VALENTINE, NEB.

RUSSIA IS INDIGNANT

FEELING AGAINST NEBOGATOFF IS RUNNING HIGH

Surrender is Unforgivable-People are Appalled by the Great Disaster -Believed More Than 10,000 Men Were Killed or Drowned.

Feeling in the admiralty at St. Petersburg against Rear Admiral Nebogatoff continues to run high, the majority of the naval authorities being deaf to the appeals of the few who insist that the admiral's action in surrendering his warships should not be condemned until the circumstances become fully known. The majority say they could forgive anything but surrender, and point to the precedent set in the case of the Russian warship Raphael, which in 1829, during the Russo-Turkish war, struck its colors to three Turkish ships which surrounded it.

Nicholas I, meted out a terrible punishment to the officers and crew of the Raphael, ordering that all of them should be shot after their exchange, and directing that if the ship should ever be recaptured its infamous history should be blotted out by the total destruction of the vessel.

The Raphael, strange to say, was captured thirty-four years later at Sinope during the Crimean war, a son of the captain who surrendered having taken part in the battle, and to this son fell the task of executing the dead emperor's orders to destroy her. Many naval authorities declare that the emperor should reserve the same fate for Admiral Nebogatoff.

All the censorship is now removed from the foreign dispatches, and the people are appalled at the horrible stories

of slaughter on board the Russian ships. The admiralty has not yet been able to estimate even approximately from the foreign advices the loss of men, but as the ships were overmanned the total will be greater than the ordinary comple ment of the vessels would indicate, and probably will exceed 10,000, if only about 4,000 were saved.

BIG LAND STEAL.

Oregon Frauds May Be Duplicated in California.

The San Francisco Examiner said Fri day: The story of the land frauds in Oregon will be duplicated in California of robbery under the color of law, by which means, with the help of forgery great bodies of public domain in Modoc and other northern counties have beer brought under private ownership.

In many instances this process has been worked out by means of dummy locaters, but in some cases the land thieves have forged the names of applicants on the files of the surveyor gener al's office.

EARTHQUAKE IN MONTENEGRO

Two Hundred Persons Killed or Injured in Albania.

Cetinje, Montenegro, advices state: There was an earthquake throughout Montenegro. A number of houses collapsed and one person was killed and sev eral injured. The Bielcasstza mountain is showing

signs of volcanic activity for the first

The earthquake caused great damage ter. at Scutari, Albania, where about 500 houses collapsed and 200 persons were killed or injured.

GRIEF FOR TURKEY.

Servia Demands Satisfaction for Recent Outrage.

call her minister from Constantinople un back their men without requiring them the recent violations of the Servian con | aies. sulate at Monastir, Macedonia,

It appears the local police searched the consulate and seized certain papers. Ser via demands the dismissal and further punishment of the chief of police and an expression of regret on the part of the government for the occurrence.

Wisconsin Bank Closes.

The president of the First National Bany of Ladysmith, Wis., has advised the comptroller of the currency at Wash ington the directors voted unanimously to close its doors temporarily. National Bank Examiner Earling has been appointed receiver. The bank has a capita' stock of \$25,000.

Gas Ordinance Withdrawn.

Without a dissenting vote both branches of the Philadelphia city council withtension of the city gas works to the Unit ed Gas Improvement Company for period of seventy-five years, for which privilege the company was to pay the city \$25,000,000.

Sioux City Stock Market.

stock market follow: Butcher steers poration, making 250 ordered in Phila- May 23, have been captured in a cabin \$4.00@5.50. Top hogs, \$5.1.72.

Blamed for Mine Horror.

Word was received at Springfield, Ill. Friday that the grand jury of Franklit County returned four indictments in connection with the explosion at the Zeigler mine. The charge is violation of the mining laws. The names of the indicted the knee and the other below the knee. ports are correct the offer will be in all were not made public.

Threaten to Strike.

malee Transfer Company at Chicago ster he is unable to accept the French threaten to strike unless they get an in proposals for a reform administration crease in wages.

BIG FAIR IS OPENED.

at Portland.

Amidst a scene of festivity and splenmemoration of the blazing of the trail to d Orsay. great Oregon country 120 years ago. | number of persons in the crowd.

tives of the national congress, of the The gala performance comprised "Samarmy and the navy, together with the son and Delilah" and "Maladetta." fornia, Idaho, Washington and Oregon Another ovation came at the close of the and multitudes of people from far and performance.

of the east room, on a mahogany stand, surrounded by several squadrons of cuirwas located an exquisitely mounted gold assiers, towards the Avenue d'Orsay. which was to be the signal for the bat- moment a deafening explosion occurred. tery located on the White House lot, tional salute of twenty-one guns.

At the concension of a brief address fro. the president said: "I now open the and started the machinery three thou- proceeded on its way. sand miles away. Practically instantly field battery, U. S. A.

KING HAS NERVE.

Alfonso Undismayed by Attempt to Kill Him. The attempt of anarchists at Paris to

kill King Alfonso, of Spain, early Thursday morning creefed a tremendous sensation in Paris.

Accompanied by President Loubet, by the discovery of an elaborate system life. Everywhere he was the recipient cabinet July 1. of a tremendous ovation.

> main suspicion attaches to a young la- of the New York subway system, boratory attendant named Arsene Ar- Morton intimated his successor had nould, who is held on the evidence of a been determined upon. lighting a supposed fuse.

SIX KNOWN TO BE DEAD.

Iwo More Rescued Alive from Gunnison Tunnel.

After lying helpless for more than forty-eight hours pinioned beneath heavy timbers carried down by the cavein of the Gunnison tunnel, at Montrose, Colo., Benjamin Taylor and Fred Gross were extricated from their perilous position by rescuers Thursday. Gross is in a critical condition.

Another dead body, that of Herman ors Okerman, of Denver, was found Thursday, making six deaths due to the disas-

Workmen are digging away the soft mud, and other bodies may be encoun-

Striker Seeking Peace.

It was stated Thursday by President

Ex-Gov. Furnas is Dead.

A Lincoln, Neb., special says: Ex- At Salt Lake City, Utan, Mrs. Minterritory.

Wounded Sailors Picked Up.

Fifty-five Russian sailors, some of them wounded, were picked up eighteen miles off Mishima on Wednesday, Twenty-three of the crew of the Aurora were ty-one workers uninjured and three injuranded and ten refugees were rescued in the same vicinity.

May Corn Higher.

An advance of 9 cents a bushel Wedaesday marked the close of the bull campaign in May corn at Chicago. Shorts were anxious bidders for May, but offerings were hard to find. The close was at the highest point of the day, 60 cents.

Japan Orders 150 Locomotive.

for the imperial government of Japan Friday's quotations on the Sioux City has been received by a Philadelphia cor- with killing Sheriff Polk, of Iron County, lelphia since the first of the year.

Huron Man Loses His Legs.

Gus Allan, aged 23, single, was run over in the Chicago and Northwestern railway yards at Hurop, S. D., Wednes- the part of the Chicago traction compalay night. Both legs were crushed and t was necessary to amputate one above made to Mayor Dunne, and if the re-

France's Offer Rejected. Tangier advices state that the sultan The drivers and stablemen of the Par las definitely informed the French minof Morocco.

TRY TO KILL A KING.

Lewis and Clark Exposition Begins | Anarchists of Paris Try to Annihilate Spain's Young Ruler.

A Paris special says: As the king of NEWS OF THE WEEK IN A CONdor never equaled in the Pacific north- Spain, accompanied by President Loubet, west, with din and clamer of cheering drove away from a gala performance of thousands, accompanied by the booming the opera after midnight Wednesday, an of artillery, the chiming of bells and the anarchist threw a bomb in the direction blaring of bands, Portland, Ore., Thurs- of the royal carriage. The projectile Fraternals Join for Fight-Benefiday made her greatest bow to the world struck a soldier belonging to the cuirasin the formal opening of the Lewis and sier escort on the shoulder, and then fell Clark Centennial exposition. The event to the ground and exploded without intook place under conditions presaging juring his majesty or the president, who complete success to this historical com- continued their drive to the Palais

"old Oregon" by Capt. Meriwether Lew- | Several soldiers of the escort were is and William Clark, who, commissioned thrown from their horses and injured, by President Jefferson, explored the while fragments of the bomb struck a

Thursday's celebration was partici- King Alfonso and President Loubet pated in by the president of the United had been cheered along the entire route States and his personal representative, to the opera by enthusiastic crowds, the Charles W. Fairbanks, representatives of young monarch having completely gained the state and of the house of representa- the hearts of Parisians since his arrival

governors and staffs of the states of Cal- The performance went without a hitch.

The king and president were escorted The arrangements for the ceremony to their carriage and took seats side by were complete. In the southwest corner side in the vehicle, which started off,

telegraph key. It was the instrument | The procession arrived at the end of the which was used by President P. V. De- avenue in the Avenue d'Opera, and cross-Graw, now fourth assistant postmaster ed the Place Theater Français, where general, in receiving the president's mes- were assembled at least 1,500 persons in sage at the opening of the Louisiana Pur- the Rue de Rohan. There, just a few chase exposition on April 30, 1904, and yards before reaching the Rus Rivoli, a presented to Mr. DeGraw at that time. man sprang forward with his arms raised On the roof of the White House was in the air, and before the corden of police stationed a first class sergeant of the could prevent him, without uttering a signal corps of the army, who, at the word, he threw a projectile in the direcsounding of an electric gong at his side, tion of the royal carriage. The police imwas under instructions to drop a flag mediately rushed toward him. At that

Cries from the crowd were heard, and south of the White House, to fire a na- then followed a scene of intense excitement. The crowd began surging to and

Soldiers were seen to fall, but as the Lewis and Clark exposition," leaning for- flash from the bomb died out it was obthe gold key which sounded the chimes had not been struck and their carriage

The bomb had been thrown with too the first gun of the national salute was great force, and passed over the royal fired on the White House lot by the Third carriage and struck the shoulder of a cuirassier and fell to the ground, where it exploded, fragments striking the horses, causing them to bolt and throw their riders.

> The force of the explosion was terrific and caused a derangement of the electric lights, which were all extinguished.

MORTON TO RETIRE.

Secretary of the Navy Will Retire from the Cabinet.

King Alfonso on Thursday continued to | A Washington dispatch says that after prepared in his honor, apparently undis- day Secretary of the Navy Morton anmayed by the anarchists' attempt on his nounced he expected to retire from the

It is learned authoritatively that Mor-Among the persons under arrest the ton will assume the general management

woman who alleged she noticed him | Morton was chosen secretary of the lyp after the celebration of their golden navy June 24, 1904 succeeding Secretary Moody, who became attorney gen-

ENDS PHILADELPHIA FIGHT.

Injunction Proceedings Against the Mayor Are Dropped.

A Philadelphia dispatch says: The counsel for David Smyth, former director of public safety, and Peter E. Costello, former director of public works, deposed by Mayor Weaver, Wednesday withdrew all the papers in the injunction proceedings brought against their success-

This means that the "organization" forces have decided to discontinue for the present at least their fight on Mayor

Extra Session of Congress.

Washington special says: President Roosevelt will start on his trip through the south Oct. 17. This announcement Shea at Chicago, that the strike would was made at the White House Thursend if the employers, other than the day. Coupled with it was the statement Servia has notified Turkey she will re railway express companies, would take that the extraordinary session of congress, which it is the present intention less satisfaction is given by June 12 for to collect packages for express compa- of the president to call, will not begin until after the November elections.

Bar Mrs. Fiske in Salt Lake.

Gov. R. W. Furnas, of Brownville, a ter- nie Maddern Fiske, who was barred from ritorial pioneer, died Thursday night a professional appearance through her from diabetes. He had come to Lin- inability to secure any of the local theacoln for treatment. He has been promiters, hired a hall Tuesday night and denent in Nebraska since the days of the livered a denunciation of the theatrical trust and its effect.

Imprisoned Men Saved.

The men imprisoned in the Gunnison tunnel at Montrose, Colo., Tuesday were reached by rescuers Wednesday, Twened were taken out. There are two dead under the earth.

To Boycott Our Goods.

Manila advices state that the Chinese chamber of commerce, by a unanimous vote, has declared to stand in line with the treaty ports in boycotting American merchandise in retaliation for the new American exclusion treaty.

Accused Murderers Taken.

A messenger arrived at Ironton, Mo., An order for 150 additional locomotives | Wednesday bearing the information that Arthur and William Spaugh, charged ten miles northwest of there.

Sell Car Lines to Chicago.

The Chicago Daily News on Wednesday said that a definite proposition on nies to sell the ear systems had been probability accepted.

Wins the English Derby.

Lord Rosebery's Cicero, at London Wednesday, won the Derby stakes, 6,500 sovereigns; M. Blane's Jardy second, and Chevalier Ginistrelli's Signorino third.

STATE OF NEBRASKA

DENSED FORM.

ciary Societies Will Co-Operate and Resist Order for Taxing Securities-Courts May Decide.

Attorneys for the Woodmen of the World, Woodmen Circle, Royal High- tain papers. landers, Ancient Order of United Workmen and a number of other important fraternal beneficiary organizations incorporated in Nebraska, have decided to cooperate to resist the action of the state sess all moneys, credits and personal languishing in the county jail,

property as such associations. The fraternals will not appeal to the state board again, believing this body in instructing county assessors to list all such property has gone too far to recede becomingly. Instead, objection will be raised before the various county boards of equalization where the personal property is assessed. In case the county boards rule against the fraternals, then the cases will be appealed to the district court and to the supreme court, if necessary. The purely fraternal organizations, without insurance features, are to be assessed upon regalia, lodge furniture and fixtures and such small amounts as may be in the hands of the local treasurers, thus forming another class affected by the ruling, which will have to

look out for itself. As these are incorporated in other states, together with some of the beneficiary associations, no great quantity of money can be reached by Nebraska as sessors, with the possible exception of the Elks in Omaha, who have about \$10,-000 in a fund in the hands of the trustees. With regard to taxing real estate the fraternals have no dispute and are willing to pay for lands and office buildings, except those rooms actually used by the orders.

"Nebraska is the first state that has attempted to tax fraternal beneficiary orders," said A. H. Burnett, one of the attorneys for the Woodmen of the World, ward at the same instant and pressing served that the king and the president "Ohio, Missouri and Indiana have laws expressly exempting such property. We propose to test the ruling of the state board and determine whether or not. under the law, taxing authorities have a right to assess our property."

ROBERT W. FURNAS DEAD. He Was a Pioneer and Governor of

Nebraska 1873 74. Ex-Gov. Robert Wilkinson Furnas, of

Brownville, Neb., died Thursday night. He had been ailing for several weeks, diabetes causing death. He died in Lincoln, where he was being treated in a hospital. Ex-Gov. Furnas has been a resident of

Nebraska since 1855, when he came from Ohio. In the course of his life he enjoy the festivities which France had a conference with the president Wednes- has been printer, editor, soldier and farmer. From 1873 to 1874 he was governor of Nebraska. He is the author of twelve volumes on the agriculture of Nebraska, and has been United States commissioner to the expositions held at Philadelphia, New Orleans and Chicago. In the civil war he was a colonel of the Second Nebraska cavalry. In 1845 he married Mary E. McComas. She died shortwedding.

Boy Accidentally Shot.

The other evening, while the two little boys of W. B. Huffnal, living near Sa- was found dead in an oat bin Saturday lem, were playing in the yard, they got afternoon. It is supposed he committed hold of a 32-caliber rifle which was loaded, and in some manner the elder boy, with a rope around his neck. No one was Thornton, shot the younger, Paul, in the at home but his wife and children, who left hip. The ball ranged upward, strik- found the dead man dangling by a rope. ing the pelvic bone, and was deflected The cause for this act cannot be learned. and has not been located. The doctor The deceased was in Pender Friday, thinks the boy will get along without serious results from the accident.

Old Man Killed by Cars.

William H. Carson, 72 years of age, was run down at Columbus Wednesday by Union Pacific passenger No. 4. He team of horses which Burr had loaned. was picked up unconscious and removed to a doctor's office, where it was found that he was badly cut about the head horse and wagon, which latter were sold and face and sustained severe internal in- for \$75. Burn telephoned to the sheriff juries. There is little chance for his of Clay County a description of the parrecovery. No blame is attached to the ty. The latter arrested a man of the de-

Nemaha Out of Its Banks.

The Nemaha came out of its banks in several places near Table Rock owing to the heavy rains of Sunday up the line Several fields were partly under water and some portions of them will have to be replanted. On one of the roads com- ploded, causing a panic among the huning into Nemaha from the north the wa- dreds of persons crowded into the high ter comes up to the buggy boxes.

Goes to Sleep on Track.

W. H. Pebernat, recently employed as a section man at Torrington, Wvo., was struck and instantly killed by a stock train three miles north of Augora Wedon the rail apparently asleep, but efforts to awaken him and to slacken speed were

of no avail. Cedar County Institute.

The Cedar County normal will be held at Hartington one week, commencing Aug. 31. County Superintendent A. E. Ward has secured Superintendent J. E. Greenwood, of the Kansas City schools, bid in by F. McGovern for parties who instructors.

Corn Crop Improves.

The farmers around Plattsmouth report that the corn crop has greatly im- E. G. John, living one mile west of proved during the past week. The warm | Stella and one of the most prominent weather following the recent rains has young farmers in that section, was kickbeen particularly beneficial. In some ed by a horse and instantly killed Wedplaces replanting has been done on ac- nesday evening. count of washouts.

Want a Kindergarten

public kindergarten for Hastings. The Beatrice and Manhattan, Kan., on acidea meets with the approval of a ma- count of several bad washouts, resumed jority of the people.

Lightning Strikes Telephone Office About 6 o'clock Sanday evening, during a heavy rain, a bolt of lightning Growers' Association, which opens at struck the independent telephone office Alliance for a two days' session, promat Columbus and burned out a large part | ises to outrank anything of the kind ever of their switchboard and set fire to the held there. The city Thursday was well office. One of the operators was severe- crowded with visitors and every train ly shocked. The damage will amount to brought numerous additions.

several hundred dollars. Ten Thousand for Hastings College endowment fund of Hastings College | and weakness of the heart.

REFUSE TO TESTIFY.

Cases of Algoes Against E. Rose water and Donahue Dismissed.

"Dismissed for want of prosecution at the costs of the complaining witness, and defendants discharged," was the order which County Judge Vinsohaler was forced to make Wednesday morning at Omaha in the cases brought by Morris S. Algoe against Edward Rosewater and John J. Donal-ve, chief of police. The complaint against Mr. Rosewater was alleged adultery with Lillian Algoe and blackmail in the taking from Algoe cer-

The status of the Algoes now is they tempted blackmail. The date of their trials in the district court has not been set. Unable to procure the necessary board of equalization in attempting to as- \$2,500 bonds, the blackmailers are still

GIRL GETS \$5,000.

Union Pacific Pays for Injuries In-

flicted on Lena Speetzen. The Union Pacific Company has made a mutually satisfactory settlement with months ago. The settlement is for \$5,-000 cash with the promise that after the course in the high school and learned stenography she will be given a position in the offices of the company and shall | ance. be given whatever transportation she may at any time need.

The family of the little girl is in moderate circumstances, but will educate her as best they can and expect to follow out the plan suggested, in the meantime investing the money for the girl.

MUCH STORM DAMAGE,

Eastern Part of the State Visited by Heavy Rains.

Eastern Nebraska was visited by storms Sunday afternoon. In places the heavy rain assumed the proportions of a cloudburst.

Lightning demolished the farm residence of Guy Sherman near Tecumseh. Telegraph and telephone poles were blown down near Sterling, and other property was damaged. Residents along the river near Sterling are moving out to avoid the rising flood.

A disastrous hail storm did much damage at Ravenna. Crops in an area five by twelves miles were pounded into the earth.

many places in eastern Nebraska. STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

Railroads report tracks under water in

Schuyler Man Knocked from a Bridge Into the Water.

Charles West and others were fishing along the Union Pacific right of way near Schuyler Thursday afternoon and West, who was sitting on the end of the ties and thought he had plenty of room to get out of the way of the approaching westbound flyer, miscalculated and was struck and knocked into the water.

The train crew backed up, rescued him and brought him to Schuyler. He was badly bruised about the head and hips and the bones crushed in his right foot. The injuries are severe but not fatal.

FARMER FOUND DEAD. Hanging by a Rope in His Barn-

No Known Cause for Suicide. Herman Boorman, a well to do farmer residing six miles southwest of Pender, suicide, as he was hanging to a beam

seemingly in his usual good health. Chasing a Horsethief.

Sheriff McArthur, of Red Cloud, at the request of E. E. Burr, of Guide Rock, went to Clay Center in quest of a but subsequently learned had been traded by the bailee at Fairfield for a single

scription and Burr and the sheriff of Mc. Arthur County recovered the team and secured the criminal.

Panic at Commencement Exercises Toward the close of the commencement exercises of the Niobrara school, a large Rochester lamp was overturned and exschool room. There was wild excit nent for a time, but fortunately none of the audience was seriously injured.

Auditor Searle is Enjoined.

District Judge Cornish at Lincoln has granted a permanent injunction restraining State Auditor Searle from issuing a nesday. When discovered he was sitting license to the Western Maccabees, organized by seceding members of the Maccabees of the World. The parent order claims the right to the exclusive use of the name.

Milling Plant is Sold.

The plant of the Royston Milling Company at Fremont was sold at receiver's sale by order of the federal court and and Prof. Pile, of the Wayne college, as intend forming a new company with sufficient capital to make the business a success. The price was \$16,400

Man killed by Kick of a Horse.

Traffic Resumed. The Union Pacific road, which was put There is considerable agitation about a out of basiness Sanday night between for the theft of a steer. traffic Tuesday.

Stockmen Meet at Alliance.

The convention of the Nebraska Stock

Court Clerk Lindsay III.

Supreme Court Cierk Harry Lindsa; Rev. E. Van Dyke Wright has just re- is dangerously ill at Lincoln, and for a turned from an eastern trip. While away time Tuesday night his recovery was



Secretary Dobson, of the state board of irrigation, who has joint charge with the government officials of the expenditure of the \$5,000 drainage and irrigation exthat against Donahue, in which Mr. Rose- | perimentation fund, said Saturday that wager also was joined, was for alleged work is now in progress at Lexington and Imperial. At the former place efforts are being made to devise some practical method of underground drainage which are held on charges of blackmail and at- | will remove the alkali from the surfaces soil. Such experiments have been successful in Utah, and it is hoped to reclaim about 40,000 acres of fertile Plattevalley land in Dawson County which has become impregnated with alkalithrough tillage. The success of the plans now under consideration is expected toeffect the reclamation of much other lands which is now unproductive because of the presence of the chemical in the surface! soil. At Imperial experiments are being conducted to determine the feasibility of the family of Lena Spectzen, the little irrigation through the use of a pumping girl who had an arm cut off in a crossing plant. An effort will also be made to deaccident at Grand Island about five velop the dry farming method of soil culture. The state appropriation will not be available until July 1, but the governyoung woman has made the regular ment is already at work. The legislature provided the \$5,000 on the condition that the government make a similar allow-

> Auditor Searle Saturday admitted that he had issued an order revoking the certificate of Van B. Lady, of Omaha, stateagent for the Mutual Reserve Insurance Company, of New York, which was recently granted a license after the application had once been rejected. Mr. Searlestated that the reports that the actioni had been taken because the agent had circulated reports reflecting on the administration of the department were true. The agent is alleged to have said when the company's first application was turned down that it could buy its way into the state. A conversation of that character is given in an affidavit filed with the auditor by a man who is alleged! to have heard it.

Lincoln physicians are waging a crusade against the spitting nuisance, with the result that the city council will shortly be asked to amend the ordinances so as to make it a misdemeanor to spit one the stairways and sidewalks. An existing ordinance forbids expectoration or the floors of public buildings and street cars. In the latter the ordinance has been enforced with considerable strictness, and the medical men claim now that it will be possible to enforce a similar regulation as to the streets.

Friday W. D. Lincoln, superintendent of the Union Pacific car service, appeared before the state board of equalization at Lincoln to testify to the use of theterminals of that road by various leasing lines. ...e furnished the board with data on which to base its assessment of the Great Western Milwankee, Wabash and Illinois Central. This action will be inaccordance with the opinion of the attorney general that these foreign lines having trackage and terminal rights are subject to taxation in Nebraska.

Treasurer Mortensen, Secretary of state Galusha and Gov. Mickey are said to favor a slight reduction in the assessment of some of the poorer branch lines. To offset this an increase will be made in the Great Northern from \$4,000 to-\$6,500 a mile, while the Union Pacific assessment will also be raised if the plans now contemplated are carried out. The increase in the Harriman road is favored because of the increase in the net earnings and the improved quotations for the-

State officials who returned from Peru bring favorable reports of the new chaps el building which was dedicated Wednesday with elaborate ceremonies. They were given souvenir buttons bearing a picture of the new building. Gov. Mickey was particularly pleased with thereception accorded him. He drove to Auburn in the afternoon and came back to-Lincoln in the evening.

Prof. Bessey, of the University of Nebraska, has received many compliments from farmers over the state regarding the prevalence of yellow top clover in newly seeded alfalfa fields. It is thought that part of the alfalfa seed sold in Nebraska this spring has been adulterated with this clover seed. It is practically worthless as a fodder crop.

The Farmers' Co-operative Association, of Lebanon, with an authorized capital of \$20,000, has filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state. A similar corporation called the Farmers' Shipping Company, with ap authorized capital stock of \$10,000, has been incorporated by farmers living near Bartley, Red Willow County.

The state medical board conducted an

examination for physicians' certificates

Wednesday and Thursday. There were over seventy applications. A considerable number were from medical schools in the state, but some were from outside . . . Chief Clerk Harnely, of the state superintendent's office, has completed the apportionment of the temporary school

fund, amounting to \$389,540.05. The

last school census showed 377,447 chil-

dren of school age, making the per capita. \$1,032039. Chief Justice Holcomb, of the supreme court, at Lincoln on Friday granted a suspension of sentence of John E. Chandler, of Custer County, who was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary

Thursday the articles of incorporations of the North Platte Valley Water Users Association, with \$200,000 capital, were filed in the office of the secretary of state. This is the corporation which will take over from the government the completed Pathfinder irrigation enterprise. The capital stock will be several million dollars eventually, when the next legislature can be induced to pass an act permitting the incorporation for a nominal fee. The first election under the charter will beheld the first Tuesday in July. . 1en he secured a donation of \$10,000 for the doubted. He is suffering from tonsilitis land holders in the district who are ified may vote.