HAD A ROUGH HOUSE.

Discussion on the Cuban Resolutions Leads to Blows.

SENATE DISCUSSING THEM NOW

No Final Action Yet Reached—Exciting Scenes in Both Branches—House Declares for War—A Complete Resume of City News

WASHINGTON, April 13.—At 6 o'clock this afternoon the house of representatives, after a long and stormy debate, adopted, by a vote of 322 to 18, the majority report of the house committee on foreign affairs relating to the Cuban situation. The report as adopted is as follows:

"Whereas, The government of Spain for three years past has been waging war on the island of Cuba against a revolution by the inhabitants thereof, without making any substantial progress toward the suppression of said revolution and has conducted the warfare in a manner contrary to the laws of nations, by methods inhuman and uncivilized, causing the death by starvation of more than 200,000 innocent noncombatants, the victims being for the most part helpless women and children, inflicting intolerable injury to the commercial interests of the United States, involving the destruction of the lives and property of many of our citizens, entailing the expenditure of millions of dollars in patrolling our coasts and policing the high seas in order to maintain our neutrality, and

"Whereas, This long series of losses, injuries and burdens for which Spain is responsible, has culminated in the destruction of the United States battleship Maine in the harbor of Havana, and in the death of 266 of our seamen.

"Resolved, That the president is hereby authorized and directed to intervene at once to stop the war in Cuba to the end and with the purpose of securing permanent peace and order there and establishing by the free action of the people thereof a stable and independent government of their own in the island of Cuba; and the president is hereby authorized and empowered to use the land and naval forces of the United States to execute the purpose of this resolution."

The negative votes were cast as follows:

Democrats—Adamson (Ga.), Brantley (Ga.), Bankhead (Ala.), Brewer (Ala.), Clayton (Ala.), Cox (Tenn.), Elliott (S. C.), Griggs (Ga.), Howard (Ga.), Lester (Ga.), Lewis (Ga.), Maddox (Ga.), Strait (S. C.), Tate (Ga.) and Taylor (Ala.)

Republicans—Johnson (Ind.), Boutelle (Me.) and Loud (Cal.)

Populists—Simpson (Kan.)

The discussion in the house was heated to white heat, the lie was passed between a democratic member from Georgia and a republican member from Pennsylvania. This lead to blows and a fight ensued in which nearly 100 members participated. Great excitement prevailed on the floor and in the crowded galleries.

WASHINGTON, April 14, 3:00 p. m.—[Special to the NEWS.]—The exciting scenes in the house yesterday are being partially re-enacted in the senate today where resolutions drafted by the foreign relations are being discussed. The discussion is very animated and much excitement prevails. Up to this hour no vote has been reached on the resolution, though there is little doubt but that it will carry before adjournment tonight.

Last Will and Testament.

Petition was filed in county court yesterday for the probating of the will of the late Balthaser Seibold of o Murray. The petition sets out that the deceased left real estate to the amount of $8,000 and personal property amounting to $1,200. Elizah Seibold, wife of the deceased is made sole beneficiary and excutrix and Jet Johnson is named as executor.

Buried at Red Oak.

W. C. Merritt, the unfortunate member of the ilfated Maine crew, who was killed at Havanna more than a month ago, was buried at Red Oak last Sunday. An immense crowd of people being in attendance at the funeral. The remains were recovered and placed in a metallic case and shipped to Tampa, Florida, and from there were sent home by rail.

Seed Potatoes.

For sale-fine early rose, early Ohio and other choice seed potatoes at

A. H. WECKBACH & Co's.

CITY AND COUNTY.

WEDNESDAY

Mayor-elect Douglass of Weeping Water was in Plattsmouth today.

Mrs. John Murray who has been quite ill for some time is considerably improved.

Miss Grace Walker has been sick for several days but is reported convalescent.

Mrs. Issac Wiles returned home this morning from a visit with her mother at Hillsdale.

Mrs. Wells and daughter went to South Bend this afternoon on a visit to old neighbors.

A. M. Sims and P. W. Hedges went to Louisville today in the interest of the Youngers Nursery company.

Philip Kaufman a switchman in the yards at Pacific Junction had his finger taken off this morning while making a coupling.

George Thomas and several other Plattsmouth carpenters went to Omaha today to get work on the exposition buildings.

Phil McCully went to Lincoln this morning with his four eldest children where he will place them in a boarding school. Mike Lutz accompanied him.

L. J. Griffith of Nehawka was in the city today paying taxes and looking after other matters of business. He made the NEWS a pleasant call and left a few sheckles to pay for the semi-weekly.

The first ward is quite cosmopolitan. It not only has as residents people born in Italy, Germany, Ireland, England, Scotland, Switzerland, Austria, Denmark, Sweeden, but has one voter who was born in Jerusalem.

S. C. Anthony has just completed a beautiful granite monument for H. L. Vestal, to be erected in memory of his late wife at Oak Hill. Mr. Anthony is turning out as fine work as could be obtained in Omaha or Lincoln, and at much lower prices.

Monday night some fellow evidently bent on burglary, went to the home of Chas. Johnson, the barber, and tried the front door. When Charles asked him what he wanted the fellow told him he wanted to get in. Mr. Johnson informed the cheeky fellow that unless he got a move on himself in short order he would get his perforator to work and drill several holes in his carcass. He got.

O. F. Ernst, the instructor for the Turnverein, has forty-five boys in his class in gymnastics, ten ladies, and will in a few days add twenty more ladies to the list. The regular members of the society are training for the national convention which meets in Omaha in June, and are confident of carrying off the prize. Prof. Ernst is an excellent instructor and is doing good work for the society.

THURSDAY.

Thos. W. Shryock, of Louisville, is in the city today.

John Thacker and wife of Union were buying goods of our merchants today.

The city clerk today issued certificates of election to the officers recently elected.

The commissioners are putting in their time this week out over the county, examining bridges.

C. Tabor and wife, two highly respected citizens of Center Precinct are in the city on matters of business.

Robt Sherwood will remove the bill boards from his lots on upper Main and commence the erection of his new store building in a few days.

Workmen are preparing to paint and fresco the walls and ceilings of the second story of the court house. It is certainly a needed improvement.

In district court this afternoon the case of Matson vs. Matson, action for divorce, decree was rendered in favor of plaintiff and $700 alimony awarded her.

The trans-Mississippi Turnfest organization wants June 30 designated as Turners' day at the exposition, and asks that a drill team of 500 men be admitted free on that day.

H. C. McMacken received a letter from his son today, who lives at Alliance, stating that "Uncle" George Fairfield, of that place, who has been seriously ill, is considerably improved.

The home mutual insurance company has opened office in the basement of the Bank of Cass County and will have the finest insurance office in the state when thoroughly arranged.

Rather a singlar predicament arose in district court when both parties to the Hennings-Rock Island suit argued a motion for a new trial. Court will hold a short session tomorrow and then adjourn until May 2.

Dr. W. H. Schildknecht received a telegram this morning stating that his daughter Mrs. Anna Smith of Andrew county, Mo., was lying at the point of death. The doctor boarded the first train at 9:40 this a. m., and departed for her home

Save Your Money.

If you contemplate buying a piano or organ you will find it to your advantage to see me before buying. Will be in Plattsmouth a few days, or address me at Nebraska City. I handle only the best instruments on the market and can save you $50 on every piano, over any other dealer. A. R. NEWCOMB.

A Talk to the English History Class.

Last evening was wet and dark, the streets were almost impassable but the English History class was too enthusiastic to be kept at home by such small trifles as rain and mud. The class and members of the P. E. O. society were cordially invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Houseworth there to listen to a talk given by Mr. Rawls on the subject of "Queen Elizabeth." Considering the trend of the times and knowing the intense interest now centered in Spain, her people and her possessions, Mr. Rawls first spoke of Spain and the manner in which that country has always dealt with the people and countries that have been so unfortunate as to come under her dominion.

He also reminded us that "Good Queen Bess" was invited to share the throne of Philip 2nd and when refused sent his invincible armada to capture the haughty queen and her country, But God blew his winds, and they were scattered and the armada was known no more, while our english ancestry have sent down to us a feeling of distrust and dislike for all that pertains in Spain.

Mr. Rawls gave the political view of Elizabeth's reign and with it many original and helpful ideas for the careful consideration of the class. Those present were so pleased with the talk that they prevailed upon Mr. Rawls to give another in the near future, having for his subject "Queen Victoria and her Times." No one who was present last evening will miss hearing him on that occasion and will bring others with them to enjoy an interesting and thoughtful paper.

After some delightful music contributed by Mrs. Wagner and Mr. Hilt Wescott the company dispersed feeling that it was an evening profitable and pleasantly spent.

The Official Count.

Mayor appointed Reibel, Slater and Lutz a committee to canvass the vote of the late election and the committee reported the following result.

For Mayor—Gutsche, 521, Richey, 591.

For Treasurer—Gering, 372, Cook, 753.

For Clerk—Kerr, 665, Lehnhoff, 434.

For Police Judge—Archer, 569, Guthman, 523.

For School Board—Fricke, 660, Windham, 620, Root, 574, Fox, 614.

FOR COUNCILMAN

First Ward—Messersmith, 94, Holloway, 87.

Second Ward—Hinshaw, 148, Heisel, 132.

Third Ward—Lutz, 172, Patterson, 123.

Fourth Ward—Sattler, 109, Egenberger, 96.

Fifth Ward—Dove, 91, Johnson, 56.

Germans Attention.

Great comical entertainment at the Turner hall on Sunday eve April 24 at 8:00 p. m. Selected program. 1,200 reserved seats only. Don't forget to come and see the only illuminated nose on the earth. See the bad boys of Corinth. The best newly imported troup of artists under the general direction of Louis Ottnot. If you want a good laugh come. Admission 25 cts. Good music for dancing.

The World-Herald train of Cuban supplies from the liberal-hearted people of Nebraska, reached New York City on Tuesday, and now awaits orders from the state department as to its shipment to Cuba. It was a great reccommendation of the generosity of the west.

Joe Sharp loaded the last of his grading crew today and shipped to South Omaha. Last night he purchased $200 worth of supplies of L. B. Egenberger. This speaks well for Plattsmouth and ought to disabuse the minds of people who imagine they can buy goods cheaper in Omaha than they can at home.

Go to Anthony's music store on lower Main street for everything in the way of sheet music.

Ready for Business.

The Platte Mutual Insurance company just organized in this city, today received the state auditor's certificate and is now prepared to write insurance. Frank Wiles, the wide awake secretary will push the business and we can safely predict a big business for the company with such an energetic young man as Mr. Wiles to look after its interests. We would urge upon all property owners, as they need fire insurance to patronize the home institution. The insurance is safe, cheap and obviates the necessity of sending thousands of dollars away from home each year to increase the income of foreign money loaners. The new company will soon take rank as one of the leading and most substantial institutions in the state.

B. & M. Improvements.

The B. & M. is again making improvements in its road here and this time it is a steel bridge over the Cheyenne river to take the place of the wooden one now in use. Some of the steel plate girders are already in the yard being unloaded and the others will soon follow and will be put in place as soon as possible. The present bridge is 700 feet long, but the new one will not be over half that length as it will consist of five sixty foot plate girders and one thirty foot approach span.—Edgemont express.

Col. F. H. Lemon asssociate editor of the Nonconformist the national populist organ, recently moved from Indianapolis to Omaha, is in the city looking after the interests of his paper. Mr. Lemon is a very pleasant gentleman and no doubt will meet many friends in this county.

A man stands on chance of being elected to the mayorship of a city unless he enjoys the confidence and esteem of his neighbors. Geo. W. Humphrey is the popular mayor of Swanton, Ohio, and under date of jan. 17, 1896, he writes as follows: "This is to certify to our appreciation of Chamberlain's Cough Semedy. My family and neighbors have tested it, and ew know it is an excellent remedy for coughs and colds.—GEORGE W. HUMPHREY," Sold by all druggists.

Ed Fitzgerald will soon be a plutocrat. He purchased a nice residence property a few months ago where he lives and today he bought the livery barn with house near by and lots at corner of Sixth and Vine streets paying Mrs. C. M. Holmes the neat sum of $1,000 cash. He can now improve the barn and make a handsome corner out of the premises.

It is, or should be, the highest aim of every merchant to please his customers; and that the wide-awake drug firm of Meyers & Eshleman, Sterling, Ill., is doing so, is proven by the following, from Mr. Eshleman: "It my sixteen years, experience in the drug business I have never seen or sold or tried a medicine that gave as good satisfaction as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy." Sold by all druggist

The C. E. society of the Christian church will give an ice cream social at the residence of C. R. Todd, west of town, Thursday April 14th. Free transportation will be furnished from the Riley Hotel corner, between 7 and 8 o'clock. Those who have attended a social at Todd's know that it is the place for a wholesale good time.

Sweet Pea Seed.

"Eckford's" best large flowered mixed, 5 cents per ounce in separate colors. Best leading varieties, 7½ cents per ounce. Pansy plants "Dreer's Exhibition" varieties mixed—white, light blue, dark purple and the nearest approach to red—to be found in pansies, in separate varieties 25 to 35 cents per dozen, ready to plant out next week. L. A. MOORE

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

Legal Notice.

In the district court of Cass county, Nebraska.

Joseph Graham and John Wilkinson, partners, doing business under the firm name of Graham & Wilkinson, plaintiffs, vs. Frank Roddy and Clara Roddy, defendants. The defendants will take notice that Joseph Graham and John Wilkinson, under the name of Graham and Wilkinson, have commenced an action against said defendants in the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to recover a judgment against said defendants for the sum of $99.95 for goods sold and delivered which were necessary for the support and maintenance of said defendants and for which defendants agreed to pay, and that they have caused the east one half of the northeast one quarter of section 31, town 10, range 11, east of the sixth principal meridian, situate in Cass county, Nebraska, to be attached in said action as the property of said defendants.

Defendants are required to answer said petition on or before the 16th day of May, or judgment will be taken as prayed for in said petition.

Joseph Graham and John Wilkinson, under the firm name of Graham & Wilkinson.

C. E. Tefft, plaintiff's attorney.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by George F. Houseworth, clerk of the district court, within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day at the south door of the court house in the city of Plattsmouth, in said county, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate to-wit: The northwest quarter (n w ¼) and the northwest quarter (n w ¼) of the southwest quarter (s w ¼) of section thirty (30) township twelve (12) range thirteen (13) east of the 6th p. m. Cass county, Nebraska together with the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Leonard C. W. Murray and Rebecca A. Murray, defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by Samuel Waugh as executor of the last will and testament of John Black, deceased plaintiff, and a judgment recovered by the Bank of Cass county etc. specificator against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, March 26, A. D. 1898.

W. D. WHEELER,
Sheriff, Cass County, Nebraska.

By J. D. McBride, Deputy.
R. B. Windham, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by Geo. F. Houseworth, clerk of the district court, within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1898, at 1 o'clock p.m. of said day at the south door of the court house in the city of Plattsmouth, in said county, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate, to-wit: The northeast quarter (n e ¼) of the southwest quarter (s w ¼) and the north half (n ½) of the southeast quarter (s e ¼) of section thirty (30) township twelve (12) range thirteen (13) east of the 6th p. m. in Cass county, Nebraska. Together with the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Leonard C. W. Murray and Rebecca A. Murray, defendants, to satisfy a judgment and decree of said court recovered by E. G. Dovey & Son, cross petitioners against said defendants in the case of Mary N. Martin vs. Leonard C. W. Murray et al. together with the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Leonard C. W. Murray and Rebecca A. Murray, defendants to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by the said E. G. Dovey & Son as aforesaid, against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, March 26, A. D. 1898.

W. D. WHEELER,
Sheriff, Cass County, Nebraska.

By J. D. McBride, Deputy.
R. B. Windham Attorney for E. G. Dovey & Son.

Probate Notice.

In county court, Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Nels C. Asgard, deceased. Johanne C. Lean, formerly Asgard, Nels Clifford Asgard, Julius, and all other persons interested in said matter are hereby notified that on the 9th day of March, 1898, J. L. Petersen filed a petition in said county court, praying that his final administration accounts filed herein be settled and allowed, and that he be discharged from his trust as administrator, and that if you fail to appear before said court on the 16th day of April, A. D. 1898, at 9 o'clock a. m., and contest said petition, the court may grant the prayer of said petition, and make such other and further orders, allowances and decrees, as to this court may seem proper, to the end, that all matters pertaining to said estate may be finally settled and determined. Witness my hand and the seal of said court at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this the 21st day of March A. D., 1898.

(Seal) GEORGE M. SPURLOCK, County Judge.

Legal Notice.

In the matter of the estate of James Grove, deceased.

This cause came on for hearing upon the petition of Arthur L. Manger as administrator of the estate of James Grove, deceased, for a license to sell real estate as follows: The west half (w ½) of the southeast quarter (s e ¼) of section two (2) township ten (10) north, range nine (9) Cass county, Nebraska, or a sufficient amount of the same to bring the sum of $972.40 for payment of debts allowed against said estate, and the costs of administration, there not being sufficient personal property to pay the said debts and expenses.

It is further ordered that all persons interested in the said estate appear before me at the office of the clerk of the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 9th day of May A. D. 1898 at 2 o'clock p. m. to show cause why a license should not be granted to said administrator to sell so much of the above described real estate of the said estate as shall be necessary to pay said debts and expenses.

It is further ordered that this order be published in the Semi-Weekly NEWS-HERALD for a period of four weeks prior to the date of the said hearing.

Dated this 16th day of March, A. D. 1898.

BASIL S. RAMSEY, Judge of the District Court.

Byron Clark and C. A. Rawls, att'ys for estate

Legal Notice.

In district court of Cass county, Nebraska.

Clara Cox vs. James R. Cox.

James R. Cox, defendant, will take notice that on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1898, Clara Cox, plaintiff, herein filed her petition in the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, against the said James R. Cox, defendant, the object and prayer of which is to obtain a divorce from the defendant on the grounds R. C. S., and to procure a decree granting to plaintiff the custody and control of the minor child "Gracie Cox," daughter of plaintiff and defendant. Said relief is asked because the defendant, without just cause or provocation, cruelly and wantonly deserted plaintiff upon or about September 19th, A. D. 1896, and has continuously remained away for more than two years prior to filing of his suit.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 16th day of May, A. D. 1898.

Dated this 29th day of March, A. D. 1898.

CLARA COX,
By her Attorneys, Byron Clark and C. A. Rawls

Legal Notice.

In the district court of Cass county, Nebraska.

Charles C. Parmele as receiver of the Citizens Bank of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, vs. The People's Building, Loan and Saving Association.

The People's Building, Loan and Saving Association, defendant, will take notice that on the 7th day of April A. D. 1898 Charles C. Parmele as receiver of the Citizens Bank of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, against said defendant, the object and prayer of which are to recover a money judgment against defendant on three causes of action set forth in said petition: on the first cause of action for the sum of $240 with seven per cent interest thereon from the 9th day of May A. D. 1897; on the second cause of action the sum of $200 with seven per cent interest thereon from the 9th day of May A. D. 1897; on the third cause of action the sum of $300 with seven percent interest thereon from the 10th day of November A. D. 1897.

You are requested to answer said petition on or before the 30th day of May A. D. 1898.

Dated this 19th day of April A. D. 1898.

CHARLES C. PARMELE,
As Receiver of Citizens Bank of Plattsmouth, Nebraska. By his Attorneys, Byron Clark & C. A. Rawls.

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, } ss. In County Court.
Cass County,

In the matter of the estate of Samuel McConkey, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased will meet the administrator of said estate, before me, county judge of Cass county, Nebraska, at the county court room in Plattsmouth in said county, on the 7th day of November, 1898, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims and one year for the administrator to settle said estate, from the 7th day of May, 1898.

This notice shall be published in the Semi-Weekly NEWS-HERALD for four weeks successively, prior to the 7th day of May, 1898.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this, the 11th day of April, A. D. 1898.

GEORGE M. SPURLOCK,
(Seal) County Judge.