THE O'NEILL FRONTIER CATTLEMEN HAVE D. H. CRONIN. Publisher.

NEBRASKA

YNEILL.

Captain Hamitton, chief of London's thre brigade, when in command of a small vessel, once sent a midshipman below to look at the barometer, and walking aft saw with amazement the middy fortifying himself with a glass of bic host brown sherry. When the middy fortifying himself with a glass of his best brown sherry. When the youngster came on deck Captain Ham-liton asked him how the glass stood. "Steadily rising, sir," was the reply, "Ah!" said the captain, "and how is the sherry?" Like a shot came the answer, "Steadily falling, sir." Hamil-ton so much appreciated the joke that he allowed the incident to pass with-out further notice. out further notice.

Of the modern tendency to flock to the city, a writer says: "In 1801 not more than 36 per cent. of the entire population of England lived in towns and embarked in urban industries; to-day they who dwell in cities form more than 66 per cent of the whole. On the than 66 per cent, of the whole. On the other hand, in 1801 the percentage of the nation who lived in strictly rural the hatton who were occupied in agri-cultural and rural pursuits amounted to 52 per cent. of the whole population; today it has descended to the alarm-ing level of not more than 18 per cent."

Toistoi is in excellent health, but reads less than formerly and sleeps longer. His reading chiefly consists of English and American books, dealing with practical questions, such as co-operation of labor and capital, work-ing class houses and municipal gov-ernment. He reads now chiefly lying down. He no longer rides on horseback content. He reads now chiefly lying down. He no longer rides on horseback overy day, but he never fails to take a walk, however, fiercely the storm may rage outside.

The largest mass of ice in the world is probably the one which fills up nearly the whole of the interior of Greenland, where it has accumulated Greenland, where it has accumulated since before the dawn of history. It is believed now to form a block about 600,000 square miles in area, and av-eraging a mile and a half in thick-ness. According to these statistics the lump of ice is larger in volume than the whole body of water in the Medwhole body of water in the Med-Iterranean.

A strange plant, which possesses magnetic power to a very high de-tree, grows in the forests of India. A magnetic needle is affected by it at a distance of twenty feet, and the hand which breaks a leaf from it receives a hock. The energy of the plant varies with the hour of the day. It is most potent about 2 o'clock in the after-noon, but loses its power during the night.

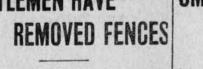
According to statistics of Alpine ac-idents, during 1995 the number of English who have lost their lives by foolhardiness on the Alps is surpassed by several other nations. The total number of accidents was 165, of which to fewer than sixty-five were fatal, and of these the greater number of accidents happened to Swiss and Ger-man climbers. man climbers

The Petit Journal announces that M. Quenu, a surgeon at the Cochin hospi-ial, Paris, has successfully performed the operation of stitching the heart of a young woman who had stabbed herself in the chest. The patient was able to leave the hospital in good health twelve days after the operation.

Five British peers have wives who Five British peers have wives who rere formerly actresses. They are Lady de Clifford (May Carrington), tha Countess of Clancarty (Belle Bilton), the Countess of Orkney (Connie Gil-christ), the Marchioness of Headfort (Rosie Boote) and the Countess of Rossiyn (Anna Robinson).

The cat at an English hotel walked The cat at an English hotel walked on board a ship a few months ago, and forgetting to walk back in time, was taken to sea. The ship returned in due course, and the same night the cat was head mewing outside the hotel foor. It was little the worse for its seafaring experience.

A male emu is to be seen sitting in he ostrich house at the London zoo. the ostrich house at the London zoo. But the eggs he is looking after so carefully art only wooden ones, of the color of the real article. Those that, the female deposists in the nest are removed to be hatched in an incubator,



Government Orders Complied With by Ware and Others in Nebraska.

800,000 ACRES OPENEL

Unlawful Fences Inclosing Vast Territory of Government Domain Taken Down and Nearly a Million Acres Are Open.

Omaha, Neb., May 15.-Unlawfu fences which inclosed \$00,000 acres of the government domain in the westerr part of the state have been taken down Sworn, statements to that effect have been received by Special District Attorney Rush from twenty-five cattlemer against whom he brought seven civil actions, five in federal circuit court and two in federal district court.

These actions were all injunction suits filed last fall, and three days age decrees were issued commanding the cattlemen to remove their fences with-in five days and enjoining them perin five days and enjoining them per-manently from constructing fences up-on government land. None of the cat-tlemen appeared or answered the bills of complaint, and the reason they did not is now obvious. They had com-plied with the order to remove their fences before the official decrees were issued by Judge Munger. As the result of abandoning the ille-gal fences, vast tracts of land, outside

As the result of abandoning the ille-gal fences, vast tracts of land, outside the inclosures, have been relinquished. A case in point is that of the U. B. I. Cattle company in Hoker county. George G. Ware, president of that or-poration, has advised Mr. Rush that the unlawful fences of the company, inclosing 111,000 acres of government land, have been taken down. Connect-ing with this inclosure on the south-

land, have been taken down. Connect-ing with this inclosure on the south-west was the inclosure of Ruben W. Mahaffey. He also has announced their his wires have been taken down. A similar thing is true of all the small ranchmen round about the U B. I. inclosure. They, as well as the Federal Cattle company, the O'Con-nor Cattle company, the O'Con-nor Cattle company, Black Brothers and nearly all the defendants in the seven suits have sent in affidavits to inform the government that their cat-tle ranges have been relinquished.

MAY ENTER POLITICS.

Talk of Organizing Railroad Employes

to Resist Fight on Corporations. Lincoln, Neb., May 15.—The state-ment is made from an apparently au-thorative source that the railroad em-ployes of the state will soon be organployes of the state will soon be organ-ized to take an active part in politics Headed by the various unions that will take the initiative it is planned to en-list from 20,000 to 25,000 railroad voters in an active fight to help the railroada secure legislature friendly to their in-terests. terests

Railroad employes have been having held up before them by their superior officers the possibility of the next legis-lature reducing railroad fares to 2 cents a mile and enacting a new maximum freight rate law. They are told that if these two things happen, the em-ployes will be the first to suffer, as retrenchment to meet reduced income always hits the employe first. This ex-plains in a measure the concern of the men over the situation.

MASONS MAY BUILD.

Long Pine, Neb., May 15.—A large lelegation of Masons from Ainsworth Bassett and Stuart last hight met with the Masonic lodge of Long Pine and gave the master degree to three lead-ing citizens of this place. A banquef (ollowed the Initiation.

Collowed the initiation. The Masonic lodge of Long Pine is enjoying a large degree of prosperity and is contemplating the erection of a new Masonic temple to cost in the neighborhood of \$10,000. This temple will undoubtedly be erected in the near number



Their Seats on the Controlling Board.

Probable That Defeated Officials Wil Attempt to Prove That Voting

LEGALITY OF MACHINES

by Machines Is Contrary to Constitution.

Omaha, May 12.—Efforts may be made in the courts to extend indefinite-ly the terms of the present city coun-cilmen and other city officers. That such a scheme is incubating was re-ported Tuesday, and developments yes-iterday seemed to confirm it. terday seemed to confirm it.

The rumor was to the effect that members of the outgoing council and corporation interests had asked W. W. Morsman, attorney for the Nebraska Telephone company, to prepare an opinion as to whether the voting by machines meets with the requirements of the Nebraska constitution regarding the deletition of the word "healtor"

the definition of the word "ballot." Today Mr. Morsman said he did not care to discuss the matter. In other states where voting ma-

In other states where voting machines have been used similar cases have been taken into court on the same kind of grounds. Records are said to show the suits have been beaten and the registering of a vote by an automatic counter found to be sufficient. The point was one discussed when Omaha bought its voting machine equipment, and before this was done equipment, and before this was done special laws were passed by the legis-lature. Recently the supreme court up-held the validity of bonds authorized by a vote cast on the machine. Never-theless, prominent lawyers are not sure about the proposition one way or the about the proposition one way or the other, and hesitate to express an opin-

QUAKE IN NEBRASKA.

on.

Sand Hills Shiver and Rumble Like Passing Train Is Heard

at Cody.

Cody, Neb., May 12.—An earthquak occurred here last evening. The ground shook as though a heavy train was passing. No damage was done. The shock was plainly felt in this vi-cinity and from fifty to sixty square miles around, lasting fully one minute. Three years ago a slight earthquake shock was felt in the vicinity of Cody, the phenomenon being observed on the same night of the great disaster at Martinique, the eruption of Mont Pelee. The tremor was observed over an area of several hundred square miles.

PROBE RATES AT OMAHA.

Omaha, Neb., May 12.—There are in dications that the federal grand jury, now in session, is to be called upon to ascertain if the railroads have allowed ascertain if the railroads have allowed the South Omaha packers to profit by secret freight rates. Also if there were rate discriminations by which the so-called grain trust has had a monopoly of the grain interests of Nebraska. In federal checks it for a second seco federal circles it is reported that Dis-trict Attorney Goss has directions from the department of justice to proceed

in these investigations. Asked if he had received such in-structions, Mr. Goss said Wednesday:

structions, Mr. Goss said Wednesday: "It is contrary to the rules of this office to make public our correspond-ence with the department of justice." "Do you care to deny the report that the grand jury will probe the rebate matter?" he was asked. "If it comes to that—no, I will not deny it "

deny it." Ever since the message of President Roosevelt to congress in regard to Commissioner Garfield's Standard Oil re-port, federal officials in Omaha have anticipated that something drastic would soon be doing in the west. TRADE EXPANDS AS STRIKES ARE ENDED LOST HER MIND Adjustment of Matters in Coal Fields and on the Lakes Has Good Effect. New York, May 15 .- R. G. Dun & Strangely Affected Young Wer Editor of Omaha Bee Has His Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says man an Inmate of Nebraska to-day:

Asylum.

Forest, and Her Mind Has Been

a Blank Ever Since-News

of the State.

twenty-four-hours and when a search-

Domestic industrial conditions are Domestic industrial conditions are greatly improved by the anthracite coal settlement and the resumption of traffic on the lakes, while the inter-national situation is much brighter now that the French elections have passed without a serious outbreak. Foreign conditions are of unusual im-portance to business interests in the United States owing to the present close relations of the money markets. Prices of securities have recovered part of the recent loss and heavy im-ports of gold have at least temporarily When a Babe She Was Lost in an lows ports of gold have at least temporarily relieved the financial stringency. Manpoints of goin inarcial stringency. Man-ufacturing plants operate close to their full capacity with orders in the steel industry already running well into 1907, and structural work was never more active. Wholesale trade in fall and winter goods is on a large scale, but unseasonable weather causes much complaint regarding re-tail distribution of merchandise and retards work on the farms in sev-eral important sections. This element of uncertainty as to the crops tends to maintain quotations of staples at a high position. Dun's Index of com-modity prices on May 1 was \$106,059, against \$106,066 a month ago, the slight decline being supplied by dairy and garden products, but compared with the level of all quotations a year ago there is an advance of 8.5 per cent. Fairbury, Neb., May 8.-W. F. Dow-ney, superintendent of the Jefferson county poor farm reports under his charge at that institution a woman apparently 25 years of age and endowed with good physique and splendid health, but lacking intelligence. When she starts out walking she keeps going in the same direction until headed off and is unable to return to the starting point; in fact does not know when she gets back. She has a vacant stare, and has to be watched like an infant. It seems that when 3 years of age her parents were living in one of the forests of Iowa and that she wandered away from home and became lost among the tall trees and wandered for

Railway earnings thus far available

ago cent

Rallway earnings thus far available for April show a gain of 90.7 per cent. over the previous year and foreign commerce at this port for the last week exhibits gains of \$4,526,277 in exports and \$428,538 in imports as compared with the same week in 1905. Mercantile collections are still some-what irregular, but show a slight im-provement on the whole. Bank ex-changes at New York for the week were 23.8 per cent larger than a year ago, partly because of the much heav-ler trading in securities At other ler trading in securities. At other leading cities the gain averaged 5.6 per cent.

Failures this week were 209 in the United States, against 197 last year and last week 17 in Canada, compared with 21 a year ago

> Mysterious Explosion at Omaha Believed by Police to Be Work of Italian Black Hand Society.

Omaha, Neb., May 8.—A mysteriou explosion, followed by fire, completely destroyed two small dwellings at 517 and 521 North Fourteenth street, this

whose annual income was \$5,000,000, is engaged. The name of the lucky man who has won her affections is kept secret. One report is that the fiance is

THE MARKETS.

Sloux City Live Stock. Sloux City May 14.—Sloux City Stock Yards—Hogs—Good heavy, and butchers, \$6.15@6.25; light and mixed, \$6.65@6.12!5. Cattle—Butcher steers, \$4.25@5.60; fat cows and helfers, \$3.50@4.50; Stock cows and helfers, \$2.50@3.25; stockers and feed-ers, \$3.50@4.50; yearlings and calves, \$3.25@ 4.40.

ROSEWATER IS IN RACE FOR SENATOR IN THE WOODS

Candidacy Launched by Son.

CONTINUES IN TERROR NO CONTEST OF DOLLARS

This Sort of Conflict Is Said to Be Tabooed-Governor Mickey Said to Have Eye on the Same Place.

Omaha, Neb., May 9-The Omaha Bee this morning contains the following article announcing the candidacy of Edward Rosewater for United States sen-

ator: "Many people in all parts of Nebraska "Mony people in all parts of Nebraska have for some time been urging that Edward Rosewater become their candi-date for United States senator. Re-sponding to these requests, I hereby announce for my father in his absence at Rome as the official representative of the United State: at the Universal Postal congress that a delegation will be offered for the endorsement of the republicans of Douglas county and I republicans of Douglas county and I invite the co-operation of Roosevelt re-publicans throughout the state for his

publicans throughout the state for his nomination in state convention. "The position of Edward Rosewater on public questions is too well known to require recital. For more than a third of a century he has been working as a consistent republican in season and out of season for the very meas-ures that constitute the principal fea-tures of the legislative program now advocated by President Roosevelt. His whole political career has been an un-remitting battle for the common people twenty-four-hours and when a search-ing party found her, she had the same vacant stare in her eyes that she re-tains to this day. She knew no one then and to this day she is in the same condition. It matters not whether sur-rounded by her family or strangers, tney are all the same. The mental agony she endured dur-ing the long night that she roamed the woods alone as a little child, has made her life a blank and she is hope-lessly an imbecile. She is neither crazy, nor is she an idiot, but she remitting battle for the common people as against the domination of corporate interests and the encroachment of overgreedy capital.

Could Serve Nebraska.

lessify an imbecile. She is neither crazy, nor is she an idiot, but she seems to know less than either. Her parents cared for her the best they could, but reverses finally compelled them to make application to the coun-tr and the was consequently taken to "All the property interests of Mr. Rosewater are in Nebraska, to whose upbuilding he has devoted his life en-ergy, and as senator he would have no interests elsewhere to divert or divide y, and she was consequently taken to the county farm southwest of Fair-bury. Interests elsewhere to divert or divide his attention. His intimate familiarity with the resources and needs of Ne-braska and his wide personal acquain-tance with influential public men should make him most useful in the fservice of his fellow citizens as their representative at Washington. Were it not for the conviction that he could in that capacity accomplish substantial that capacity accomplish substantial good for the development and prosper-ity of Nebraska and the west he would not consent to submit his name for morning. The police believe the explosion to "One thing more should be distinctly

"One thing more should be distinctly aunderstood in advance. Mr. Rosewater will not enter into a contest of dollars to secure the nomination for United States senator; he could not if he would and would not if he could. He will look to the whole people of Ne-braska, to the wage workers, the farm-ers and producers whom he has cham-ploned for so many years, as well as to the substantial business interests to rally to his support. But neither will to the substantial business interests to rally to his support. But neither will he be a mere passive candidate. A vig-orous effort will be made in his behalf, if necessary, both in his home county

and other counties. "All Nebraskans who want their state represented in the United States senate by a man of mental vigor and positive opinions on every important question of the hour, who at the same time is absolutely free from corporation strings, are cordially invited to join in this movement. I also invite all in accord with Mr. Rosewater's candidacy to communicate with me. "Victor Rosewater."

Mickey May Be Candidate. Lincoln, Neb., May 7.—Governor Mickey, according to a number of his political friends, will not desist in his efforts to secure the senatorial in-dorsement of the next republican convention. His decision to remove Omaha is regarded as the first move in that direction.

The victory of Mayor-elect Dahlman

WAS IT WORK OF MAFIA? **KRUPP GUN HEIRESS** HIT BY CUPID'S DART Widow of Great German Ironmaster,

Wealthiest Woman in Europe, May Wed a Prince.

Berlin, May 15.—Bertha Krupp, the wealthiest woman in the worle and the heiress of the German iron master, secret. One report is that the fiance is a royal prince, and another is that it is a poor physician. The kaiser will soon visit the Krupp residence in Essen, when the betrothal will be celebrated. His presence presages a sumptuous festival, according to German custom. The name of the fiance is to be kept secret until then.

Sioux City Live Stock.

Chicago. Chicago, May 14.—Cattle—Market strong. Common to prime steers, \$4.00%66.30; cows, \$3.25@4.60; helfers, \$2.75@5.35; bulls, \$3.00@6 4.25; calves, \$2.75@6.00; stockers and feed-ers, \$2.75@6.00. Hogs—Market 24@5c higher. Choice to prime heavy, \$6.45@6.50; medium to good heavy, \$6.40@6.45; butcher weights, \$6.40@ 6.475; good to choice heavy mixed, \$6.375 @6.425; packers, \$5.30%6.40. Sheep—Market steady to 10c lower. Sheep. \$4.75@5.85; yearlings, \$5.40@5.90; lambs, \$5.50@7.55. Close: Hogs—Market fully 5c higher. Bulk, \$6.35@6.45; mixed and butchers, \$6.25 @6.50; good heavy, \$6.30@6.45; rough heavy, \$6.10@6.25; light, \$6.30@6.45. Cattle—Market steady. Beeves, \$4.10@ 6.20; cows and helfers, \$1.75@5.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.90@5.00. Sheep—Market steady to a shade lower.

The police believe the explosion to be the work of members of the Itlaian mafia or "Blackhand" society. The house where the explosion oc-curred was occupied by the family of Peter Grangrossy, an Italian, and Grangrossy indicates that he has been threatened. The explosion was at first thought to have been caused by a gasoline stove, but an investigation later disclosed that the explosion had occurred under the house. The brick foundation was blown away in two places and a hole torn in the build-ing from cellar to roof. The adjoining house was wrecked and caught fire from the flames which im-mediately enveloped Grangrossy's dwelling after the explosion. No one was injured. No one was injured.

PHONES OUT OF COMMISSION.

Winside, Neb., May 5.-During an electrical storm lightning struck a telephone wire and ran into the switch-board at central, putting the telephones all out of order and most of the 'phones could not be used for two or three days. People sitting around in the postoffice when the lightning struck received quite a fright, as the telephones snap-ped like pistols and the whole box seemed on fre seemed on fire.

KEARNEY BOY BADLY BURNED.

Kearney, Neb., May 5.-While en-gaged in filling the holder of a gasoline stove with gasoline, Relley Irvine, the 13-year-old son of Mrs. Anna Irvine, was seriously burned through an ex-plosion. The accident happened in Young's barber shop, where the boy has been employed as a porter.

An improvement in 'he latest Lon-don "tube" is stations painted dis-tinctive colors, so that passengers may, recognize them without hearing their names called. Not much of a change, suggests an English paper—merely the substitution of a hue for a cry.

The wheat crop of 1905 is nearly 700,-000,000 bushels. Out of this quantity, ays Farming, the domestic consump-tion, including the requirements for meed upon the basis of the statistics of the last three years, will somewhat ex-ceed 500,000,000 bushels.

This remarkable collection of "bulls" ecently appeared in a New Zealand evenaper in a criticism of "King newspaper in a criticism of "King Dick" Seddon, the premier: "Seddon is still sitting on the rail with his ear to the ground waiting to see which way the cat will jump."

Nailless horseshoes are badly needed, owing to the injury done by nails to the noof of a horse. A horseshoe-carrier atting the hoof, and to which the shoe an be easily affixed, is the latest inven-tion to solve the difficulty.

Secretary Root announces that in making his trip to South America next summer he will go clear around that continent, coming up the west coast and crossing the isthmus.

An Irishman was describing his first tammeving efforts at golf. "The first time I inissed the ball," he said; "and the second time I hit it in the same 'Tis a poor game.'

Edward VII. rules over more Mo-ammedans than the Sultan of Tur-tey, over more Hebrews than there are in Palestine, and over more ne-roes than any sovereign of Africa.

Prof. Simon Newcomb, whose "Remiincences of an astronomer" was re-ently published, has been honored by imperor William with the order, "pour nerite" for science and arts.

The Jesuit fathers in charge of the that Catholic mission, in their reent annual report announce an in-rease of 6,375 converts received during he year 1905 into the church.

George Croal, who recently celebrat-1 his 95th birthday, is Edinburgh's dest traislean, and enjoys the dis-nction of having been a friend of Sir falter Scott.

There was a sale of cast-off police alforms at Manchester. England, the ther day. Two hundred pounds of po-ce buttons sold for \$29.

A statue of General Nicholson, the withy hero cas been unveiled at with by Lord Minto, the viceroy of

luture.

PILL ROLLERS LICENSED.

Norfolk, Neb., May 15.-Thirteer Iruggists taking the state examination Iruggists taking the state examination for registration here were successful is follows: Alfred Adams, Ainsworth; Drby W. Cass, Franklin; Edward Dienes, Hastings; J. P. Davy, Dixon; Dave Goldman, Lexington; O. H Grauel, Norfolk; C. A. Hubbard, Car-roll; W. H. Kerr, Falls City; F. E Koester, West Point; Art Larrison, Om-aha; J. P. Reiffert, Hartington; S. C Smith, Omaha: Lynn S. Thompson Bordon; J. D. Williams, Omaha. The high mark was made by Mr. Lar.

The high mark was made by Mr. Larrison of Omaha. The next examination will be held at

Hastings, June 5.

SHOT HIMSELF ACCIDENTALLY. Genoa, Neb., May 15.-P. R. Horton, one of the prominent business men of Genoa, accidentally killed himself while taking a loaded shotgun out of a buggy The hammer caught and a charge of shot struck Mr. Morton over his heart killing him instantly.

NAIL CAUSES LOCKJAW.

Tecumseh, Neb., May 15.—Ira Egge the 12-year-old son of Mrs. Fannie Egge of Tecumseh, stepped on a rusty nall which penetrated his foot. Today violent case of lockjaw set in. The attending physician does not think the boy can live.

LAD FATALLY STABEED.

Lyons, Neb., May 15.-Word has reached here that a son of Josiah Field, tged 14 years, was stabbed seven times hear his home at the Omaha Indian igency by another boy of about the tame age. The injured boy will die. They are all Omaha Indians, and the wo were quarreling over a girl. The igency is about eight miles from this place.

WAS A FORMER U. S. CONSUL. Norfolk, Neb., May 12.-Dr. George cott, formerly United States consul scott. t Odessa, Russia, is dead at Nelig 1.

MONEY MARKET.

New York, May 12.—Money market, nominal. Prime mercantile paper, 3/2@ 10minal. Finite function of the straight of

TEST WAR BALLOONS.

Experiments of Highly Important Character to he Made. Pittsfield, Mass., May 12.—Captair. Tomar W. Hedge, president of the Vero Chub of Amarica, is planning to ten metrate more completely than ever been done before ons for military before the value llitary work. Exp Expert notographers and engineers will at up to take photographs and i rawings, and experiments will trawings, and experiments will be tade in drouping harmless boobs, oth balloons bought of Count do in Yaulx will be used simultaneously for he experiments

Inasmuch as the land frauds have thus far been successfully prosecuted in Nebraska and the efficiency of the federal legal department well tested, it is believed by those most familiar with United States court affairs that the .: epartment of justice will make this an important field of inquiry as to secret rate discriminations.

CONFESSES AND IS SENTENCED.

Defaulting Bank Cashier at West Point Surrenders Himself.

West Point, Neb., May 12.-Charles E. Mead, the defaulting assistant cash-E. Mead, the defaulting assistant cash-ier of the Beemer State bank, who was out on bond of \$1,500 pending his trial in the district court of Cuming county on a charge of c nbezzling the sum of \$8,300, the property of the bank, surrendered to his bondsmen and oppeared before District Judge Guy T. appeared before District Judge Guy T. Graves and pleaded guilty to charges alleged in the complaint. He was immediately sentenced to a term of three years in the penitentiary and will be taken there by Sheriff Malchow. The prisoner manifested concern whatever—was perfectly r chalant in his manner and did not s no non to realize the gravity of his position. The case presents a number of very curious features which the people of the community are unable to under-stand. Much sympathy is expressed for his young wife.

RESIGNATIONS REQUESTED.

Norfolk, Neb., May 12.-Dr. Alden superintendent, and Dr. Nicholson, assistant, of the state insane hospital here, who have been requested by Gov-ernor Mickey to resign, have not yet sent in their resignations. Dr. Aiden says that he desires a thorough inves-tigation before resigning and he will submit to the result. He says that as long as no charge has been brought against him he believes he is entitled to an investigation. He denies that there has been friction, and declares there has never been an unpleasant word between himself and Dr. Nichol-son. Dr. Nicholson says that new developments may arise in the matter within a day or two. Both are unde-cided as to what they shall do. There is some resentment in Norfolk that successors have both been chosen from the southern part of the state for the in Norfolk that only state institution in the northern half.

KILLS HIMSELF AT A MERRY DANCE

Jess Smith, Jealous Because of Attentions Paid His Wife, Drank Poison

Before Big Company.

Yankton, S. D., May 10 .- Jess Smith, a teamster for Sheriff Wright, took carbolic acid last night here in a dance hall and died in the presence of the whole company. The act was caused by jealousy of attentions paid his wife.

Sheep-Market steady to a shade lower.

South Omaha.

South Omaha. South Omaha, May 14.—Cattle—Market steady to easier. Native steers, \$4.00@5.50; cows and helfers, \$3.10@4.50; western steers, \$3.30@4.65; canners, \$1.75@2.90; stockers and feeders, \$3.25@4.75; calves, \$3.00@5.75; bulls, stags, etc., \$2.60@4.60. Hogs—Market 5c higher. Heavy, \$6.175/ @6.25; mixed, \$6.175/@6.20; light, \$6.1560 6.221/2; pigs, \$5.00@6.00; bulk of sales, \$6.15 @6.221/2; pigs, \$5.00@6.00; bulk of sales, \$6.15

(a6.22%). Sheep-Market steady. Yearlings, \$6.00 96.75; wethers, \$5.7566.60; ewes, \$5.00@6.25; ambs, \$7.00@7.40.

GRAIN MARKETS.

Grain and Provisions.

Grain and Provisions. Chicago. May 14.-Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady. Wheat-No. 2 spring. \$1683c; No. 3 spring. 76633c; No. 2 red. \$469964c. Corn-No. 2, 4694645c; No. 3, 4746474c; No. 3, white, 4846454c; No. 3, 474647474c; No. 3, white, 4846454c; No. 3, 474647474c; No. 3, white, 4846454c; No. 3, 474647474c; Oats-No. 2, 29410w, 49462; No. 3, 474647474c; Oats-No. 2, 3246c; No. 2 white, 33446 3346c; No. 3, white, 313463242c. Rye-No. 2, 58c. Barley-Good feeding, 4064114c; fair to choice malting, 45651c. Plax Seed-No. 1, \$1.0714; No. 1 north-western, \$1.1334. Timothy Seed-Prime, \$3.3063.35. Clover-Contract grade, \$11, 25. Provisions-Mess pork, \$14,956715.00; lard, \$3.55; short ribs, \$8.4068.50; short clear s.des, \$8.5698.56. Whisky-On basis of high wines-\$1.29. Butter-Market was steady; creamery, 134620c; dary, 134018c. Barley-Eteady at mark: cases included, 156154c; firsts, 1515c; prime firsts, 1615c; extras, 1845c. Cheere-Easy at \$6012c.

15@1512c; firsts, 1512c; p) extras, 1814c. Cheese-Easy at 9@12c.

Minneapolis. Minneapolis. Minneapolis, May 14.-Closing cash prices on track were as follows: Wheat-No. 1 hard, 51%c; No. 1 northern, 0%c; No. 2 northern, 75%c; No. 3, 76% 7%c. To arrive, No. 2 northern, 7%c. No. durum, 7%c; No. 2 durum, 71c. Corn-No. 3 yellow, 45%c; No. 3, 44%c. Oats-No. 3 white, 31%c; No. 3, 23%

Rye-54% @ 55%c. Flax-Cash, \$1.13%

right to property worth \$500,000 belong-ing to his wife, formerly Miss Ada Stephens, daughter of S. A. Stephens, plow manufacturer, with the under-standing that in return a reconclitation was to be effected between them. He pseerts his wife refused to return to the barden makes many revelations him. Jordan makes many revelations it domestic tropides in the hill.

BOY STRUCK BY AN ENGINE.

Exeter, Neb., May 5.—As the passen-ger train on the Northwestern was com-ing in the switching yards, Denney Glenn, a boy about 10 years old, was 4ruc(by the engine and received sev-eral 1.5d cuts on his face. The boy was in company with two other boys and was walking on the track, which they thought was the sidetrack, but proved to be the main line.

DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN.

Subcommittee Named to Assist Na

tional Body. French Lick Springs, Ind., May 5.-Thomas Taggart, chairman of the de.nocratic national committee, has made the

Thomas Taggart, chairman of the deho-cratic national committee, has made the following announcement: In a conference held in Washington some weeks ago between the national chairmen, Chairman Briggs of the con-gressional committee, Senator Bailey of Texas and other prominent democrats, the advisability of appointing a subcommittee of the national committee to co-operate with the congressional committee was fully discussed, and it was deemed by all that a subcommittee from the national committee would be very beneficial in as-sisting the congressional committee in the coming campaign, and as the result of this conference the following subcommittee has been named: G. M. Guffy, Pennsylvania; R. M. John-son, Texas; J. Taylor Ellison, Virginia; Urey Woodson, Kentucky; Roger Sullivan, Ilinois; Timothy G. Ryan, Misconsin; John W. McGraw, West Virginia. Chairman Taggart, of the national com-mittee, will also be a member. Headquar-

mittee, will also be a member. Headquar-ters will be opened in Washington and a meeting of the subcommittee and the congressional committee will be held at in early date.

NEW YORK BANK STATEMENT.

Washington-Because they don't get wills and butter to eat, thirteen mem-bers of the baseball team of the Fourth battery of field artillery, stationed at Fort Myer, have turned in their uni-forms and refused to play. "Butter and milk or no baseball" is

the ultimatum.

Fon du Lac, Wis .- "Wanted-Girl for Fon du Lac, wis.— Wanted—Girl for general housework. One who has had appendix removed." This is the want ad which J. L. Bradley of this city has been driven to have inserted in the local papers by the sudden illness o. two maids formerly employed at his ouse.

is regarded by Lincoln politicians as is regarded by Lincoin politicians as the death blow to the candidacy of John L. Webster. It is declared that Millard will meet with bitter opposi-tion. Wattles is too rich and Rose-water impossible on account of the pugnaciousness of his political ene-mies

So the Mickey adherents will suggest an Omaha candidate by adoption. Mickey will pledge Omahans his ser-vices as a resident senator and hope for support as a compromise candidate.

Friends of Norris Brown have fore-seen this move and have been laboring to get Mickey in the race for a third

term. The boom of Mayor Miles, of Hast-i The boom of Mayor Miles, of Hast-i ings, has been emphasized by the in-dorsement of the United Commercial Travelers. He was pledged the hearty support of that organization, and each member has promised to beem the terests of Miles in all parts of the state.

KILLING FROST IN NEBRASKA.

Feared That the Fruit Crop Has Been Seriously Damaged.

Lincoln, Neb., May 9.-There was a killing frost in parts of Nebraska Saturday night, but the damage done can-not be accurately measured. Frost cov-ered the ground in this county, and at Broken Bow ice formed. The principal damage will be to fruit.

FREMONT WILL OWN PLANT.

Will Appropriate Money for Erection of

Electric Light Works.

Fremont. Neb., May 9.-At a special meeting the city council adopted the report of Expert Chapman and decided rebuild the municipal light and ter station at an estimated cost of \$83, 000. A call is to be issued for a special election next month, when the question of issuing bonds will be voted upon. It is the intention to have the plant ready for operation by December 1.

THREE SCORE AND TEN.

Uncle Jce Cannon Has Prayer Offered in His Behalf.

Washington, May 7.—Speaker Cannon is 70 years old today. When "Uncle Joe" ascended to the rostrum in the house long continued applause followed his steps. The chaplain prayed for him.

MIETS HORRIBLE DEATH

Eutler County Farmer Mangled by Disc Puiverizer in a Run-

away.

Waterloo, Ia., May 7 .- M. Bigmann, prosperous young Butler county farmer, was killed in a runaway today while driving a disc pulverizer on his arm. His body was horribly man-;led. He leaves a wife and six small .nildren.

Earley-39@47c.

NEW YORK EXCHANGE. Chicago, May 12.-New York ex-phange, 10 per cent. premium.

Rock Island, Ill,-Myron Jordan of Moline filed a bill to set aside a trust leed, alleging that he signed away the