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into an artificial lake with an area of 64,500 acres. The practical irrigators all units in saying that this will greatly benefit this section.

BOLD BURGLARS.

Kanons City Crackmen Make a Haul on Main Street.

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to the felt confident the bank had the directors receipt of Mr. repeatedly tried ba. It is cant

bungles alarm system and it washed by a Pinkerton detective. None of these were sufficient, however, to pre-vent the robbery, which, from traces left behind, required an hour or more of hard work. The two safes were opened with bur-glars' tools and were badly battered and scarred. There were no attempts to drill into them. The combinations were broken. After the contents were removed, the safe doors were carefully closed and everything in the office set to rights. br the sale of Rway, but the be country, the and the trouble and the trouble inteh company had inteh company had inteh a negotiations remed a desire to be power to aid the the utmost from and upon the di-ter all expect them to all effort to realize a read and at the best

Shot Dead by His Daughter.

ROBINSON, Ill., Dec. 28.-John A. Seany and his wife had been separated and the daughter, Mrs. O. J. Tohill had been caring for her mother. Wedhad been caring for her mother. Wed-nesday Seany came here and spent the afternoon in drinking. On his way home at night he stopped at the Tohill home and, finding Tohill absent, threatened his wife and daughter. Mrs. Tohill loaded a rifle and ordered her father to leave. Seany started toward her and she shot him through the heart.

Shot Dead by Missouri Miners. LEADVILLE, Col., Dec. 28.— About two o'clock this morning four Missouri miners on their way home from down town, met Patrick Carney and his wife, who had been attending a ball, and called Carney across the street and talked to him a few minutes. Then one of them shot him, killing him in-stantly. Carney had a lease on the Star mine. The Missourians were all arrested, but it is not known yet which one fired the fatal shot. instant Electric. We sholler will do all he that can possibly be ich one fired the fatal shot

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ment is Sasten County, Eas. Guesar Bund, Kan., Dec. 28.—F. B. Koan, who represents a company of Western capitalists, has completed the preliminary survey of the irrigation ditch to connect the Arkanass river with the Cheyenne bottoms and has found no serieus obstacles. A meeting of farmers and citizens of this place was held Wednesday and Koen, for the company, said that if he could get the right-of-way free he would put 200 teams to work on the ditch at once and that by April 1 next he would have it completed, thus securing the water of the spring freshets. A committee of prominent oitisens and farmers was appointed to secure

candidates for the two new seats thus resultions opponents. The state canvassing board canvassed the vote, but entered no definite finding more than that the proposition to in-crease the number of justices did not re-very a majority of the total vote cast at the election, giving the figures for and against the proposition. It is learned that after investigation dovernor Helcomb has prepared ter-tificates of election for the two fusion candidates, has Geretary of State Piper has declined to sign them. It has further been ascertained that before Senator Jobu C. Watson in-troduced his joint resolution for an amendment to the constitution provid-tion for the increase in the number of between apprend to have secured how the members of the suprems court and the supremember of that in 1606 or 1888 an mend ment was submitted to mend ment to have pamed and the legislature has ever since bea

It is probably the intention of the legislature to follow this republican pre-

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noon at the Grand hotel, and the follow-ing officers were elected: Printferst Sam-nel Startzer, Papillion; the provident, John Trompen, Lizcoln; treasurer, J.L. Acterman, Statton; constant, John Lewis, Omaha. An advisory acceletities was left as it was last year, beind them uel Startzer, N.Y. John, J. Thym, John Trompen, John Lewis, The president was authorized to appreciate a forsitiety committee of five. Some discussion that had over the action of the last servetary of the asso-ciation, H. Roemwing, who is now in Butt, Montaur, It assess that be issued sight drafts to the modifiers for various sums and that some of the dwalts were honored. The more of the dwalts were honored. The more of the dwalts were honored. The more of the dwalts were honored to during the legislature, when the dwalt some of the dwalts were honored. The more of the dwalts were honored to during the legislature, when the dwalt some of the dwalts were honored to during the legislature, when the dwalt some of the dwalts were honored to during the legislature, when the dwalt some of the sould be for the found a whole lot of uppaid bills, amounting to universit fundred dollars. Before the moving adjourned some dis-cusion was had over what is wanted from the implicature, but this was not made public.

Mathematica Line Holiday Bates.

Mathematica Line Holiday Bates. Associat "Holidays" excursion tickets will be sold December 24, 25, 31, and Associate 1997, at one and one-third are for the round trip to points within a finitumes at 200 miles. Final limit Jan-mary 4. By this line all northern and problems were as a points are best worth-sasters Nebraska points

STATE SCHOOL FUND.

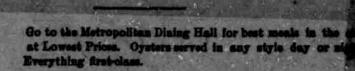
mi-Annual Appropriation Equal Sixty_Seven Cents Per Capits,

The semi-annual apportionment of school funds by the superintendent of public instruction distributes \$281,-958.80 among the 346,200 school children in the state. From the total there is deducted \$24,624.58 lost in state depositories, and there is added \$501 received as dividends on a \$5,000 deposit in the defunct Buffalo county national bank. The amount on hand allows a distribution at the rate of 67 cents per capita for school population.

WEYLER TALKS,

Pinar del Rio Robels Declared Høpless-No Crucity to Those Who Surrander. NEW YORK, Dec. 25 .--- A dispatch te the Herald from Camp Arroyo Grande

The authorities of the Oxnard com-pany have sent out the following letter: GRAND ISLAND, Dec. 19, 1896.—Sir: The late decision a the supreme court, rendered December 16, 1896, having made it impendies for the factory to re-ceive the markets for sugar made un-der an act paradit by the legislature on the 39th my of March, 1895, until a specific appropriation shall be made for



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We advise the immediate purchase of the following stocks, for either a speculation or inve

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eral Lee Back in Have HAVANA, Dec. 28. -General Fitzhugh ee, United States consul general, Mrs.

Lee, United States consul general, Ara Lee and their daughter arrived today via Tampa, Fia. Joseph A. Springer, the vice-consul general, the staff of the United States consulate and the representatives in this city of Amerian newspapers received the general

Ez-Senstor Brown's Widow Dead.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 28 .- Mrs. Eliza eth Brown, widow of the late ex-Governor and ex-Senator Joseph E. Brown, died this morning at her home In this city. She was 70 years old. She had just returned from a tour of Europe and the Holy Land lasting a year and a half when seized with her fatal illness.

Noted Musicians United.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 28.-Gu Miss Montgomery Fleming, contraito, were married at the home of his parents in Alameda, Dec. 17. There present only the parents of the and groom and Carl Uhlig, who as best man. pi wat

A Sedalia Woman's Quest

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 28.-Miss Ma PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 23. — Miss Mary Ellen Thaxter of Sedalia, Mo., is here endeavoring to obtain positive evidences of the death of her father, Evereits Thaxter—if he is indeed dead—to ex-pedite the distribution of a 5000,000 estate in St. Louis, in which the is interested to the extent of \$250,000.

Burled in His Institute

PARIS, Dec. 28.—The body of Pro-fessor Louis Pasteur, who died Sep-tember 28, 1895, was removed to day from the cathedral of Notre Dame to the Pasteur institute, where it was ro-oeived by a gathering of distinguished men

Emey Hangings in New Jerrey. NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Efficien of Captain General Weyler of Cuts were hanged in two New Jerney towns last night, citizens of Cape May and New Brunswick celebrating Christman by demonstrations in favor of Cuban libertv.

The Rev. Richard Wake's Am TOPERA, Kan., Dec. 28.—Rev. Rich-ard Wake, formerly president of the State Temperance union, wants to be a member of the state board of chari-

Dobe to Help Land TERRE HAUTE, Ind., De 18 -- Eugene V. Debs has promised th the Western Federation president or he Western Federation of an of next he will go to Colorado the first of next reak to help the Leaville strikers.

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1000, as follows: the state of Nebraska if on the 39th day of March, the state of Nebraska a pay-righthe of 1 cent per pound of ninety test made in this best of such bill being to se-rower the price of \$5 per mamuch as the Oxnard Beet pany, in consideration of the of ninety test, raised the price on \$4 to \$5 per ton, it is of lestood aud is a part of this that should the factory durlife of this contract be in any prived of any of the rights guar-by the bill of March 29, 1895, as beets delivered under this conton for all be paid for at the rate of \$4 ton for all beets that shall contain ot loss than 12 per cent sugar to the eight of the beet with a purity co-effi-

As there are beets already coming to the factory, testing less than 12 per cent sugar, with a purity coefficient of 80, we shall from this date until the close of

he campaign test every load of beets hat shall arrive and pay for them under he conditions and under the terms of e.contract existing between us; but with a view of protecting your interest re shall retain at the factory all state officials until the close of the present. campaign, and should the incoming legislature provide by the passage of a cific appropriation sufficient to pay the factory what they would be entitled to receive under the act of March 29.

1895, then we will immediately pay for all beets grown that shall be received at the factory under the terms of this year's contract, the difference between price pain and \$5 per ton. We pursue this course because the amount of beets that will run under our

test of 80 and 12 will be small in proportion, and to avoid the necessity of making a separation.

ing a separation. We earnestly hope that the farmers may get together and insist upon the in-coming legislature promptly making the required appropriation, thus enabling us to pay them the entire amount of \$5 per ton. We also invite your attention to the fact that we shall be pleased to have you employ a chemist of your own selec-tion at our laboratory who can check all tests made by our chemists of beets re-ceived. We are now making up our acceived. We are now making up our ac-counts for all deliveries to December 1, and check in full settlement will be mail-ed you within the next few days.

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New Horse Collar.

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the cattle of the insurgents, which were found grazing in the hills, and with whose destruction died the re-

with whose destruction died the re-maining hope of sustenance. They must either starve or submit and some may prefer to do the former, owing to their remarkable aputhy.' "But why are there so few presen-tados, general, in other words, persons willing to lay down their arms?' "That point is easily cleared up. I know that they have held meetings with the idea of coming in as presen-

with the idea of coming in as presen-tados, but have been told that I mur-der them all, which is absurd, is it not? Certainly I shall not harm them. hot? Certainly I shall not have a way heir arms and pose as pacificos.' "'You can tell pretty well by th

number of arms given up how my y have been concealed, can't you?' "'I am not sure there are

arms than there are insurgents. They show their desperate condition. I can tell you that I know positively that Maceo himself went three days with-out food before he was killed."

"'You still believe him dead?' "Beyond a doubt, certainly. We even know where his body is, but we do not like to disinter it, as it would savor too much of the profanation of a

grave." "Why has Arolas left the troch" with 8,000 men to take part in the ac-

tive campaign?" "Because the necessity for the trocha as a defensive line no longer ex-lats. There is, however, a considera-ble force there still—amply sufficient for all present purposes." "'De you expect to capture Rius

Rivera

"'I don't think Rivera will show himself at all,' said General Weyler. 'We never hear from him, but some-times do one of the Ducasse brothera.'"

John Drake Townsend Dead.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28 .- John Drake Townsend, eminent lawyer and poll-tician, died suddenly at Christmas dinner.

Brutal Jefferson City Murder.

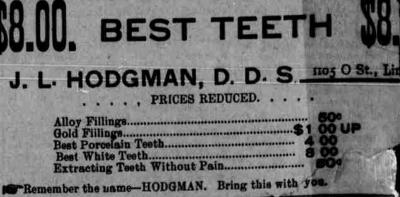
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Del. 28.—The body of a 12-year-old colorid girl was found in the rear of Stamilis' furni-ture store with the head crushed and the abdomen cut open. Tobe Lanahan, a negro, was arrested, but the avidence against him is meager and circumstantial. A lynching is possi-ble.

Reynard Got the Best of It.

A queer fox hunt is reported from Barren county, Kentucky. A farmer oing one morning to open the door of his poultryhouse found that the place had been raided by a for that was still inside. Reynard appeared to have worked up the sliding door until he effected an entrance, when it dropped effected an entrance, when it dropped and made him a prisoner. The farmer and his son concocted a plan for his capture. Turning a dog inside the poultry-house, they held a bag firmly over the opening, and on the slide being litted there was a swift rush into

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