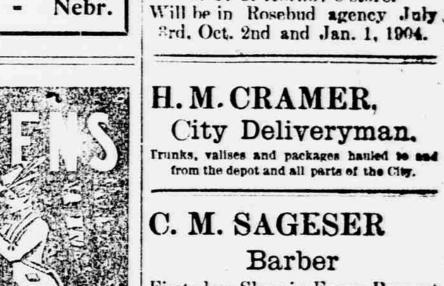
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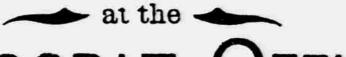
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