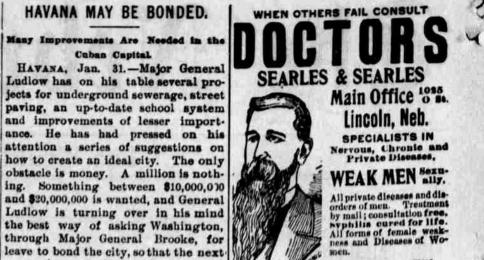
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## PROTESTS FROM CONGRESS.

ployes Wiped Out.

Assistant Secretary Vanderlip's Plan Balked in the Legislative Appropriation Bill-A Mutual Insurance Their Only Hope

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.-The so-called "roll of honor" of the Treasury department, inaugurated some time ago by Assistant Secretary Vanderlip. which practically retired on pensions superannuated clerks, is wiped out by | retary has his own way, and he aca section of the legislative appropriation bill which prohibits expenditures for the compensation of any persons permanently incapacitated by age or otherwise, and doclares that "the establishment of a civil pension roll or an honorable service roll or an exemption of any of the officers, clerks and persons in the public service from the existing laws respecting employment in such service is hereby prohibited." There are said to be twenty-two clerks in the Treasury department who are on this roll of superannuated employes and the committee, having procured a list of the names of such and the divisions where employed, have omitted from the bill a clerk or clerkships in all such divisions. It has also prohibited the use of time recording clocks in the department, a feature which has been introduced by interpret the governor's position on Assistant Secretary Vanderlip in the treasury in order to prevent absence and loss of time on the part of the eral Godard's opinion. A straw indiclerks.

The action of the committee in practically providing for the dismissal of a number of superannuated employes is due chiefly to repeated protests on the part of senators and representatives against the retention in office of clerks no longer able to perform their duties, but whose long and faithful service in the absence of a civil pension system has operated to prevent their displacement by younger and more capable men. In consequence, the work which, if physically competent, they would be called upon to perform is thrown upon other clerks, many of whom draw less salaries than those who practically do no work at all. As a result those employes upon whom the added clerical labor fails have been protesting and insisting that the government is entitled to full service for the salary which it pays.

In all the departments there are aged employes retained on the rolls who endeavor to the best of their ability to continue in the performance of duties for which they are unfitted by reason of advanced age and physical infirmity. Were a civil pension law in force several hundred would be placed upon a retired list, but in the



the Special Session Validity. TOPEKA, Jan. 31. - While Auditor Cole and Treasurer Grimes in the west wing of the capitol are holding up the laws of the special session, Clark, the NERVOUS PROSTRATION FATAL secretary of state, in the north wing, is recognizing them to be good, but in acts carrying appropriations the west Mr. Reet Declined the Nomination That end officers have the last to say, and there such bills will be lodged until the supreme court decides on the Harvey case. To illustrate, the special session transferred \$960 from the state house fund to the furniture and fixtures fund. Secretary Clark drew Myron W. Reed, pastor of the Broad

against it Saturday and sent it over to the auditor for a voucher upon the treasurer, but it got no farther, the auditor held it up. In ordinary bills, however, the seccepts all to be good until the court shall decide otherwise. He says they

come to him in the regular way, properly signed by the speaker, the president of the senate and the governor. and since he is not vested with judicial authority he is bound to recognize them. Daily he hold's the state printer's fees down to the new law passed by the special session and all charters granted are under the new law. In issuing charters under the new law the secretary even has the approval of Attorney General Godard, who, although he gave the opinion turning down the special session, sits on the charter board with Secretary Clark and Bank Commissioner Breidenthal, as provided by that law.

In the executive department no official act has been passed that might the question, but it is understood that he does not agree with Attorney Gencating this is his attitude on the proposal to appoint a new board of railroad commissioners. The governor is getting ready to appoint a court of visitation under the new law in the face of Godard's opinion that the special session was unconstitutional and, therefore, is willing to permit the Populist commissioners to serve out the fragment of a term which the repealing act has left.

Webb McNall, state superintendent of insurance, received a check for \$6,259 from the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company this morning. The money is to pay the 2 per cent tax placed on gross premiums by the last legislature. Since Attorney General Godard issued his opinion that the extra session was unconstitutional, the insurance department has received over \$8,050 as payment under this law. Should it all be paid the state will get \$60,000, more than enough to pay the expenses of the extra session. None of the insurance companies has so far shown any inclination to take advantage of Godard's decision.

## MASON WANTS SECRETS.

absence of such a law they are retained Secretary Alger Requested to Give Sen-

#### MYRON W. REED IS DEAD. The Sans-Cors treatment Politics as Well as Preaching Was for the cure of Catarrh, the Denver Pastor's Work.

Sent Lafe Pence to Congress --- General

Thomas' Chief of Scouts-His Career

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 31 .- The Rev.

way temple, and formerly pastor of

the Olivet Congregational church,

Milwaukee, the First Presbyterian

church of Indianapolis, and other

churches in the East and South, died

at St. Joseph's hospital, here, yester-

day morning, after a protracted ill-

ness. Mr. Reed was 63 years old. He

was stricken by nervous prostration

which developed insomnia. His sleep-

lessness was helped only by hypno-

tism. This quieted his nervousness.

Mr. Reed was always well known in

the politics of this state. In 1886 he

was nominated for Congress by the

Democrats, and though the normal

Republican majority was from 6,000 to

10,000, he was defeated by only 800.

In 1892 Mr. Reed became a Populist

partment commander of the G. A. R.

Mr. Reed was educated, he used to say

in the district school, in the St. Law-

later he resigned that place to accept

the captaincy of one of the companies.

When mustered out he was serving as

General Thomas' chief of scouts. At

the close of the war Mr. Reed studied

in a Chicago school of theology. His

first pastorate was in a small town in

Michigan, but he soon afterward ac-

cepted the pulpit of a non-sectarian

church in New Orleans, where he re-

mained nearly four years. Here he met

Miss Louise Lyon, who had gone south

to teach the negroes. They were mar-ried at Clifton, Ill., in 1870. In 1873

he became pastor of the Olivet Congre-

gational church, Milwaukee, re-maining there four years. This was

followed by seven years as pastor of

the First Presbyterian church of In-

dianapolis of which ex-President Har-

Mr. Reed always wore a wide-

brimmed black slouch bat, a black tie

and a long, loose dark colored coat.

A Masonic charm dangled from his

watch chain, and upon his coat was

always a veteran's button. He walked

with a swinging military stride and

rison was a member.

for Colorado.

He had a relapse two days ago.

in Deaver.

Consumption, Bronchitis Asthma, Deafness and all liscases of the Head, Throat and Lungs.

MISS LILLIE PRUSH, Elwood, Ind., writes :- Three mars ago I was a more skeleton and thought to be toostess visitim of Catarrhal Consumption. My entir-vision thelonged to a community for anily and no one war expected me to zet well again ; but I was placed in targe of Dr. M. Besty who gave me his Same-Cera restment. Shorily, the coughing spells left me, my ac-retite enturned. I grew stronger, increased in weight ind after a 5 months' course was completely oursed. I um now in perfect health and a stout hearty woman, you will see by my photograph.

three Months Home Treatment Free To introduce the Sana-Cera Cure in every com numity and prove that it cures when all other ave failed, I will for a limited time send med have failed, I will for a fimited time send mea-cines for a 3 months treatment free. Eend a description of your treable, name and P. O. address at once; or, write for Question Blank and prompt attention will be given you free. Address 30 M. BEATY, Prin'l, National Dispen sary, Dep't T 82, 425 W. 12th St., Cincinnati, O.

#### Quarrel Ends in Murder.

ARDMORE, I. T., Jan. 31 .- Last night John Edwards shot and killed Dick McSwain. The men had a trivial quarrel. McSwain drew a knife. No arrests have been made. Both parties ble. Great stockades and stables will



For some time the INDEPENDENT has been offering to its readers a sewing machine and a year's subscription to the paper for \$19.50. The machine is warranted first-class in every particular. All who have purchased these machines are pleased with them.

A lady in this city desiring to purchase a machine called at the INDEPENDENT office and asked for the names and addresses of parties who had purchased nachines. She stated that she wished to write to them and learn if the machine was "exactly as advertized." She was given the names and addresses of thirty persons from which she selected seven, to whom she wrote a letter similar to the ollowing:

#### MR. S. WALFORD, Vesta, Neb .:

ETTA SAFFER, Lincoln, Neb.:

MR. S. WALFORD, Vesta, Neb.: Dear Sir—I hear that you have received one of the "Independent" sewing ma-thines, advertised in the NEBRASKA INDEPENDENT. As I am thinking of purchasing one of these machines I write to you for information concerning it. How does it compare with the Singer, White, Wheeler and such machines; is the wood-work nicely finished; is it supplied with full set of attachments; is it high arm and drop wind; it may supplied with full set of attachments; is the who will the need; is it easy running and of simple mechanism; is the machine all that is claimed for it in the advertisement, and is there any additional expense to the receipt of it not outlined in the advertisement of the machine? Will you be kind nough to answer these questions and give me your opinion of the machine? As arly reply will greatly oblige. Respectfully, Respectfully, ETTA SAFFER, 825 North 16th St.

LINCOLN, NEB., March 1, 1898.

HAVANA MAY BE BONDED.

Many Improvements Are Needed in th

Cuban Capital.

HAVANA, Jan. 31.-Major General

Ludiow has on his table several pro-

jects for underground sewerage, street

paving, an up-to-date school system

and improvements of lesser import-

ance. He has had pressed on his

attention a series of suggestions on

how to create an ideal city. The only

leave to bond the city, so that the next-

generation, as well as this one, may

Army Corrais at Savannah.

ant Colonel J. Bellinger, depot quar-

termaster, has received instructions to

prepare an army corral here. All the

surplus animals and vehicles from the

various camps in the South are to be

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 31 .- Lieuten

renaissance.

THE REPLIES.

The replies which she received to the seven letters were as follows

sent to Savannah as rapidly as possibe built, workshops crected and ar-Persons thinking of buying a sew. rangements made for putting the ing machine should look at our ad, army equipment sent here in first-class which appears in the columns of this order before it is formally distributed paper. We can furnish you with to Cuba and Porto Rico. Work will plenty of references. be started on the corral in a few days.

on the rolls out of pure charity. Assistant Secretary Vanderlip, however, sometime ago relieved a number of clerks in the treasury department from the performance of routine clertoal duty, making what was prectically a roll of superannuated employes. It was against this roll that the section in the pending legislative, executive and judiciary appropriation bill was simed.

Representative Tawney of Minnesota has a bill pending providing for superappuated and disabled clerks, to be drawn from a fund made up of enforced contributions from the clerks of the departments. This measure is drafted on the lines of laws in operation in Germany, by which insurance is provided for the employes of corporations through the aggregation of small amounts deducted from the it he had no respect for it. The resoweekly wages of such e mployes.

#### FINED FOR ITS HEADLINE.

#### The Words "Guilt Is Evident." May Cost a Boston Newspaper 8500.

BOSTON, Jan. 31 .- The Boston Her-

ald company was fined \$500 by Judge Bond in the superior court to-day for publishing in a headline, in connection with an account of the trial of the city teaming fraud cases on Friday, the words "Guilt is Evident." The publication of the headline was considered prejudical to the case and resulted in the dismissal of the jury and an order for a new trial.

#### **GAVE IN TO ANTI-DREYFUSITES**

#### The Cabinet Submits a Hill for a Trial

Before the Juint Courts of Cassation PARIS, Jan. 31.-The chamber of deputies, by a vote of 346 to 185, adopted the government's proposal to-day to submit to the proper committee of the chamber the bill providing that cases of trial revision shall be brought before the united sections of the court of cassa-

Oppose a District Judge's Appointment. WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 .- The Senate committee on judiciary made as adverse report to-day on the nomination of Hamilton G. Ewart to be United States district judge for the Western district of North Carolina. Judge Ewart was appointed during the recess and now holds the position. An fort will be made in the Senate to have Ewart confirmed, notwithstand-

#### ing the advorse report.

#### They Wear Orleans Buttons

Lonnon, Jan. 1.1-The Brussels coradent of the London Daily News The Duke of Orleans bolds daily sticus for the Orleanists in Bruselectrony has received an electrony has received an electrony has received an electrony and has been addressed with his portrait and bearing the in-miption: "The King Has Beturned long Live the King." Many royalists are already wearing these buttons store Manila Health Figures.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.-In the Senate to-day Mr. Mason called up his resolution offered Saturday afternoon, and presented a resolution in an amended form as follows:

"That the secretary of war be directed to furnish for the information of the Senate a statement as to the percentage of our soldiers who are sick and have been sick and the number of deaths in our army by reason of the sickness caused by the climate in said islands, and to set forth when, according to the generally accepted terms, the sickly season begins in the said islands."

Mr. Hawley did not see the usefulness of the resolution. It could only furnish food for the sensational press. While he would make no objection to lution was adopted.

#### ANTI-TRUST LEGISLATION.

## Sweeping Bill to Make Invalid Contracts

## to Which a Trust Is a Party.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 31.-A bill intended to be a tail-twister for all kinds of trusts will be introduced in the Legislature this week. It is far more sweeping than the present Farrelly trust law, which provides for the criminal prosecution of the agents of trusts. The proposed law makes invalid contracts to which a trust or its agent is a party and prevents the collection of a debt by a trust in the courts.

#### Weather Reports by felephone. COLUMBIA, Mo., Jan. 31.-The gov ernment weather bureau at Columbia is making arrangements by which the daily weather forecast may be sent from this place each morning to neighboring towns by telephone. Wires have been secured to Centralia and Hinton, Mo., and connection will soon be made with Jefferson City. These towns will send the forecasts by tale phone to other towns and cities.

#### Publishers Want No Daty on Papes

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 .-- The Publishers' association mot here to-day and adopted resolutions urging Congress to provide for free paper and free pulp from Canada in any treaty made by the high joint commission. A large part of the daily press was represonted.

#### Captain L. A. Lambert Dead

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 31 .-- A man who planned and assisted in the building of many of the Federal gashe used in the war between the states. and who built the first stoom fore boat that ever eromed the Miss river, died in Kanasa City this me ing. He was captain Links & Lam-Avenue. Captoin Louis & Lambert had been a resident of Missouri for forty-two years and had lived in Eas-and City Siteen years

one he met. It used to be said that he knew every man, woman and child in Colorado and Indiana.

Mr. Reed leaves a widow, two sons aud a daughter. The older son, Paul, is a civil engineer in Antwerp. Belgium. The younger, Ralph, is an attorney in this city. The daughter, Mrs. Leslie O. Carter, lives here.

# ROBERTS AND EDMUNDS LAW.

Missionary Societies Claim the Polyga mist Is Legally Barred From Congress. NEW YORK, Jan. 31.-Nine great missionary organizations, representing the Baptist, Congregational, Episcopal, Methodist, Presbyterian and Reformed shurch of this country, have united in a protest against the seating of B. H. Roberts as Representative in Congress from Utah. They declare that if his election should be held to be legally valid he should be expelled. The memorial recites that Roberts is "an avowed polygamist, having at least three wives," and that he served a term of imprisonment in the penitentiary in 1859 for living in polygamy. It also shows that by the Edmunds-Tucker law of 1887 polygamists are made ineligible to hold office "under the United States." It declares Roberts "has confessedly

lived with plural wives and has begotten polygamous children since November 1, 1890, and therefore has not complied with the amnesty proclamations of Presidents Harrison and Cleveland.

## J. V. QUALLES TO BE SENATOR.

Wisconsin Republicans Said to Have Agreed on Mitchella Successor.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 31 -Joseph V. Quarles will be the next United States senator from Wisconsin, succeeding John L. Mitchell, whose term will expire March 4. The nomination probably will be made by acclamation to-night at Madison soon after the Ropublican cancus reconvenes. This derelopment is the result of a conference of party leaders which has been held in Milwaukes.

#### Alles Athorton Ill is Broaklyn NEW YORK, Jan. 31 .- Alice Atherton the actress, is seriously ill at the Clarendon hotel, in Brooklyn, with congestion of the lungs.

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cuarantees. Finely finished, and in all respects complete. You are sale in buying

Yours, NOLFORD.

## DAVEY, NEB., March 8, 1898.

# In answer to your letter we received last evening concerning the "Independent" ewing machine, I can say I like the machine very much. It does good work. I have had my machine three weeks and like it better all the time. One of our neighbors had a Singer and last fall got an "Independent." She says they work a great deal the same. My mother also has a \$65 Singer and we have compared the attachments and find mine equal to hers and also a full set. The woodwork is nicely finished. It is high-arm and easy running. I think it is all that is claimed or it in the advertisement. There is no additional expense to the receipt of it. sope you will be as well pleased with the machine as I am. Your's truly, MRS. A. L. SCOTT.

OAK, NEB., MARCH 5, 1898.

MISS ETTA SAFFER, Lincoln, Neb.; In regard to your letter of March 1st, I would say that the machine is just a lescribed in the INDEPENDENT. We are perfectly satisfied. It has full set of at-achments, and is high arm. It is noiseless, light running and a perfect machine The woodwork is highly polished. It will compare with any other machine I know d. The machine is all the advertisement claims, and more. There in no additional expense to the receipt of the machine. Yours respectfully, O. M. JONES.

DAVEY NEB., March 4, 1898.

MINS ETTA SAFFER, Lincoln, Neb.: Dear Madam: Your letter received, and in regard to the "Independent" sewing machine will say it is something like the New Home machine. It is a very good asy runnig machine, does splendid work and has a full set of attachments—every-hing that is needed in that line. The wood-work is nicely finished. I believe it is as good as any high priced machine. It is high arms but no drop head; and there -n't any more expense to it only what is mentioned in the advertisement, so it is not expensive, and is a very good machine. We have had ours eight or nime months and are greatly pleased with it. I have done a great deal of sewing on it. I have had two machines before this one, both expensive ones, but neither of them run as easy as this one, nor they didn't look any better to look at, as this one looks February, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. 1a. of said day. When you Have a ery nice. I don't think there is any fault whatever to be found with this machine. I am sure you will be well satisfied with it if you get one. It is as good as any ma-hine you can get. Well, I think I have answered all your questions, and said all

Sincerely yours, MRS, ALFRED PETERSON.

#### LEBANON, NEB., March 3, 1898.

Miss ETTA SAFFER, Lincoln, Neb.: Dear Madam-I will say in regard to the machine that we have, that it is complete in every respect; it is all it is claimed to be; it is nicely fluished; the wood-work is oak. I do not think it necessary to answer all the questions you have saked, for we think it a grand machine for the monsy-\$19.50-freight paid. No stra charges in any way. I think if you purchase one of these machines you will surely be piensed with it. Respectfully yours, why contained to be it is a strained to be it is not be an end to be it is not be an end to be it is not be an end to be an end to be a strained to be a strained to be it is not be an end to be a strained to be strained to be a strained to be a strained to be strained MRS. C. A. ADAMS.

#### GILTNER, NEB., March 5, 1898.

Muss Erra Savers, Lincoln, Nob.:

need to.

Mass Erra Sarren, Lincoln, Neh.: Dear Madam—Your letter of March 1 received; and in reply will say, that we have had the machine only a few weeks. Did very little sewing with it. But I find it a very light running and neat appearing machine. The only machine I com march it with was the Singer, "latest improved." The wood work is as nicely talahed as that of the Singer, "latest improved." The wood work is as nicely talahed as that of the Singer, the same kind of wood. I have the light color. It inacchanism, in general, is as simple, and in scine respects more so than that of the singer. Perhaps the only possible advantage is that the Singer has the drop head and the "independent" has not. "Independent" has a high arm the same as the Singer, and a full set of attachments, except stehing and Kensingtom em-troidery attachment, which is The extra. There is no additional expense on re-compt of the machine. They claim it to be. And I i am of the opinion that

Yos, I think it is all that they claim it to be. And I am of the opinion that the "Independent," with proper care, which all machines should have, will last as tong and do as good work as the machine which I just compared it with, which would cost me \$55 cash is Aurore, Neb. Yours respectfully, D. E. BURKET.

#### PAWNEE, CITY, NEB., March 5, 1896.

Miss Erra Barres, Lincols, Nob.: Dear Madam--Replying to your inquiryof the Lat inst., regarding the "Inde-protent" Sering Machine, I will any: It compares very farthrably with the Singer which we have always considered the "inst." The wood work is nicely Estabed. It is supplied with a full set of attachments is high arm; drop but; simple in con-struction; may to run, and is all the adverticement in the interantous r claims he it. There is no additional expanse to the result of it, steept what is indimined is the adverticement. Very respectively, JOHN M. ORNORS. JOHN M. OSBORS.

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NOTICE OF SALE UNDER CHATTEL MORTGAGE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue

of a chattel mortgage, dated on the 14th day of September, 1898, and duly filed in the office of the county clerk of Lancaster county, Nebraska, and executed by C. W. Tiernan of the town of Lancaster and state of Nebraska. to A. W. Stevens Co. to secure the pay-ment of the sum of \$715. Default having been made in the payment of said sum and no suit or other procee lings of law having been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof; therefore I will sell the property therein described: One Stevens 12horse traction rebuild engine No. 1665. one second-hand Gauly belt, one Getser second-hand tank pump and hose. at public auction at the warehouse of Frank P. Lawrence in Lincoln, Lancaster county, Nebraska, on the 3d day of

A. W. STEVENS & CO.