tion. The board was restrained by the telephone company from proceeding to investigate the reasonableness of the rates of charges made by the telephone and express companies, on the ground that the law creating the board was void. Thus was squarely raised the law creating that board, but of all the law creating that board, but of all the law creating boards. The case was brought in the supreme court for the purpose of excluding the Standard Oil company from doing business in the state on the ground that it is a trust.

The Oil Company objected to the jurisdiction of the court. Senator Thurston to Lincoln, ton came from Washington to Lincoln, as important and valuable to him as are the company, in arguing laws creating boards. The case was carrefully briefed and elaborately argued; after months of consideration state. From this judgment the Attorney General in the action. mpanies took the case to the su- The State vs. American School Fur

sulted in a victory for the state in the phase of the trust problem. telephone case, but a rehearing was Smyth et al. vs. Ames et al. This

controversy. It was not done, how- the docket and a reargument ordered.

tire amount sued for.

during his stormy career.

First a motion was made to remove service to the railroad companies than the case to the federal court. This was they did to their nominal employer, contested by the state, but Judge Baker the state.

the state at the next trial.

to the state, but to the insurance com- have it eliminated. But in this they panies. And further, that Moore, as reckoned without their host. beaten in the district court, but won in made to bite the dust of defeat. The insurance companies have accepted commenced a number of suits against \$24,000, will be made good.

Home for the Friendless vs. The bring him victory. State. Few cases with which the atof the state was restored to it.

the state in the district court of Lan- ditional assistant. caster county to recover some \$20,000 on an old claim. The court gave judgment in his favor and against the state. the supreme court of the state, briefed it with a great deal of care, because it presented some very intricate questhe foundation for taking United fear of the ultimate result.

ing the state board of transports. This case was brought in the supreme

niture Co. This is another anti-trust

the maximum freight rate case. When The state was victorious on the new Mr. Smyth came into office all the testi- of loss by hail. The danger to the mer-Subsequently the express case was decision of the United States circuit argued and submitted, and resulted in court adverse to the state rendered, a complete triumph for the claim of an appeal taken to the supreme court the state. Thus has been squarely set- of the United States and the case there is hall and it is equally important that tled a question which has been in argued and submitted to the court.

Blanc et al. vs. The State. Oil In- he filed a motion in the supreme court has more clearly shown the business spector Hilton went out of office a de- of the United States to have the case ability and high intelligence of Nebraska faulter in the sum of about \$6,000. set down for an early hearing. This Action was brought against him and motion was sustained, and the hearing farmers than the success of this comhis bondsmen, by Attorney General set for the following April. The record pany. It has been conducted in an eco-churchill. After a week of trial the jury disagreed. When the present at- to be examined, and the whole question its losses with greater promptness than torney general took charge of the case of the law bearing upon the case be succeeded in preventing it from studied. This was done and a brief any other Hail Insurance Company in going to the jury, and secured a judg-prepared. But no attempt was made the United States. Its field is limited to ment in favor of the state for the endirection of the case. This he left in State of Nebraska vs. Omaha Na- the hands of Mr. Webster, the special tional Bank. Ex-Treasurer Bartley counsel of the state, who had been paid ance will find the United Mutual safe, mled \$201,884.05, in the Omaha a fee of \$10,000 for looking after the in- conservative, satisfactory. Agents National bank, on the 2d of January, terests of the state in connection with wanted. 1897. On the theory that the bank the case. The case was argued and aided him in this conversion, the attor- submitted, and in about a year thereney general brought action against it after decided against the state. This for the amount of money stated above. was rendered almost inevitable by rea-This is another one of the very difficult son of a failure of the state to make and stoutly contested cases with which out a case in the testimony offered. the attorney general has had to deal The gentlemen who furnished the testimony for the state rendered better

stained it and sent the case to the After the decision was rendered and deral court. In this latter court the the special counsel had severed his con- the "True Populist" printed at Omaha fight was renewed before Judge Mun- nection with the case, Mr. Smyth felt of a mass meeting at North Platte of per. Exhaustive briefs were filed on that he then was responsible for any the straight populists is untrue. It both sides, but judge Munger sustained steps which should be taken with rewas without doubt reported by republic the motion to remand . The fight, how- spect to it. Consequently he examined licans. The intention of that paper is ever, ran through about three months. the decree which had been rendered to lead populists over the state to be-Four of Omaha's attorneys were em- by Judge Dundy and found to his lieve that this county particularly making for the mountains, where he cyed against him, and he was beaten amazement that it, in effect, took is following the lead of D. Clem would be safer from arrest. in the district court of Douglas county. away from the state not only the right Deaver. There was a man here Satcourt where he argued it in September, also the right to ever effect a substan- vertised by our local republican papers. if he had decided that he was unsafe last. His brief covered an investiga- tial reduction in the rates which the I believe his name was Osborne. He here, for by the confession that was tion of the questions involved, not railroad companies might see fit to spoke on the corner of one of our made to-day by H. E. Youtsey, who has only in the light of the decisions of this charge. He at once prepared a motion streets in an open buggy, Lucien Stebcountry, but also of England for 300 for rehearingand a brief in support bins holding the horse. I do not think years. It was a difficult task, and re- thereof; went to Washington and sub- that there were fifty people at any one cated with the republican secretary of quired much application. The result, mitted the motion to the supreme time giving attention to his speech. state, Caleb Powers, and a former sechowever, justified the labor involved. court. Its allowance was, of course, I am safe in saying that half of the retary of state, Charles Finley, in the For the court reversed the judgment vigorously resisted. The court, how-fifty were men of republican political of the lower court, and upon grounds ever, sustained the motion of the at- belief. There were no arrangements which practically insures a victory for torney general in every respect. And made by any kind of populists for a murder of William Goebel. thus was restored to the state of Ne meeting unless it was Mr. Stebbins. The State vs. Home Insurance Com- brasks the right to regulate freight I doubt if there were ten populists nates the man who actually fired the pany. Eugene Moore was as heretofore rates. This victory was and is worth in this county who knew he was comstated, at the completion of his term to the people of this state just what ing or heard his speech. The article of office, an embezzler in the sum of the right to regulate railroads is in the paper was written for the purbout \$24,000. But the supreme court worth. The attorneys of the different pose of deceiving the people of this held that his bondsmen were not liable roads had counted confidently upon the state. No set of men can hope to sucfor that amount, on the ground that objectionable feature of the decree ceed, however just their cause, by rethe money embezzled did not belong passing unnoticed until too late to sorting to such deception.

auditor, had no authority to receive The great value of the modification any money for the state. This being secured by the Attorney General was wuzzies in the state and six more that so, the attorney general reasoned that shown in the recent application of the are on the doubtful list. Of these last if the money embezzled by Moore be Burlington road, to Judge Munger for six all will be for fusion if they get longed to the insurance companies, and injunction against the State Board nominations—otherwise they will go then the insurance companies had of Transportation. That modification to the fuzzie wuzzies and that will never paid the state the fees which did much to win the contest for the make 259. That is their voting they owed to it. Hence, he brought state, and the railroads were, for the strength in the state of Nebraska.) the action to recover the fees. He was first time, in a struggle with the state,

the supreme court a few days ago. The Attorney General has recently loyalty to his client, the state, will venience.

The foregoing of course, does not intorney general had to deal caused more clude anything but the most important labor and annoyance to him than this. cases, both civil an criminal. More But he finally won and the property than 200 additional cases, chiefly crim- The best answer to the argument of inal, were tried and disposed of. It is Speaker Henderson, of the House of State vs. First National Bank of Or- far more labor than has been per Representatives, that the republican Goebel, or perhaps, rather, left it to be will send you your \$1 back. If you quesleans. Judgment was recovered in this formed by any attorney in the state. policy of placing a tariff on Puerto understood by all that he would do so. tion the value of this treatment, ask any case by the state in the federal court If the business in the attorney gen- Rican products is a direct slap at the for the sum of \$15,825, on a depository eral's department is to continue as heavy in the future as in the past Thomas P. Kennard vs. The State. three yearsthe next legislature should here to-day. Mr. Kennard brought action against provide for the appointment of an ad-

Why not invite your neighbors to sub-The attorney general took the case to scribe for the Independent? To one new subscriber until November 6, 35 the tariff on refined oil. The Standard cents-to three new subscribers \$1.00tions, and finally won it, thus saving to five new subscribers \$1.50-to ten to the state the sum of money new subscribers \$3.00. Send in a clubstated above. Mr. Kennard has laid Can't you do it today? Now is the time put up the price of its product.—James ates, but the attorney general has no to plant seed to harvest this fall. Sow a few in your neighborhood. You'll be The State vs. The Standard Oil Co. surprised at the good they'll do.

Mutual Hall Insurance

gued; after months of consideration and now Mr. J. M. Woolworth is added in the cities do the same. They also court sustained the contention of to the number of attorneys against the carry insurance to protect their stock of merchandise which is sufficient to prove the wisdom of the principle of in-The contest in the supreme court re- case. It presents, however, a different surance. It is equally important for the farmer to protect his "stock of merchandise"-his growing crops in case mony had been taken in this case, a chants "stock" is fire, and he insures against loss by fire. The danger to the farmers" stock of merchandise" he should insure against loss by hail.

doubt for many years, and the validity About a year before his term of office The most substantial and intelligent for many years, and the validity of all state boards established beyond commenced, the case was restored to farmers realizing the importance of hail ever, without much work on the part As soon as he took possession of his insurance organized the United Mutual office or within a few days thereafter, Hail Insurance Association. Nothing ability and high intelligence of Nebraska its losses with greater promptness than state. Farmers interested in hail insur-

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A Fuzzie Wuzzie Meeting

Editor Independent:-The report in aforce the maximum rate law, but urday last, March 31st. He was ad-

North Platte, Neb. (There are 253 of these fuzzie

ARTHUR BUCHANAN.

To Delinguents

The date at which your subscription the judgment as final, and are now the railroads of the state to compel expire will be found with the address paying the amounts which they owe them to obey the laws governing on the paper or on the wrapper. Kindto the state. Thus, the entire shortage rates. This opens up a big fight, but ly give the matter your attention and of Eugene Moore, amounting to nearly he anticipates that hard work and make a remittance at your earliest con-

Robs All Alike

San Juan, Puerto Rico, March 30 .trusts is contained in a circular issued by the agents of the Standard Oil Trust extreme.

This circular announces an immediate advance of 3 cents per gallon in the price of refined oil.

The Standard Oil Company got the president to remove the tariff on crude oil entering Puerto Rico, but to retain Oil Trust has a refinery here, and, having arranged matters to its own satisfaction with the McKinley administration, it had immediately proceeded to Creelman.

IT WAS POWDERLY

Powderly one day gave out the decis ion and the next day the senate passed the Porto Rican bill. Now they say that it was Powderly who did the whole busi

"You are informed that aliens coming from Porto Rico are in all respects on a footing with aliens from any other country, and the laws and regulations should be inforced as regards them precisely in the same manner as in all other cities, including an examination at your port as to their right to land. T.V. POWDERLY, Commissioner-General."

Hanna's Bill

There are some differences between the original Hanna Ship Subsidy bill and the amended form as reported by the senate committee.

Originally-Speed necessary to receive the subsidy on a 1,500-ton vessel, 14 knots. Now-No limit.

Originally-Speed necessary to enable 1,500-ton vessel to carry United States mail, 14 knots. Now—Speed necessary, 12 knots. Line benefitted-Great Northern Trans-

Originally—Ownership by American citizens necessary in order to obtain subsidies, was 80 per cent.

Now necessary, 51 per cent. Persons benefited, British stockhold-



-Philadelphia North American.

THE KENTUCKY FIGHT

Beckham is Declared Governor by the Court of Appeals and Taylor Flees to the Mountains

Frankfort, Ky., April 6 .- The court of appeals of Kentucky has decided that John Cripps Wickliffe Beckham is legally the governor of this state. Two republican judges joined with the four democratic judges in making this decision, leaving Judge George Duvelle (republican) as a solitary minority of one. Republicans say they will appeal

to the United States supreme court. Soon after the decision was an nounced, Governor Taylor, who only reached here yesterday, drove out of town in a buggy. It is believed he is

It would not, indeed, be surprising turned state's evidence, he is impli hatching of the plot that ended in the

This confession of Youtsey desigrifle that killed the late democratic governor. It declares that the assassin was Jin Howard of Clay county feud

Howard, received a money payment will get rid of from one to two pounds of just before he fired the shot that useless fat every day. If you think such killed Goebel, and that immediately a result worth One Dollar to you, send after the shooting he ran into the room | that amount (in a \$1 bill or stamps.) of, at that time, Governor W. S. Tay- Address Mrs. Louise Lafarge, Station lor. The declaration is likewise made E, Duffy Building, New York. If you that Taylor promised to pardon the find this treatment not based on comman who accomplished the death of mon sense, and find it doesn't work she The evidence against Caleb Powers proprietor of a first-class newspaper. and Charles Finley is damaging in the They all know Mrs. Lafarge and what

DROPS

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She Was Too Fat

Ada St. Clair, the actress played leading lady parts from 1890 to 1896, when she became so stout that she had to leave

She tried many medical remedies and nostrums without avail. The more anti-

mostrums without avail. The more antifat remedies she swallowed the fatter she became, and in July, 1896, she weighed 205 pounds.

The chain of the murderous conspiracy, as already forged by the confession of Golden and Culton.

It is believed that it was first planned to have a riot excited in the legislature, and one of the men was, on the Friday before the shooting actually occurred, to arise and say:

"We have come for justice, and justice we will have."

The words were to be the signal for a general shooting, and it was planned that enough democrats would be slain to give the republicans a working majority in the legislature.

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One day she found a perfect cure, and in two months thereafter she appeared in the court your of Encaster count by hepetition herein fled through two months thereafter she appeared did will be county court of Lancaster count ty. Nebraska, and that the estate is insufficient to pay the debts of the said estate and the expenses of administering the same; and that it is necessary for these urposes to sell a portion of the real property belong into the court by the petition herein fled thauth and we have weighed 205 pounds.

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Among these were a few who had, for a number of years, been suffering with Chronic Rheumatism, who had piloted themselves around on Crutches. They came to my office without Crutches and told me they were perfectly Well. They give all the credit to "5 DROPS" and to "5 Drop" Plasters and this is their testimony to the Swanson Rheumatic Cure Company for their kindness and for the conscientious way in which they are placing these Wonderful Remedies among suffering humanity, which they told me to write to the Company as an

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Notice of Executrix's Sale, In the district court of Lancaster county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the application of Elizabeth C.

Jones, executrix of the estate of Maurice
Edwards Jones, deceased, for license to sell

real estate.

of block one hundred and ninety-five (195), of Lincoln, lots one (1) and two (2), of block two hundred and twenty-nine (229), of Lincoln, lots sixteen (16), and seventeen (17), of block twenty-one (21), of block twenty-two (22), of block twenty-one (21), of block twenty-two (22), of West Lincoln, all in Lancaster county. Nebraska; also the west one-half (W. 16), of lot twelve (12), of block four (4), of Cedar Rapids, Boone County, Nebraska; also the south seventeen (8, 17), feet of lot two (2), of block seventeen (17), of Barne's first addition to Madison; also commencing at the northeast (N. E.), corner of lot one (1), of block twenty-nine (29), of Barne's third edition to Madison, Madison County, Nebraska; running thence west eighty-eight (88), feet, thence south one hundred (100), feet, thence east eighty-eight (88), feet, and thence north one-hundred (100), feet, to the place of beginning, and lots two (2), and three (3), of block thirty (30), of Barne's third addition to Madison, all in Madison County, Nebraska, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the debts and provide for the expenses of administering the said estate. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order shall be personally served on all persons interested in the said estate, at least fourteen days before the time appointed for hearing said petition, or published four successive weeks in the "Nebraska Independent", provided, however, that if all persons interested in the estate shall signify in writing their assent to such sale, no notice may be given.

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