NEBRASKA NEWS.

Several new business enterprises are getting under way in Tecumseh.

Dr. Grant, one of the oldest residents of Nebraska City, died last week. Three spans of the Platte river bridge at Schuyler were taken out by the high water.

Methodists of Beaver Crossing are holding revival meetings with great

Gov. Holcomb has announced the new fire commissions for Omaha and Lincoln.

The American savings bank, Omaha. in receiver's hands, last week paid a

50 per cent dividend. The Auburn telephone company talking of extending its lines to all other towns in the county.

Frank Wivims, of Lyons, has mysteriously disappeared and his family and parents are much concerned. Mrs. J. F. Hackett of Exeter slipped

and fell while entering her seat in church and dislocated her ankle. Paul Sandoz of Bayard received two cans of strawberries sent by express from his old home in Switzerland.

Close to 3,000 head of cattle are being fed near Nelson for the cattle company represented by A. C. McCorkle. At the recent session of the district

court of Brown county there was not a single criminal case on the docket. Senator Allen has secured passage through the senate of his bill to estab-

lish a legal survey of Ponca reservation Ham Hirsch, of Omaha, was arrested for forgery, but he got out of the scrape easily by proving that he could neither read nor write.

REVIVAL meetings for some time in progress at St. Edward have closed. The meetings were not as successful as had been anticipated.

A petition is being circulated at York for the pardon of W. L. Lee, the man found guilty of assaulting Aaron

Pawnee City to the Kansas City market is very highly spoken of by the Drov-er's Telegram of that City.

three already being credited to Ne-braska, Rev. O. L. Ramsey of Craw-ford, Rev. J. B. Carnes of Grand Island and Rev. Warren F. Eastman.

for one week at least. This was caused by Prof. J. M. Galloway having caught the measles. The regular spring vacation is due in one week and the board has decided to call it vaca-

A contest for a small purse took lace at Weeping Water between two lightweights of that city, Elmer De Wolf and Davie Miller (colored). Miller was knocked out in the fifth round with a blow such as the one Corbett received at Carson.

Hon. J. Sterling Morton arrived in Nebraska City last week from Chicago The ex-secretary of agriculture is apparently in the best of health and He drove immediately to Arbor Lodge, where he says he will remain for the present.

James Adams, a well-to-do farmer living on the edge of Pierce, disap-peared from his home one morning last week. He is supposed to have been temporarily demented. He was last seen about noon near the river and it is thought he met his death there.

Eugene Moore, ex-auditor of state, appeared in court before Judge Cochran, waived examination and was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$10,000. The bondsmen are: A. L. Hover, L. W. Billingsly, J. II. Culver, Atlee Hart and Frank P. Prince.

A. H. Moses, an old veteran and one of the early settlers of Howard county. was kicked severely in the face and head by a vicious horse. He was badly hurt, but his injuries were not considered dangerous. However, he subsequently began to fail and soon died.

Assessors of York county have agreed on the following basis: Farm lands, including improvements, \$5 to \$6; basin and rough land, \$1; horses, \$3 to \$10; cows, \$3 to \$8; steers, \$8 to \$18; sheep. 50 cents: hogs, one-fourth market value April 1. Telephone, \$30 per mile.

A fire occurred two miles west of Shelton, which destroyed a barn, 500 bushels of corn, five tons of hay, three sets of harness, farm machinery, three ead of cattle and seven head of work horses belonging to Mrs. Ellen Oliver. There was \$500 insurance on the barn and horses.

The Union Pacific railroad has a large force of graders at work at Columbus in advance of the ballasting gang, preparing the roadbed for the gravel that will commence to arrive about the first of April. Several hund-red carloads of gravel will be put in between Columbus and Loup bridge. raising the track above the danger line in case of high water.

ticarge Jones and Jim Caldwell, the two men captured at Hastings about a month ago and brought to St. Paul on suspicion of being implicated in the robbery of P. ti. Shaustrom's store, es-caped from the county jail last week. A liberal reward is offered for their

Mamie Hanson of Omaha recovered a verdict against the Missouri Pacific railroad company in Judge Fawcett's for \$1,000 for the loss of her right log, which was ampulated just below the knee as a result of being run over by a train on the Belt Line rullway near Russe's park, June 25, 1801.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED IN BOTH HOUSES.

Recanvass of the Amendment Vote Will Now Interruptedly Go Forward-Legislature's Time Is Up, But There is Yet a Great Deal of Work in Sight.

The Nebraska Assembly. SENATE.-The senate on the 23d became inolved in a parliamentary tangle over the volved lu a parliamentary tangle over the bill providing for a new dormitory for the Peru normal school. Today the senate undid some of this hasty work. The dormitory appropriation was recalled, and the measure must henceforth take its chances. The vote by which the bill was passed was reconsidered by a vote of 17 to 14. In the afternoon the senate took up regular routine work. As soon as it had been called to order the senate went into committee of the whole, with Mr. Gondring in the chair, to take up the consideration of senate file No. 239, which had been made a special order for this afternoon. Fritz of Thurston, author of the bill, tried to have the name of Feitz of Keith substituted for that of Mr. Gondring, but the motion failed to carry, and Mr. Gondring took the chair. Senate file No. 239 provides that the terms of all county officers shall be for the period of four years, and that all county officers mow in office shall hold said offices without further election until 1809. In other words, the proposed law extends for two years the term of office of all county officers. The committee made short work of the bill. After it had been read Mr. Fritz offered an amendment which limited the tenure of office to a single term. It was agreed to without dissent. Then Mr. Mutz offered another amendment providing that the first election of county officers under the proposed law should be held in 1807. This was also agreed to by a vote of 14 to 7. Mr. Beal moved that the committee rise and report the bill back to the senate with the recommendation that the bill be indefinitely postponed. To this Mr. McGann offered an amendment that the bill was recommitted to the committee on judiciary. Senate file No. 2, the anti-compact insurance bill, introduced by Mr. Haller, was placed on its final reading and passed by a vote of 28 to 1. Senate file No. 305. introduced by Mr. Gondring, to amend the irrigation law, was read the third time and passed. House roil No. 185 was read the third time and passed it leagalizes certain ac bill providing for a new dormitory for the Peru normal school. Today the senate un-

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The stock that is being shipped from Pawnee City to the Kansas City market is very highly spoken of by the Drover's Telegram of that City.

Constable George Davis arrested Jim Dean, a negro, on the train at Lyons. Authorities at Sioux City telegraphed to hold the prisoner until they could arrive.

A car of corn. donated by the farmers of the vicinity, is now stored in the elevators at North Loup, awaiting shipment to the destitute famine and plague victims in India.

Applications for army chaplaincies are pouring into the war department, three already being credited to Nebraska, Rev. O. L. Ramsey of Crawford, Rev. J. B. Carnes of Grand Island and Rev. Warren F. Eastman.

The Otoc county fair will be held the week immediately preceding the state fair. The board of managers is busily engaged on a revision of the premium list, and is raising the premiums generally, in view of better times.

The public schools at Mead are closed for one week at least. This was caused by Prof. J. M. Galloway having caught the measless. The regular spring voaction is due in one week and SENATE.—The senate devoted the session on After discussion the motion to recall the bill was agreed to. When the bill was returned the vote by which it was passed was reconsidered and the bill sent back to the committee of the whole. A committee consisting of Taibot, Gondring and Howel was appointed to confer with a like committee from the house relative to fixing a day for final adjournment. The senate then adjourned.

SENATE.—The senate on the 25th resolved itself into an informal sitting committee this

itself into an informal sifting committee this forenoon. The approaching end of the ses-sion was evidenced in the hasty scramble of forenoon. The approaching end of the session was evidenced in the hasty scramble of individual senators to get their favorite bills in under cover. Bills on third reading were taken up as soon as the chaplain had said his prayers. But one bill was ready, house roll No. 144, introduced by Burkett of Lancaster. It makes grave robbing a felony instead of a misdemeanor. The bill has already passed the house and the senate sent it to the governor. Mr. Mutz brought up his bill, senate file No. 164, providing for the dividing of the Fifteenth judicial district into two districts, and moved that it be advanced to a third reading. This motion brought on a first-class controversy. The motion to advance the bill was not agreed to. Mr. Gondring asked that senate file No. 240 be engrossed for its final passage. This is one of the important bills of the session, although it has attacted bat little attention. It authorizes the attorney general to commence an action to recover from the sureties of an official bond running to the state in the county in which the sureties reside. At present such suits have to be commenced in Lancaster county. The bill was advanced to third reading. On motion of Mr. Spencer of Lancaster, senate file No. 236 was ordered engrossed for third reading. It is a bill to require school book companies furnishing books to school districts in Nebraska under contract to maintain a sapply house at the capital of the state. Senate file No. 20s. which next received consideration, provides for the excussion of school bond taxes in the computation of aggregate school taxes. The bill was recommended for passage. The enrolled copy of the recount bill was presented and signed by the lieutenant governor. The senate bill ceding to the use of the hospital for the insane at Lincoln a quarter section of state hand was passed. The senate bill permitting criminal suits against state officials charged with offenses against the statutes to be hought in any county of the state was passed. The announcement had signed the recou

siderable fusiness. The fleutenant governor handed to the cierk and had read a communication in which he announced the appointment of Canaday of Kearney, Sykson Adams and Heapy of Sucrimin as the senate nonbers of the received the approval of the governor. The house bills received were read the second time. Lee of Boyd moved that house roll No. 45 be advanced to third reading. The bill authorities the commissioners of public lands and buildings to select lands in the old Fort Randali military reservation as whool land indominity. The purefood bill introduced by Mr. Murphy was taken up discussed and recommended for possible intended by Mr. Murphy was taken up discussed and recommended for possible along the individual intended by Mr. Murphy was taken up discussed and recommended to puss. The next bill taken up was senate file No. 27. Mitter's bill providing for the taxation of express companies within the state of Notrashi and thing a penalty for false statements. Mr. Mitter's bill providing for the taxation of express companies within the state of Notrashi and thing a penalty for false statements. Mr. Mitte moved to strike out the ameniment taxing the companies is believed an annountment exempting from the calculation of the grown contings. The method was adopted. Mr. Murphy offered an annountment exempting from the calculation of the grown excitings. The method was adopted. We manual make it read? per count of the grown carbings the mountment was defected, and another than meaning point the companies to the amendment was defected, and another by Mr. thouse the Amendment stating on the word grown and based in pass a manual mode of the amendment and another of an amendment attaining on the word grown and based on him in a subject the manual mean the appears companies and manual mean the stating on the word grown and based in pass and amountment of the provided on the word grown and based on him the stating on the word grown and based on him the stating on the word grown and based on him the stating on the word g siderable Business. The licutenant governor handed to the clerk and had read a commu-

offered by Mr. Talbot was adopted, and the bill was recommended to pass. House.—In the house on the 23d the com-

mittee on privileges and elections reported house roll No. 651, the new bill relating to mittee on privileges and elections reported house roll No. 651, the new bill relating to the powers and duties of the attorney-general in cases affecting the state, to be engrossed for third reading. The report was adopted. Bills on third reading having been taken up. House roll No. 615, the general appropriation bill, was read and put upon its passage. The vote stood 83 ayes to 4 nays. Eager, Snyder of Nemaha, Wooster and Young voting against the bill. House roll No. 630, the claims appropriation bill, was read and passed by a vote of 76 to 8. House roll No. 353, providing for the payment by countless of the premium on the bonds of county treasurers, where these bonds are executed by a surety company authorized by law to execute such bonds, passed by a vote of 60 to 29. House roll number 354 provides for the payment out of the state treasurer's bond, when the bond is executed by a surety company authorized by law to execute such bond, the premium on the state treasurer's bond, when the bond is executed by a surety company authorized by law to execute such bond, the premium not to exceed one-third of 1 percent per annum of the penalty stated in the bond. The bill carries an appropriation for the payment of such premium. It was passed by a vote of 59 to 25. House roll No. 301, by Rich, to amend sections 7 and 8 of chapter livili of the compiled statutes of Nebraska, 1895, and relating to bonds required from persons having contracts with the state, received 52 votes for and 38 against its passage with the emergency clause stricken out, and the fate of the bill being very uncertain. Rich moved a call of the house, it was soon raised and the bill passed by a vote of 53 to 38. House roll No. 302, creating a board of public works consisting of three members in cities of the second class and village-cities of over 5,000 inhabitants, was passed with the emergency clause stricken out. House roll No. 304 require chat when the plaintiff is a nonresident of the county or a surety company thorized to transact such business. the powers and duties of the attorney-gensecurity for costs, either by a potent of the county or a surety company thorized to transact such business. The hoassed with the emergency clause. Semi file No. 47, Ransom's bill requiring that a sband and wife shall both sign chattel in gages given on household goods, passed were only three dissenting votes. Senate file 46, by Ransom, requiring street car cothe nies to construct enclosures at the end are to protect their employes from dance of the year, was passed by a vote of 70, gh.

House.—Bills on third reading were the first thing in order in the house on the 24th,

first thing in order in the house on the 24th, and house roll No. 474. Gaffin's bill to permit county agricultural societies to participate in the Trans-Mississippi exposition and to provide for the expense of county exhibits, was passed by a vote of 61 to 28. House roll No. 310, the bill to establish a state banking board, to define state banking board and state bank examiners, and to provide for a secretary for the state banking board and state bank examiners, and to provide for the regulation of such institutions, with penalties for violation, false statements or entries: also providing that receivers of such banks may give bond in incorporated surety companies, was passed after the emergency clause had been stricken out. House roll No. 313, the last of Rich's bills, providing that a receiver shall give bonds of the same kind as designated in the previous bills, was passed without the emergency clause. House roll No. 30s, providing for guaranty bonds for township, city and village treasurers, received 52 ayes and 38 mays, with the emergency clause. With that clause stricken out, it received fifty-seven votes, with thirty-two negatives, and was declared passed. Webb offered a resolution providing for the printing of 350 copies of the "Blue Book." to be modeled on that of 1863. After some discussion the resolution was adopted. Alderman sent up a resolution sking that the Missouri river commission be instructed to take steps to prevent the constant change of channel of the Missouri river between Cottonwood Hills bluff and the bluff at Sloux City. It was adopted. House roll No. 6, Hull's deficiency judgment hill, was recommended for passage as amended before being sent to the special committee, the committee of privileges and elections reported senate file No. 382, the new recanvass bill, for third reading. It was so ordered. Adjourned.

House of and house roll No. 474. Gaffin's bill to permit county agricultural societies to participate in

on the 25th reported the following bills, with the recommendation that they be ordered to third reading, in the order named: Senate ment of a bounty on wheat and cotton, two of the principal articles of boiling ting the state board of horitculture \$2,000 for the payment of expenses of the society. House roll No. 461, by Gaffin, limiting the tax levied by school districts, but providing that the board may be row money on bonds which may be issued when authorized by the electors of said school district, was placed on third reading, and passed by a vote of \$3 to 6. House roll No. 299, by Wimberley, to direct the application and payment of certain moneys received by the state treasurer annually, and known as the "Morrill Fund." in aid of the industrial college of the university of Nebraska, was read the third time and passed with the emergency clause. House roll No. 12, by Clark of Lancaster, to amend the existing law relative to elections to correspond with a bill already passed, providing for the selection of non-partisian election boards, was passed by a vote of \$4 to 8. A message was received from the governor announcing that he had signed house roll No. 39, the Trans-Mississippi exposition bill, house roll No. 15, for the relief of Rebecca Perkins. Senate file No. 382, the recount bill introduced at the suggestion of the governor, was put upon its passage. During roll call it was discovered that several members would have to be brought in before the bill could pass, and a call of the house was demanded. The bill was passed by a strickly party vote. On motion of Shull of Nemaha, the amendment to senate file No. 182, the deficiency judgment bill, exempting present contracts, adopted yesterday, was stricken out. An attempt was made to recommend the bill for passage, but it was defeated by a time to be colored that be had signed senate file No. 482, the new recount bill which passed during the afternoon. The house adjourned to 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

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House.-Immediately after the opening exercises in the house on the (26th the speaker announced that he had appointed Dobson C. ercises in the house on the 28th the speaker announced that he had appointed Dobson C. Fillmore, Gerdes of Richardson, Fernow of Adams and Loomis of Butler as the house committee to aid in the recanvass. McCracken moved that the committee be instructed to employ as help in the recount the present employes of the house, as far as expedient. The motion was adopted without division. Senate file No. 287 was put upon its final passage. This is the bill regulating the fling of articles of incorporation and fixing the scale of fees for the same. It received seventy two votes, with only eight in the negative, and was declared passed with the emergency chause. House roll No. 193, the committee substitute, extending the term of of redemption of reai cuate after forcelosure to one year beyond the nine months already allowed. The bill received fifty-six vides, and was again put also its passage, with the emergency chause stricken out. On this roll call the bill passed, thouse roll No. 63, the hill suggested by the governor's message, in rounding the passes of the athoricy general, was passed. When the committee report on house roll No. 62s was read. Poliard moved that the report be not concurred in, but that the hill be referred tark to the committee of the whole for further consideration, the a fishing vote the metalon was lost, and the report was adopted, recommending the bill for passage. Adjuncted until 2 o'clock Monday.

FOR CURRENCY REFORM.

Members of the Monetary Convention

WASHINGTON, March 27. - The members of the committee on legislation which was appointed by the Indianapalls monetary convention called on-Speaker Reed to-day and talked with him concerning legislation for currency and banking reform.

Mr. Reed told the committee that congress moved faster than the people in matters of legislation, and when became crystalized in favor of any particular form of financial legislation congacos would be upt to respond with little delay. If the people demanded changes in the banking system and brought pressure to bear on congress they would secure

HIDES AND TRUSTS THE is felt at the signs of the vacil-SUBJECTS.

SIMPSON FOR HIDE DUTY.

Mr. Walker of Massachusetts Predicts That Eventually All the Rallroads in the Country Will Be Controlled by a Single Corporation-Grow and Vandiver Become Personal.

WASHINGTON, March 29.-During a liscussion in the House to-day concerning a duty on hides, Mr. Hopkins, republican, of Illinois, said that there was no demand for such a duty, and Mr. Walker of Massachusetts explained that few hides were imported except those used for sole leather, so that a duty on hides would be of little benefit to farmers. If a duty on hides would increase their production in this country the Republican side would be unanimously in favor of such a duty. He argued that great combinations necessarily reduced the cost of production and consequently the price to the people. Trusts were the natural out-come of higher civilization. He pre-dicted that eventually all the railroads in the country would be controlled by

a single corporation.

Mr. Grow of Pennsylvania was explaining how the duty on tin plate has established that industry in this country when he and Mr. Vandiver of Missouri became involved in a personal controversy over the question of "who paid the tax arising from an increased

tin plate duty." Mr. Simpson of Kansas, after re-marking on the conspicuous part played by Mr. Grow during the stirring played by Mr. Grow during the stirring days of the war, said it was sad to see him now the "defender of trusts and combines. whose purpose was to enslave the American people." Referring to the question of free hides he said that a duty on hides would be of more importance to the farmer than all the other duties in the agricultural schedule. It would make agricultural schedule. It would mean an increase of \$1 each on every one of the 5,422,000 hides taken from the cattle slaughtered last year.

Mr. Payne of New York insisted that

Mr. Simpson entirely misunderstood the question. The hides imported did not come into competition with American hides. The former were used almost exclusively for sole leather.

FOR FARM BOUNTIES.

Senator Smith's Proposed Amendment to the Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 29.-Senator Smith of New Jersey, a Democrat, de-

ministration and came to Washington Kansas. prospects. President McKinley has the fourth joint session of the Legisla-told his intimate friends, and through ture to ballot for United States senaholder will be appointed to a place under his administration unless there are extraordinary reasons for the man's selection. This decision of the president, while it has caused the against whom it is directed to feel dis-gruntled, is bailed with delight by the great army of Republican workers who have never had recognition and think | Riggs shot and killed young floyd and they are justly entitled to it under the present administration.

McNull's Newest Move.

TOPERA, Kan., March 29. - Insurance Commissioner Webb McNall yesterday announced that, under the 1889 Burton anti-trust law of Kansas, he will expel all old-line fire insurance companies from the state or compel them to leave the secret pool, which he claims they maintain by means of being subscribers to Harrison Clarkson's rate book. He claims that he has other evidences of a secret pool of rates in the frequent summary re-moval of agents for cutting of rates below those of other companies. The Kansas statutes empower the insurance commissioner to refuse com-panies licenses if they do not comply with statutes, and this will be his

The Upper Mississippi Miles Wide Quincy, Ill., March 20, or The Mississippi river continues to rise here, and, with the bottoms all under water, is seven unles wide. People have been driven from their homes to the bills. On what is known as Lone Tree prairie the only land in sight for four miles is the narrow embankment of the St. Louis, Keckuk and Northweatern vailroad.

Many Topska Women Registered. Torena, Kan. March 19. - 12. total RUSSIA SORE AT POWERS.

The Situation Regarded as Very Seriou

-Austria's Aggressive Proposal. St. Petersburg, March 29.-In high official quarters here much annoyance lating policy shown by the powers at a moment when the greatest firmness is necessary. The feeling here is that the other powers are try-ing to place Russia in the undesirable position of allowing the shedding of Christian blood. The Otgoloski publishes a very strong article on the subject and thinks England is going to establish herself in Crete and as Crete is not what the Dardanelles is to Russia, the latter would not go to war about it.

In diplomatic circles the position is looked upon as very embroiled and the only solution that if the Greeks insist on fighting they should be allowed to go on and be beaten. It is considered that after all the center of interest is entirely concentrated on what is taking place on the Greco-Turkish fron-

London, March 27 .- A dispatch to the Daily News from Vienna says the to-day. Austrian foreign office has proposed to extend the blockade along the entire Greek coast with special stringency at the Piracus and in the gulf of Volo, Corinth and Arta, England, having abandoned the condition that Turkey

RESERVES ATTACKED.

Five Western Senators Appeal to Pres ident Mckinley to Annul the Order. WASHINGTON, March 29.—The Presi

dent listened to strong representations from Western men respecting the order made by President Cleveland February 22, creating extensive reservations of public lands for forest protection. The speakers were Senators Allison, Pettigrew, Mantle, Clark and Shoup, ex-Senator Moody and Representative Hartman of Montana. They criticised the order in the freest terms as unjustifiable and a serious blow at the development and prosperity of the Western country. President McKinley listened closely to what was said and promised to take the suggestion that he order be rescinded under careful consideration.

All Republicans Must Go.

TOPEKA, Kan., March 29.-Mrs. Fannie Beardslee, who for ten years has been clerk in the adjutant general's office, was to-day removed and Miss McLallin, daughter of the late Dr. Mc-Lallin, appointed in her place. The salary is \$600. Mrs. Beardslee retained her place through the Lewelling administration and her friends hoped that she would be permitted to remain through this, but the pressure for places is so great that she had to go. It is believed that Mrs. Beardsgo. It is believed that Mrs. Beards-lee's removal is the forerunner of a general decapitation of all Republicans who are still in office.

Acquitted of Dark Crime.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., March 29. - Harry third reading, in the order named. Schatch files of and 99, house rolls 399, 625, senate files of and 99, house rolls 39, 481, 273, 505, 277, 351, 27, 505, 277, 351, 27, 505, 277, 351, 27, 507, 578 and 549. The standing committee on agriculture reported house roll No. 545 to be placed on the general file. This is Marshall's ton, two of the principal articles of brothers, aged 10, 12, 15 and 17, relief to the state learn of the four McFadden brothers, aged 10, 12, 15 and 17, relief to the state learn of the four McFadden brothers, aged 10, 12, 15 and 17, relief to the state learn of the files of the four McFadden brothers. spectively, at Frontenac, was acquitted last night after a four days' trial. Ben Whittington of Pittsburg, Kan, who was held on the same charge, was discharged. Adams was immediately arrested, charged with arson in setting fire to the house in which the boys were burned.

A Kansas Colony for Minnesota.

NAVARRE, Kan., March 29. - A colony of farmers from central Dickinson county will leave here Monday for Minnesota to colonize a tract of land in the northern part of that state. Among them are Charles Sommer, one of Central Kansas' best ball pitchers; George Jones, Nels Sherman, R. Bass-ler and J. W. Hornberger and their families. They will go in three special cars and will join a party from Eastern

No Ballot in Kentucky's Legislature. FRANKFORT, Ky., March 29.-There

was little excitement attendant upon tor to-day. The Democrats and bolt-ing Republicans who had not paired refused to answer to their names and so prevented a quorum, and no ballo was taken.

An Elopement Causes Two Deaths. MAYSVILLE, Ky., March 29.-Near Gilead in this county yesterday Amos his father. W. R. Boyd. A few days ago young Boyd ran off with one of Riggs's daughters and a family quarrel ensued.

A Fish Trust the Latest.

NEW YORK, March 29. - A combination is said to be on the point of completion between dealers in the product of the fresh water fisheries of the United States and Canada which will practically control the supply. It is backed largely by English capital.

Greenville in Great Peril.

GREENVILLE, Miss., March 26. - The mayor has issued a proclamation callng on all merchants to close their places of business and every ablebodied man to go to the levee. A strong fight is being made along the line to hold the great embankment.

A Bank Cashier's Many Misdeeds. Autox. Colo. March 28-11. G. Nealson, cashier of the Washington County bank, now in the hands of a receiver. was arrested to-day on charges of larvien he know the bank was insolvent and misappropriating the funds of the

River In Still Falling.

Munchin, Tenn., March 29. - The big river continues to fail slowly and the registration of Topoka including 2,348 flood situation in Arkansas, opposite cattle women, for the spring election is 4,814. this city, is somewhat improved.

A Small Fortune Stolen.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 27.-Joseph Davis recently drew \$2,240, a legacy, from the bank and hid it under a carpet, placing a trunk over it. Yesterday afternoon, while the family was down town, the carpet was torn up and the money stolen.

O. G. Eckstein Secures a Divorce. WICHITA, Kan., March 27 .- O. G. Eckstein, a well known attorney and Republican politician, was granted a divorce from his wife to-day on the ground of gross neglect of duty.

RYAN WILL BE SELECTED.

Kansas Almost Certain to Get the First Interior Assistant Secretaryship.

WASHINGTON, March 27.-President McKinley has practically agreed to appoint Thomas Ryan of Kansas first assistant secretary of the Interior department. He arrived at this conclusion last night and some surprise was manifest when the Kansan's name was not found in the list of new nominations sent to the Senate after it met

As first assistant secretary of the interior it will be Ryan's duty to examine charges against officials and employes, instruct Indian inspectors and mines inspectors, supervise open market purchases of Indian supplies and and Greece must be asked to with-draw their troops from the Thessalian Indians, supervise business relating to the distribution of certain public documents and matters relating to the government bospital for the insane, Columbia institu-tion for the deaf and dumb, supervise the Arkansas Hot Springs, the Yellowstone mineral park of Wyoming the Yosemite, Sequoia and General Grant parks of California, and supervise the disbursement of the fund for a more complete endowment of agricultural colleges in states and territories. In the absence of the secretary, he acts in that carreity.

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Attorney General McKenna Orders Its Appeal to the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, March 27. - Attorney General McKenna yesterday sent in-structions to District Attorney Mac-Farland at New York to take an appeal to the United States supreme court from the decision of the circuit court of appeals in the case of the United States against the Joint Traffic association. As soon as the papers reach the department of justice a motion will be made in the supreme court to advance the case on the docket, so that a speedy determination of the question involved may be had

It is stated that the decision of the Supreme court in the case of the Trans-Missouri Freight association covers all of the main points in the decision of Judges Wallace and Las-combe in the case of the Joint Traffic association. It also is their opinion that the passenger associations come as clearly within the prohibitions of the law as do the freight associations. It is believed that the appeal will be argued and decided before the summer recess of the court

Rockefeller was CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 27. -It was nnounced to-day that John D. Rockefeller's representative at the recent meeting of the Bessemer Iron association made a fight against a reduction of the wages of ore miners. It was stated after the meeting had adjourned without reaching an agreement that the wages of men in the Rockefeller mines would not be cut.

Big Reserves in Kansas State Banks TOPEKA, Kan., March "7 - Reports from 125 state banks in Kausas show an average reserve of 46 per cent, while the law only requires "0 per cent.

IOWA PATENT COLLE REPORT. DES MOINES, March 19.-Henry Principal, of Des Moines, has been granted a copyright for the "Frincipal

Tailor System of Dress Cutting. J. Cundiff. of Union, Iowa, has been allowed a patent for a simple. strong and durable portable machine adapted to be advanced along a wire fence to weave stay wires on the fence wires.

In the list of patents issued last week Iowa is represented by 6.

Nebraska has 2. Minnesota 8. Kansas

Missouri 18, New York 70. Ten thousand two hundred and eight applications are awaiting action at Washington. The examiners of 33 divisions are less than two months in arrears with their work and in only one division is the work in arrears over two months.

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LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKET. Quotations From New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Omaha and Elsewhere.

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Butter-Creamery separator		18	46		111
Butter-Choice fancy country		10	60.		12
Eggs-Fresh		23	466		18
Chickens Dressed		1	95.		734
Chickens-Live, per lb		6	66.		611
Cranberries per bbl	5.	66	69.	ā	50
Lemons-Choice Messinas	18	25	18	3	50
Honey Fancy white		13	96		14
Onions, per bbl.	3	60:	:45		25
Beans Handpicked Navy	8.	10	-96	1	20
Potatoes		255	101		386
Sweet Potatoes, per bid		50	60.	31	
Oranges, per box		245	- 60	а	15
Hay-Upland, per ton		(6)	160	4	308
Apples, per bbl		50	79.	2	269
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Hoga Heavy weights	9	NS.	- 60	18.	90
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Bullancing	2	788	- 66	а	584
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Stockers and Feeders		60	45		
Sheep Westerns		ж.	- 60		
Sheep Lambs	-	60	80.	а	25
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