

MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

**ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD** 

Complete Review of Happenings of Greatest Interest from All Parts of the Globe-Latest Home and Foreign Items.

THE PRESIDENT'S TOUR. President Roosevelt in a speech at St. Louis declared it the nation's duty to restore the Mississippi river to its proper place as a great artery of commerce, and termed the proposed 14foot channel from the lakes to the gulf a "national task." He warned against plans which might "entail reckless extravagance or be tainted with jobbery," but urged a liberal waterway policy.

President Rcosevelt delivered a characteristic speech at Keokuk, Ia. before a large assemblage in which were governors of a dozen states and many members of congress. He then started on his steamer trip down the Mississippi.

President Roosevelt made a speech at Cairo, Ill., in which he advocated the building of a strong navy. He then continued his trip down the Mississippi river to Memphis, where he addressed the deep waterways convention.

The Lakes to-the-Gulf Waterways association began its second annual meeting in Memphis. President Roosevelt addressed the gathering and then departed for Lake Providence, La., for a hunting trip.

President Roosevelt announced that he would call a convention to be held in Washington January 3 next, to advocate the preservation and conservation of the natural resources of the country, including coal, water-power. oil, etc.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

An omnibus contract, whereby the Standard Oil company obtains from every steamship company operating Africa a rate for the shipment of lubricating oil that is about one-half what its competitor, the New York Lubricating Oil company, pays, was produced in the hearing of the federal

suit against the alleged oil combine. James H. Farrand, superintendent of delivery in the Davenport (Ia.) post office, was arrested charged with opening registered mail. Soon after, he committed suicide.

Miss Katherine Rittenhouse, a student at Northwestern university, in Chicago, has fallen heir to an estate worth \$20,000 by the will of Col. Isaac Wing, who was rejected by her mother when a girl.

Owen V. Anderson, recently appointed to a lieutenancy in the United



1	RATES FAVOR TRUST	OIL JUGGLED BY TRUST	and the second se	NERRASKA IN BRIEF
		PRICES CHARGED BY GALENA	Banks in Which Nebraska Money Is Deposited	HEDIMORN IN DIRE
	STEAMER TARIFFS ON OILS TO	COMPANY NOT UNIFORM.	National bank, Ashland \$ 2 660.60	NEWS NOTES OF INTEREST FROM
	AFRICA NOT UNIFORM.	Refund Over Maximum - Pennsys vania Road Bought Lubricating	Alliance National	VARIOUS SECTIONS.
	CONTRACT IS PRODUCED	Oil at Less Than Cost.	First National, Blue Hill 1,000.00 Battle Creek Valley hank 1,000.00	
	CONTRACT IS PRODUCED	New York That the Galena Signal		ALL SUBJECTS TOUCHED UPON
	Ida Tarbell's Brother Tells of His	Oil company, a subsidiary of the Standard Oil company, controls 97 per	Custer National, Broken Bow 1,000.00 Security State, Broken Bow 1,000.00	
No. All	Troubles with Standard—Hear- ing of Missouri Ouster	cent. of the lubricating oil business with the railroads of the United States	Central City Nations1 1.000:00 First National. Chadron 1.000:00 State Bank, Cornlea 2.000.00	Religious, Social, Agricultural, Polit-
	Suit Set.	and that the prices for its products	State bank, Curtis 1,000.00	ical and Other Matters Given Due Consideration
in to	New York An omnibus contract,	are not uniform with all railroads was written in the record of Thursday's	First National, Dodge 3.000.00 Elgin State bank	
>	whereby the Standard Oil com- pany obtains from every steamship	héaring of the federal suit against the so-called oil trust.	Bank of Gienville	A York county boy titled a shot at a hog belonging to James Rea. He
	company operating between New York and all ports in Africa a rate for	C. C. Steinbrenger, an accountant for the Galena company, told in detail	Harvard State bank 1.500.00 Farmers & Mech., Havelock 1,000.00	hit the hog, but the shot cost him.
1	the shipment of lubricating oil that is	how contracts were made with rail-	First National, Henderson 2,000.00 First National, Holdrege 2,517.48 Bank of Commerce, Hastings 3,000.00	Frank Reynolds, Jr., living east of
1.257	about one-half what its competitor, the New York Lubricating company,	roads whereby they were guaranteed a maximum cost for the lubrication of	State bank, Jansen 1.000.00' Central National, Kearney 1.000.00	Arlington, has some fine tobacco plants which are pronounced equal in.
	pays, was produced Friday in the hearing of the federal suit against the	the road, based on mileage for en- gines and cars, and when the maxi-	Lexington bank	quality to the finest varieties which grow in Kentucky.
	alleged oil combine.	mum cost was found at the end of cer- tain periods to fall short of the stand-	Nat. Bank of Com., Lincoln 15,020.78- First National, Loomis 1,060.06	The Russians in Jefferson: county
	This contract was placed in evi- dence and Philip Harrison, a manager	ard invoice which all railroads paid	Loup City State bank 2,072.33 Security bank. Meadow G've 1,500.00 Newport State bank 1,500.00	are paying considerable attention to the raising of silk worms. They cul-
	of the New York Lubricating Oil com- pany, declared that his company was	when they received the oil, the Galena company made a refund of the differ-	Norfolk National bank 1.000.00 Nebraska National, Norfolk. 1.000.00	tivate very extensively the Russian mulberry, which is essential to the
	forced to pay double the Standard rate, notwithstanding his protest to	ence. From statements compiled from the	First National. North Bend Antelope C. bank, Oakdale Citizens State, Ogalalla 1,000.0	production of the worm. Peter Theis- son will ship about two hundred dol-
	the steamship companies.	Galena company books, Mr. Kellogg	J. L. Brandeis & Sons, Omaha 2,991.32 Farmers State, Orchard 1,500.00	lars' worth of cocoons to Philadelphia
	Mr. Harrison said that by reason of the freight discrimination the	was able to show that in some cases the amount of the refund was nearly	Bank of Petersburg	Arnold Martin, Pawnee county's fa- mous "20-acre farmer," is to have an
States of	Standard could place its products in Africa at less than the cost price of	50 per cent. of the invoice price. Mr. Steinbrenner testified that the libri-	South Omaha National bank 13,433.58 First State bank St Paul. 1,000,00	exhibit at the corn contest to be held in Chicago the first of next month. It
	the oils of his own company, and that to maintain African trade the New	cating oll furnished to the Pennsylva- nia railway was sold at a loss.	Silver Creek State bank 2,500.00 First National, Spalding 4,000.00 Spalding City bank 2,500.00	was under Mr. Martin's supervision
e-	York Lubricating Oil company was	One of the railroads that the Galena	First National, Scott's Bluff 1,308.93 First National, Superior 1,000.00	that the Paynee county exhibit was collected and managed at the state
15	the cheaper grade of oils which it	company did not supply with oil, Mr. Steinbrenner sald, was the Tidewater	Sutton National bank	fair this fall and which was awarded. third place.
ıg	sold to its customers. The witness declared that he wrote a	railway, owned by Henry H. Rogers, vice president of the Standard Oil	Valentine State bank 1.000.00 Saunders Co. Nat., Wahoo 1.000.00	In the district court of Dodge county Martha Martin was granted a
m g.	letter to the steamship agents demand- ing equitable rates for the company,	company. The witness said the Ga- lena company had tried to obtain the	Farm. & Traders. Wakefield 1.500.00 First National, Wayne 1,000.00 West Point National	decree of divorce from Archibald, who
bd	but no change was made.	contract with the Tidewater railway,	First National, Wisner 1,000.00 First National, Wolbach 1,500.00	is a Northwestern brakeman. Archi- bald pitched her out of the bed room
	W. W. Tarbell, of Philadelphia, treasurer of the Pure Oil company and	but failed. Mr. Kellogg suggested that perhaps Mr. Rogers thought he could	First Nat. Weeping Water. 1.000.00 Wisner State bank 1.000.07 City National York 1.000.09	window at 3 a. m. about a year ago inflicting various bruises and injuries.
	of the United States Pipe Line com- pany, related the difficulties his com-	get better oil elsewhere.	First National, York 1,000.00'	She gets the custody of their 3-year-
	panies had encountered in competition with the Standard. Mr. Tarbell stated	TAFT RECEIVED BY MIKADO.	TotaF\$154,570,44s	old child and \$10 per month for her support.
	that the business of the Pure Oil com-	Private Audience Followed by Lunch-	CREAM RATES IN NEBRASKA.	These recent sales give an idea of the present value of Valley county
	pany was placed in district's selected with a view to avoiding business rela-	eon with Japan's Ruler.	Injuction Will Have to Be Amended Before November 1st.	land: Thomas J. McClatchy to Ja- cob J. Beehrle, 100 acres in section
	tions with certain railroads whose rate discriminations, he said, were	Tokio.—William H. Taft, American secretary of war, officially bade fare-	Lincoln — The federal injunction	18, Ord township, \$3,900. George W. Rogers to John H. Fellows, ne <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> sec-
	more feared by the company than the opposition of the Standard in open	well to Japan at 6:15 Wednesday even- ing and left the brilliantly decorated	granted to the creamery companies in Chicago by Judge Kohlsaat will:	tion 24, Vinton township, \$9,600. El-
-	competition.	Shimbashi railroad station for Kobe amid the firing of an artillery salute	have to be amended before November	mer E. Dowhower to John Clochon, 33-4 acres in northeast corner nw <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
1	Mr. Tarbell is a brother of Miss Ida Tarbell, who has written much about	and a great display of fireworks.	1 or the new cream rates of the Ne- braska railway commission cannot go	section 36, Elyria township, \$375. At Farnam fire was discovered in
	the Standard Oil company and John D. Rockefeller.	At noon Mr. and Mrs. Taft, accom- panied only by Brig. Gen. Edwards,	into effect, as some of the points cov- ered by the federal injunction are in-	the building which was occupied by
	Jefferson City, MoIt was an- nounced late Friday that the Stand-	chief of the bureau of insular affairs, and Frederick W. Carpenter, Mr.	cluded in the Nebraska schedule.	J. O. Martin as a residence and store. At the time of its discovery
	ard Oil company ouster suit has been	Taft's private secretary, drove in an	The attorneys of the Wells- Fargo Express company have notified the	the fire was beyond control and the entire block south of Martin's was 'de-
or	set for hearing before the supreme court en blanc October 23. The case	imperial carriage, escorted by a troop of cavalry, to the emperor's palace.	commissioners of the complication that is about to arise and have asked tor	stroyed. Martin lost everythisg, stock
to	is to be argued on the report of the special commission which is alleged to	with all the ceremony surrounding a royal reception.	advice. They do not want to obey the	of merchandise and household goods, with some insurance. A carload of
o d	have found an illegal combination of the Standard Oil company, the Wa-	Entering the audience room, ac- companied by Gen. Edwards, Mr. Taft	Nebraska commission if they are to- get into trouble for disobeying a fed-	flour just received was also burned, with no insurance.
t-	ters-Pierce company, and the excep-	was greeted pleasantly by his majesty;	eral injunction. The question involved in this case	Edwin Longnecker, an admiral now or recently in the United States navy,
n-	tion filed by the companies to the re-	who invited the secretary to accom-		is made defendant in a suit which

"LITTLE BLACK BOOK" P. DEE.

ence room. Minneapolis Lumbermon Accused of Scheme to Badger Firms.

they conferred, in private, with the stantly taking place between the will be tried at the next term of the district court at Lincoln. His brother, aid of an interpreter, for ten minutes, state and federal jurisdictions. The Gustavus A. Longnecker, is the plainafter which they returned to the audi- federal judge granted a "blanket in-

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junction" covering a number of states, | tiff, and seeks satisfaction of a claim While the private audience was in prohibiting any change in rate. The for \$17,300. The action grows out of progress Mrs. Taft was received by state commission sets about to fix in- an alleged contract between the broththe empress. Both their majesties tra-state rates and now runs squarely ers by which Gustavus Longnecker was to prospect for iron ore. The Garret post, Grand Army of the Republic, 105, Arapahoe, celebrated a flag raising and gave a dinner to the veterans from Holbrook Edison and adjoining towns to the number of 300. There was an address by Rev. Mr. Ebhart and an interesting program of entertainment. Inquiry as to the age of the veterans at time of enlistment developed that they were nearly all minors or under 21. Consul General Church Howe, who expected to spend his sixty days' vacation at his home in Auburn, received a message from Washington requesting him to meet a delegation of English manufacturers, who will arrive in Washington on October 4, and ac.ompany them to the International Cotton Growers' and Manufacturers' convention at Atlanta, Ga., October 6 to-9, as a representative of the Department of State. Registration at the state normal at Peru began last week Tuesday. The faculty is all in attendance and is the same as last year, except that Prof. J. H. Aller, formerly of Franklin academy, has charge of the music department and Miss Lucas of Boston has been elected to the department of expression. Prof. E. L. Rouse of Plattsmouth, Miss Lalley of Lincoln and Miss Louise Means are added to the teaching force of the training department. Accurate statistics would probably show that the breaking up of the larger Nebraska farms into smaller farms is a steady tendency. This item, from a Benedict correspondent of a York paper is an instance: Geo. W. Post sold his fine farm of 560 acres on Monday for \$49,200. Henry Fusby taking one quarter, a Hamilton county man the old Myrick homestead and three of Edward Blender's boys bought 80 acres each. This is quite a surprise to the people of Benedict. as the farm is one of the best in the county, and one of the best stocked farms. J. F. Jackson, of Fremont, received a dispatch from Hallam, Neb., stating that his son Harry had been accidentally killed at that town. He had been working for the railroad there and his death is supposed to have been caused by some railroad accident.

States army, was blown to atoms at San Antonio, Tex., while handling a bottle of nitro-glycerine.

Ambassador Tower has written President Rocsevelt asking that he be permitted to retire from the diplomatic service next spring.

The captain of the steamer Fred Hartweg imperiled the lives of President Roosevelt and his party on the steamer Mississippi by reckless navigation and on order of the president his license was suspended for 90 days.

The immense cotton shipping business of New Orleans was tied up by the strike of 8,000 members of the Dock and Cotton Handlers' union.

Herbert R. Morton of Australia, a millionaire, slipped on the steps of the Vancouver opera house and fractured his skull.

John E. Daley, United States surveyor general, slipped on the stairs in the Selling-Hirsch building in Portland, Ore., and broke his neck.

Clarence S. Darrow, the spectacular genius of the Chicago bar and of Chicago politics, lies seriously ill in a hospital at Boise City. He went through an operation for tumor on the brain.

-A tremendous forest fire in Sonoma county Cal., burned over thousands of acres and did vast damage to prop erty.

Three American Mormons have been expelled from Germany as the result of persisting, despite final warnings prohibiting them from spreading their propaganda, in conducting river baptisms and making converts.

The Union Pacific in federal court at Omaha, Neb., pleaded guilty and confessed judgment to the indictment of violations of the safety appliance laws.

Prince Peter A. Kropotkin, the socialist leader, has been arrested at Luga, Russia, on the charge of participating with a band of revolutionists in the robbery of the country house of the metropolitan Antonius. Illinois sheriffs met at Springfield to form a state association.

Mrs. Russell Sage gave \$20,000 to the St. Paul Young Woman's Christian association toward its new building.

The next congress of the National Drainage association was called for November 25-27 at Johns Hopkins university, Baltimore.

Announcement was made of the organization at Halifax, N. S., of the Aerial Experimenting association, with a membership including Prof. Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor, and Capt. F. W. Baldwin of Toronto, aeronaut. The association will carry on Prof. Ball's aerial experiments.

Seven indictments were found by the special judge in the Cuban conspiracy cases and the men indicted were held in default of \$10,000 bail each

A young woman was beaten to death in a New York rooming house, her murderer escaping.

Attorneys general in convention at St. Louis formed a permanent or-genization, adopted a memorial to congress asking a law to curb the ederal courts and put in the hands of a committee the drafting of a scheme for anti-trust litigation.

the manner in which the name of my spector of Hulls Williams for the lodead friend, Frank Steunenberg, has cal port Friday afternoon received a been brought into the case. I am glad | telegram signed by President Rooseto say I was his friend-the friend of velt directing that the license for the a man who gave up his life for his steamer Fred Hartweg, carrying the state and his country. Political cap- Pittsburg delegation in the present tal has been or tried to be made out river trip, be immediately suspended. of my indictment, but I am glad to The telegram follows: say some of my staunchest friends during this trial have come from the U. S. S. Mississippi.-Supervisor In-

was the friend of Frank Steunenberg." tal continued until late in the night with street parades, band concerts, fireworks and general celebration.

he continued, "especially because of

TRAMP DID NOT BURN BOY.

## Story Told by Mrs. Hathaway of Oquawka is Proved False.

Burlington, Ia .- It is now believed that the story told by Mrs. John Hathaway Wednesday that a tramp tied her son to a fence post and burned him to death because she had refused

to give the tramp food is untrue. The Hathaways liver near Oquawka, Ill., and the woman's story had produced

hood. The coroner's investigation developed that Mrs. Hathaway had left her may be traveling to and from the children alone while she went to a United States and England. The comneighbor's, and it is thought that dur- pany is now planning specially deing her absence the boy set fire to his signed halls for plays and concerts on clothing while playing with matches. board three of the ships of the line. The officials at Oquawka believe that Other transatlantic line /companies Mrs. Hathaway invented the tramp | are considering Mr. Frohman's propstory in order to placate her husband. osition. The coroner's jury returned a verdict

of accidental death.

Daughters of America Adjourn. Cleveland, O .- The annual convention of the Daughters America closed Wednesday with the election of officers and the adoption of a resolution protesting against the indiscriminate immigration of paupers and criminals. Next year's convention will be held at Chattanooga, Tenn.

"Hold-Up" Play Is Fatal.

Oxford, Pa .- Edward Kauffman, aged nine years, was shot and instantly killed at Nottingham, near here, Friday by his brother, Harry. The older boy recently won a revolver at the county fair. Armed with the weapon

he went to meet his brother and pretending to be a highwayman, he held the little fellow up at the point of the pistol. The weapon was discharged and the bullet penetrated young Kauffman's brain. The brother was exonerated from blame at the inquest.

Thaw Alienists' Bill 1s \$23,000. New York, Oct. 3 .- Ten of District Attorney Jerome's alienists in the trial of Harry K. Thaw, it is announced, have rendered bills for their services. The total of these bills is slightly in excess of \$23,000. place.

Police Arrest Entire Society. Warsaw,-The police W took into custody almost all the mem-bers, together with 69 chiefs of different local branches, of the society

Evansville, Ind.+United States In-

"Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 4 .- On Board other side. The only reason I was spector of Vessels, Evansville, Ind .indicted appears to have been that 1 I direct that the license of the master or whoever is responsible for the The demonstration over the acquit- Fred Hartweg' during the present vovage be suspended at once for 90 days. I wish this done by telegraph, wherever the boat may be, if such procedure is possible. Col. Sears can give you the details of the .misconduct, which has been of serious nature and might have at any time caused an ac-

> cident to this boat as well as to other boats .- Theodore Roosevelt." The steamer Fred Hartweg's hom port is Cairo and it is inspected at Evansville.

Theaters on Ocean Liners. Liverpool .- It was announced Wednesday that the Cunard Steamship

company had accepted the offer of intense excitement in that neighbor- Charles Frohman to give theatrical performances on the big liners by regular players, who, for the time being,

Wild Trip for Ballonist. Coshocton, O .- Caught in a gale of

wind. Frank Fuhr, a Coshocton aeronaut, was driven a distance of 40 miles, 5,000 feet above the earth and landed safely ten miles north of this city at seven o'clock Thursday night. Fuhr had been showing the Coshocton airship at the Licking county fair and at 4:30 in the afternoon ascended for an exhibition flight.

### Student Falls Heir to \$20,000.

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Meyer Thursday apnounced the appointment of John M. Darrah, formerly connected with the American consulate in Shanghai, China, to be United States postal agent at that

More "Dry" Land in Kenfucky.

Owensboro, Ky.-Another county tion. In McLean county temperance people were victorious Thursday by a majority of 1,055 votes.

Minneapolls, Minn.-Several Minneolis and Chicago firms engaged in de mail-order busine: s of sash, docand blinds expect to fasten on Minneapolis lumbermen the blame of publishing and distributing the "Little Black Book." They hope to show the connection of these men with the Lumbermen's association. The investigation was begun before the federal

grand jury in Minneapolis Tuesd: y. These firms contend that the distri bution of the "Little Black Book" was part of the scheme in a conspiracy to defraud by the use of the mails. The fraud, they say, consisted in the instructions in the book, that the recipient carry on a correspondence with certain listed firms, causing annovance and cost, but transacting no ousiness with them. Fifty witnesses from Minnesota, North and South Datota and lowa have been subpoenaed

to appear before the grand jury. UNITE TO FIGHT LOW FARES.

#### Railroads of Northwest Begin Action for Permanent Injunction.

Sioux Falls, S. D.-All leading railoads having lines in South Dakota Thursday afternoon commenced a united action in the United States court, this city, for a permanent injunction preventing the state board of railroad commissioners from put- He said Senator Platt was never marting into effect October 15 an order reducing passenger rates in the state from three to two and one-half cents a mile. The commission was temporarily restrained from putting the

new rate into effect pending a hearing from Judge Carland October 29 on the application for a permanent in- Sam Brook, a negro, made a startling junction.

#### Young Women Quit Germany.

Hamburg .- Several hundreds oung German women left Hamburg Thursday on board the steamer Fledmarschal, bound for German Southwest Africa, where they will take positions with the families of the German settlers and government officials.

# Whole County in Meat Strike.

Augusta, Me .- Nearly 1,200 of the cople of Kennebec county are in open revolt against the high prices demanded for meat and have pledged themselves to abstain from all meat for ten days.

Army Lieutenant Blown to Pieces. San Antonio, Tex.-Owen V. Anderon, recently appointed to a lieuten ancy in the United States army, was blown to atoms Friday while handling a bottle of nitro-glycerine. The house was wrecked.

LL. D., executive head of the board of home missions and church extension of the Methodist Episcona church, and known throughout the world of Methodism, died Thursday,

## Firm Fails for \$245,387.

Pittsburg, Pa.-H. J. McCracken & ommission firm in Pittsburg, has filed voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States court. The liabili-ties are placed at \$245,387.47.

showed great cordiality in their reception of the American visitors.

After the audience Mr. and Mrs Taft called on the crown prince, Yoshihito Harunomiya, and upon Prince Fushimi, the emperor's cousin, and then returned to the palace. On their arrival there they were ushered into the banquet room, where a luncheon was served, and emperor and empress sitting on one side of the table with Mr. and Mrs. Taft opposite them.

# SUES PLATT FOR DIVORCE. Miss Catherine Wood Takes New Tack

in Her Litigation.

New York .- Mae Catherine Wood, the former government clerk who has been suing United States Senator Thomas C. Platt for several years, Monday brought action in the supreme court for absolute divorce from the senator, alleging that she had been married to him in the Fifth Avenue hotel, New York, in 1901.

J. D. Lee, representing the plaintiff, announced the action as "Platt against Platt," and he said the motion was for the purpose of framing an issue. He said he wanted the details to become

generally known. John B. Stanchfield, who appeared for Senator Platt, asked that the matter be heard in private by a referee. ried to Miss Wood, and therefore there was no ground for divorce. Justice Seabury reserved decision.

## Has Killed Fourteen Men.

Chattanooga, Tenn. - D. D. Edvards, on trial for the murder of statement under cross-examination Thursday. He was asked by the at torney general if he had killed any one previous to the killing of Brooks "I have shot and probably killed 14 men in my time," said Edwards.

He said that a majority of the kill ings occurred in the Kentucky moun tains and during the labor strike in Chicago.

Yacht Cruise Around World. New York .- Fifteen friends of Robert M. Thompson, financier, retired naval officer and lawyer, are to be his guests on one of the most remarkable yacht cruises on record. The yacht upon which they will voyage around the world is the \$,000 ton steamer Mineola. The journey will occupy nine months and the estimated expense of the entertainment is half a million dollars. Among those invited by Col. Thompson to be his guests are Lord Brassy and Admiral Sir Charles

## Abd-El-Aziz Counts His Army.

Rabat, Morocco-Sultan Abd-El-Aziz Wednesday held a "sarthe" or review of his army for the purpose of ascertaining the number of desertions. Seated in an arm chair with the grand vizier standing beside him, his majesty counted aloud the soldiers and asts of burden as they trooped by. while the scribes entered the numbers. In this way it was discovered that 500 men, mostly foot soldiers, who receive less pay than the horses en, had deserted with their rifles and cart-

up against a federal injunction.

Kearney Hog Man Wins Prize.

Kearney-L. W. Hamilton, the Po land-China hog breeder, returned from the Internationad Live Stock show held at St. Joseph, where he won first on junior yearling boar and grand champion on his hog, Nebraska Special. He naturally feels elated over his success, considering the fact that this is a very fine stock hog, in which he had to compete against hogs from Michigan, Iowa, Missouri, Kentucky and Kansas in his class.

## Texas Fever in Kansas.

McCook-Inspector W. F. Jones of this city, of the United States bureau of animal industry ran onto a case of genuine Texas fever in a herd of cattle in Cheyenne county, Kansas, notwithstanding this point is 400 miles north of the guarantine line. Thirty two head have already died and the owner of the herd stands to lose many more, as the disease is fatal. The discase at present is confined to one

herd.

Came on Andy's Ship.

Hastings-Samuel Nichols, aged 78, one of the men who received an annuity of .500 from Andrew Carnegie. died at his home in Wanda township. The annual allowment was made to men who came to this country from Scotland on the same ship with Carnegie, and Nichols had received the annuity for five years.

# Test of New Pure Food Law.

Lincoln-State Food Commissioner Johnson, through the county attorney at Lincoln, began a test of the pure food law of Nebraska. Complaint was filed against a firm at the town of Raymond, charging the merchants with selling packages of butter without putting the specific weight on the package.

#### Roads Go to Highest Court.

Lincoln-Judge W. D. McHugh notified Attorney General Thompson that the railroads would present a motion in federal court asking for a modification of the order prohibiting the roads from enjoining the promulgation of grain rates. Purpose of the modification is to permit an appeal to the United Statest supreme court. This will take the Nebraska railroad commission's rights into the highest court, if permission is granted. Judge Mc-Hugh represents the Burlington, and was spokesman for all the railroads.

## Bill for Maps of State.

The voucher for the 20,000 maps is ued under the direction of the State Railway commission has been filed. The cost of the mays was \$1,257. This is the first map of the kind issued in Nebraska since the days of the old Board of Transportation.

Admiral Longnecker Sued. Lincoln-Edwin Longnecker, an ad niral now or recently in the United States navy, is made defendant in a suit which will be tried at the next fatally. The responsibility for the oot term of the district court at Lincoln,

Superintendent Falmer of Beatrice received from the state superintendent of schools his official recognition of the Beatrice High school as a normal training high school. This recognition carries with it an apportionment of \$350 for the year, which will be ; aid by the state to that district.

Special Agent James Malone from Lincoln for the Burlington road passed through Plattsmouth to Glenwood, Ia., with four prisoners, who he asserts, have been robbing freight cars on train No. 77 between Pacific Junction and Louisville for six months.

A wreck occurred on the Albion branch of the Chicago & Northwestern road between Petersburg and Loretto. Two freights came together head on. Several of the train crew were more o less injured, but it is believed none lision has not been fixed.

Beresford. Rev. James M. King Dies. Philadelphia .- Rev. James M. King

