CONGRESS AT FINISH

ALL BIG BILLS ARE RUSHED THROUGH BOTH HOUSES.

Closing Hours Are Stormy-Rate Bill Will Go Into Effect Immediately-Meat Inspection Bill Passed-Final Adjournment.

The congressional situation at Washington was such that congress adjourned early Saturday. All of the appropriation bills were passed and are ready for the signature of the president. Only the omnibus public building bill was in disagreement and an adjustment of differences was expected, The final adjournment was taken early Saturday afternoon.

"We're going home, we're going home temorrow," was in the minds of the members of the house Friday when they assembled for the last real hard day's work previous to adjournment.

Conference reports were considered throughout the day. The final report on the agricultural bill containing the meat inspection provision was adopted, the senate eventually agreeing that the government should pay the cost of inspection.

Other matters of vital moment were the agreement to the conference report on the pure food bill, the Ohio River and Lake Erie ship canal and the naturalization bill.

The house at 12:20 o'clock a. m. took a recess until 10:55 o'clock a, m. The senate devoted most of its time Friday to consideration of conference reports, including the reports on the railroad rate bill, the pure food bill and the meat inspection provision of the agricultural bill. All were adopted during the day session.

The principal controversy was over the rate bill when Senators Bailey and Tillman had a heated colloquy, the more notable because of the warm friendship existing between the two senators. The controversy was on the subject of railroad lawyers, and Senator Bailey expressed strong disapproval of the South Carolina senator's views on that subject. There was also much discussion of the meat inspection provision. A number of senators expressed themselves as willing only to accept the house provisions because it was attached to an appropriation bill and a deadlock would cause the failure of the supply bill.

THAW'S PLEA "NOT GUILTY."

Slayer of White Arraigned on Murder Charge.

Harry K. Thaw entered a formal plea of not guilty when arraigned on the charge of murder in the court of general sessions at New York Friday. The plea was entered with the reservation that it may be withdrawn Tuesday next.

The announcement that the defense will make "emotional insanity" the basis for its fight for the release of Harry K. Thaw, in jail, indicted for the murder of Stanford White, set at rest speculation on this point Friday.

Justifiable homicide and a straight plea of insanity had been suggested as a line of defense, but Thaw himself made the insanity move impossible by his refusal to consider it and declining to allow the alienists to question him.

LEFT HANGING OVER FIRE.

Four Firemen Face Death for Half an Hour.

Four firemen who were hoistedinan electric crane, twenty feet above five enormous furnaces at the American Foundry Company's plant at East St. Louis, Ill., to fight a fire in the roof, were left stranded half an hour be-

came frightened and left their post. At last, Mike Sullivan, in desperation, jumped to the ground between the seething furnaces, threw a rope to his comrades and they descended, blistered from the terrible heat.

cause the men operating the crane be-

Servian Elections.

The election for members of the national assembly at Belgrade have resulted in the choice of 84 moderate radicals, 49 extreme radicals, 14 nationalists, 3 progressivists and 1 socialist. All the ministers have been selected.

Forest Fires in Mexico.

Telegrams from Nuevo Casa Grandes, Chihuahua, Mex., around which are located the Mormon colonies, state that destructive forest fires are raging there and that the timber has been damaged considerably.

Sloux City Live Stock Market. Friday's quotations on the Sioux City live stock market follow: Top beeves, \$5.65. Top hogs, \$6.50.

Extreme Heat in Washington.

Friday was the hottest of the summer at Washington, D. C. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the thermometer at the weather bureau registered 92 degrees, where the mercury remained for over two hours.

Rate Bill Passed.

At 3 p. m. Friday the senate at Washington agreed to the conference report on the railroad rate bill, which passes the measure. It will go into effect in sixty days.

MRS. THAW IN COURT.

Tragedy.

Harry Kendall Thaw was indicted attorney's office.

testimony of several eye witnesses and cuing their little ones from what they

at one stage of the conversation. to permit the court attendants and ofdict Thaw was recommitted to the a neighboring school. Tombs without bail,

oity prison to see her husband. They the day. talked together for a long while. When Mrs. Thaw attempted to leave she found her way blocked by the largest crowd, the police say, that has ever gathered about the structure. She was virtually held a prisoner by the inquisitive throng for thirty minutes, when the police reserves managed to clear a way for her.

Stanford White was buried Thursday with simple ceremonies at St. James, L. I., where he had a summer

FOR STATE DISTILLERY.

Manufacture Denatured Alcohol. A Topeka, Kan., special says: Gov. Hoch is in favor of the establishment of a state denatured alcohol distillery in Kansas, "Such a distillery," said the governor Wednesday night," "would furnish means for employing a large number of convicts and the courts could not declare the law invalid on the grounds set up against the state oil refinery measure. This law would have the same effect that was expected of the oil refinery measure, in that it would reduce the price of light and fuel to consumers."

In its fight against the Standard Oil Company the last Kansas legislature passed a bill providing for the establishment of a state oil refinery to be operated by convicts. The courts declared the measure unconstitutional.

MUST GO TO PRISON.

France Will Not Remit Sentence Against Eliiot F. Shepard.

Paris advices state that the ministry has rendered a decision on the application of Elliot F. Shepard, of New York, grandson of the late W. H. Vanderbilt, to remit the term of three months'imprisonment imposed on him Oct. 26 last, with a fine of \$120 and \$4,000 for running over and killing a girl while driving an automobile

The decision says it is possible to recommend that President Fallieres remit the entire three months, but the ministry will advise a reduction of the sentence to six weeks. No date has been set for beginning the impris-

PROTEST IN GERMANY.

Complaint Against Alleged Tariff Discrimination in America.

ber of complaints Wednesday on the They were accompanied by loud runsubject of the treatment German blings. goods have been subjected to by the United States since March 1, when Germany agreed to extend the most favored nation clause of her tariff to American goods in return for alleviations in the American customs administration.

The paper says the United States guaranteed Germany milder duties and that instead of this the United States is valuing German goods higher than ever.

On Trial for Manslaughter. Dr. George Robert Adcock was arraigned at the old Bailey at London Thursday charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Maj. John Nicholas Whyte, of the Lancashire fusiliers. He pleaded not guilty.

Wind Wrecks Train.

A high wind, early Thursday, blew over train of eleven cars at Wier, a small station east of Cheyenne, Wyo. The cars were used as quarters for Japanese laborers. Twenty laborers were injured.

Germany Makes Denial,

The Berlin foreign office denies the reports that Germany and Austria are OmahaJuly 7, 8, 9, 10 strengthening their military forces on the Russian frontier in view of the issian disorders.

Very Hot in Chicago.

At Chicago Thursday was the hottest day of the year, the mercury reaching 91 in the weather office at 2 o'clock. Two deaths attributable to the heat and several prostrations were report-

Kansas City Repeaters Plead Guilty. John Felley and John House pleaded guilty at Kansas City, Mo., Wednesday to voting illegally at the recent city election, and each was sentenced fatally gored by a vicious bull Wedto two years in the penitentiary.

IN RIOT TO SAVE CHILDREN.

Answers No Questions Relating to Remarkable Outbreak by New York

A wild rumor that children's throats at New York Thursday for murder were being cut in the public schools in the first degree for the killing of resulted in such excitement and panic Stanford White on the Madison throughout the lower east side of New Square roof garden. His wife, Eve- York City Wednesday that fifteen lyn Nesbit Thaw, appeared as a wit- schools, with 25,000 pupils, were closness before the grand jury, but was ed for the day. The trouble was caused excused from giving testimony by As- by operations performed on several sistant District Attorney Garvan and children the day before for the removby the jurors, who did not insist that al of adenoids, a fungus growth in the she should answer questions. Thaw back of the throat and nasal cavity. will plead to the indictment later. No The operation is not a dangerous one, time will be set for the trial until but the reports spread rapidly, and es-District Attorney Jerome returns to cially among the Hebrews, and became the city. In the meantime witnesses changed into rumors that Jewish mashave been summoned to appear in the sacres were to be repeated in this John Doe proceedings at the district country and a start was being made on Hebrew children in the schools.

The grand jury's consideration of It was not long until many of the the case followed an inquest before schools were surrounded by crowds of the coroner's jury, which heard the frantic-stricken parents bent on resrendered a formal verdict that believed to be impending death. These White's death had been caused by crowds became so threatening that hurried calls for protection were sent The latter calmly listened to the to the nearest police stations and all testimony and while the jury was out the patrolmen available were sent out he chatted with his counsel and a po- to restore order. In one instance a liceman sitting near, laughing aloud police court was closed for an hour When the jury had completed its ver- ficials to aid the police in protecting

All attempts at continuing the ses-Mrs. Thaw, following her appear- sions for the day were seen to be useance before the grand jury, crossed less and one after another the princithe bridge of sighs and entered the pals decided to dismiss their pupils for

MAY DEMOLISH SALOONS.

Kansas Governor Continues War in Kansas City, Kan.

The anti-saloon crusade was renewed at Kansas City, Kan., Thursday with increased vigor. In addition to destroying stocks of liquor and bar fixtures, C. W. Trickett, assistant attorney general, appointed by Gov. Hoch to enforce the prohibition law, Thursday threatened to demolish the saloon buildings if the owners persist in renting their places to joint keepers. Many of these buildings are own-Gov. Hoch Would Have the Convicts ed by brewing companies. Trickett has begun sending out warnings to no arrests were made. property owners.

There are about 100 saloons in Kansas City, fifty of which have been closed. The liquors and fixtures in fifteen have been seized by county officials. A portion of this property has been destroyed.

The places raided have been running in violation of the Kansas prohibition law.

POLICYHOLDERS UNITE.

League Formed at San Francisco to Enforce Fair Treatment A powerful organization known as

the Policyholders' Protective League has been formed by the business men of San Francisco to enforce fair treatment from all insurance companies. Bankers, manufacturers, merchants

and shippers were present at a meeting Wednesday representing fire losses amounting to more than \$100,000,000. A committee was appointed from the membership of the commercial organization of the city, two from each, with one member at large, which will prepare and direct a plan of cam-

AN EARTHQUAKE IN WALES.

paign for the organization.

Severe Shocks Were Experienced-People Greatly Alarmed.

Violent earthquake shocks were experienced throughout south Wales Wednesday morning. Houses were rocked and many of the cheaper ones were damaged. The occupants of dwellings were thrown to the ground. and people fled from the houses shrieking in panic. There were no casualties.

Earthquake shocks were also felt The Cologne Gazette printed a num- at Bristol, Ilfracombe and elsewhere.

Railroad Contractor Slain.

Clifford Smith, a contractor on the St. Paul railroad, was shot and instantly killed . Wednesday near Kenosha, Wis., by a man named Bradley, an employe of the company. The trouble is said to have arisen over a story which Bradley alleged Smith had told regarding him. Bradley escaped.

Capt, Wynne Can Resign.

Capt. R. F. Wynne, of the marine corps, at Washington, D. C., was officially advised of the president's approval of the action of the court martial which sentenced him to dismissal from the service. Capt, Wynne was advised by the navy department that he will be permitted to resign if he cares to do so.

WESTERN LEAGUE BASEBALL

Schedule of Games to Be Played at Sioux City, Ia.

Following is a schedule of Western League games to be played at Sioux City in the immediate future:

DenverJune 30, July 1, 2 Des Moines July 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 LincolnJuly 19, 20, 21, 22 Pueblo July 26, 27, 28, 29

Postoffice Robbers Fired On.

Three masked men Wednesday robbed the postoffice at Osceola, Ind., of stamps, cash and much booty, which was hauled away in a carriage. Six residents fired at the robbers, wounding one of them.

Aged Woman Gored by Bull. Mrs. William Springborn, an aged resident of Normal, Ill., was probably

STATE OF NEBRASKA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN A CON-DENSED FORM.

Religious Sect Has Trouble-Showered with Eggs and Ropes of Tent Cut-Pray that Grand Island May Be Destroyed.

to the limits of physical exhaustion, when he walked into the restaurant has been creating considerable dis- and saloon of C. W. Gray and bought turbance at Grand Island, and some- a cigar. He refused to drink when cles and finally a cutting of the guy 10 cents' worth of powdered strychhas its meetings, letting down the can- gophers with it. He gave the drug vas on the top of the worshipers. And clerk the name of John Reed and now the band is said to be raising its said he lived near Homer on the Insupplication for a storm that may dian reservation. He said he knew come down ond wipe Grand Island off several people at Dakota City, and

services it is stated that they do not his dead body a few hours later. proceed far when some of the exhorters appear to be in trances. The shouting and singing, the throwing themselves upon the platform and the Eminent Jurist. Churchman and Pio weird gesticulations have become obnoxious to the neighborhood, and this

horter, "I've swallowed Jesus!" form to induce her not to participate fore his death. so actively, when an egg struck the side of his face and exploded. The noon. fusillade was then on, some of the religious extremists being decidedly spattered. Finally some of the young element cut the guy ropes, the canvas | Large Part of the Reserve Funds Refell and the services were over. The police department was called out, but

WIFE GETS DIVORCE.

Against Rev. J. L. Kell.

in favor of the plaintiff, awarding her serve funds. The decision will resustained the plaintiff's charges of tory for all Nebraska life companies. cruelty and failure to support and that defendant had utterly failed to show that she was not a suitable woman to have the custody of their three | Notorious Omaha Man Will Lecture small children. He gave notice of

appeal to the supreme court. The defendant has had no parish good standing in the United Brethren

CHILD'S LIFE SAVED BY DOG.

Little One Had Fallen Asleep on the Railroad Track.

Rushing towards an approaching freight train and barking furiously a dog saved the life of the 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Foster, of My-

The child wandered on the Missouri Pacific tracks and fell asleep while trying to fill a can with pebbles. The dog ran towards the train when he heard the sound of its approach, and his queer actions caused the engineer to slow up as he rounded a curve, when he saw the child on the track and stopped. The child was still asleep when the train crew approach-

Matthews Loses His Case.

The state board of health at Lincoln affirmed the decision of the board of secretaries to revoke the license to practice medicine held by Dr. Matthews, of Omaha. The board allowed Dr. Matthews until Monday to introduce any new evidence he may have. Dr. Matthews is accused of performing a criminal operation upon Miss Edith Short, a former nurse.

Dismantling Fort Niobrara.

The work of dismantling the military post at Fort Niobrara, near Valentine, began in dead earnest Thursday, preparatory to deserting the fort on July 7. After that the abandoned army post, which stood in the early days as the citadel that protected whites from warring Sioux, will drop into desuetude, excepting for summer 'arget practice.

Fire at Tekamah.

Fire broke out in the millinery store of Mrs. E. E. Seeters at Tekamah. completely destroying the building and its contents. The fire department responded quickly and di excellent work in order to save the adjoining frame buildings and the brick building occupied by the Burt County State Bank.

Lightning Strikes Soldiers' Home. During the heavy rain and electrical an ornament in the tower of the chapel at the soldiers' home at Grand Island and set the building to burning. The flames were quickly extinguished by a force of men about the institu- pahoe, and then too late to save the ion.

Jimmie Ogorman, the lad who mysteriously disappeared nine weeks .go from Norfolk, and whose father nearly became a victim of mob attack, was found working for a neighbor.

Runaway Boy Found.

Gets Philippine Appointment. J. G. Lang, who served during the Spanish-American war in the Philippine islands with the First Neoraska regiment, has received notice of his appointment in the department service of the Philippine islands.

Injured Man Recovering.

Ralph Coolidge, who was so badly injured by the cars that his legs were taken off below the knees several days ago at Columbus, is getting along nicemakes the best of everything.

YOUNG MAN ENDS HIS LIFE.

Takes Dose of Polsen in a Dakota City

Hotel. Leslie Holman, of Decatur, about 24 years old, poured forty grains of powdered strychnine into a quart bottle of beer Tuesday morning and drained the contents in his room at the Great

Northern Hotel at Dakota City. At 11 o'clock Emmett Hileman, proprietor of the hotel, heard groans from the second story room which Holman occupied, and, upon breaking in the door, found him lying on the bed in the last stages of a violent

death struggle. A strange band of religious enthu- Holman was first seen in Dakota siasts, carrying their devotions almost City at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning. thing of a climax was reached be- someone offered to "set them up," and tween the exhorters and the youth of left the saloon after playing the slot the vicinity Sunday night when there machine for a few minutes. He then was a shower of eggs and other arti- went to a drug store and purchased ropes of the tents in which the band nine, saying that he wished to poison had been thereabout a year ago. Those By those who have observed the whom he named failed to recognize

JUDGE WOOLWORTH DEAD.

neer Rounds Out Long Life. James Mills Woolworth, one of the appears to have been seized upon by a builders of Omaha, one of the counyounger and more irresponsible ele- try's big lawyers and a pillar in the ment, which has been taking the Protestant Episcopal church of the method referred to to indicate the lack | United States, died at 4 o'clock Saturof welcome there exists in the vicinity. day morning at his home in Omaha, Upon one occasion a woman exhorter, while in a state of diabetic coma. He for instance, is said to have gone so was unconscious for twenty-four hours far as hysterically to cry: "I've swal- before death. For two years his health lowed him. I've swallowed him!" was uncertain. Six months ago he "Swallowed whom?" asks another ex- made a trip to Florida and visited friends, returning to Omaha invigor- trial school, and Friday morning she A citizen of the city whose wife be- ated. Two months ago he took a came imbued with the spirit of the ex- change for the worse, but managed to horters was just going up to the plat- attend his office until two weeks be-

The funeral was held Sunday, after-

NEBRASKA FRATERNALS WIN.

leased from Taxation.

A Lincoln special says: Fraternal eneticiary associations conducted for the mutual benefit of members, ac- Later, however, she gave up the ideas cording to a decision of the Nebraska supreme court Thursday, are not char-Court Sustains Charges of Cruelty itable institutions and their property and funds are not exempt from taxa-A Fremont special says: Judge tion. The court permits such com-Hollenbeck decided the divorce case panies, however, to set off outstanding of Cora G. Kell against Rev. J. L. Kell insurance policies against their rethe custody of their children. The lease from assessment the \$3,000,000 court reviewed the evidence at some reserve fund of the Woodmen of the length. He held that the evidence World, of Omaha, besides being a vic-

PAT CROWE, REFORMER.

on Subject of Prison Labor.

It was announced that all criminal charges against Pat Crowe, whose trial since his wife left him, but is still in and acquittal in connection with the kidnaping of the son of E. A Cudahy, the millionaire packer, gave him much newspaper notoriety, have been disposed of, and he will make a trip across the continent giving lectures on convict labor, advocating its employment in the construction of a national highway from ocean to ocean. He

will travel in an automobile.

Blaze at Plainview. Fire broke out in the room of Dr. responded quickly and put out the Perkins .. 623,873.33 fire in a few minutes. Dr. Gallagher Richardson 6,225,471.25 6,308,700.13 may lose his eyesight.

Wireless Reaches Boone County. W. B. Watson, of Albion, received a wireless telegram from his son, Fred, who for the past year has been in the government service on the Panama canal. The message was sent from midocean and forwarded from the place of its receipt to Albion over the Western Union lines. This is the first

part of the state.

wireless telegram ever received in that

Italians Struck. One hundred and fifty Italians, who had been employed on construction work on the North River branch of the Union Pacific Railroad at \$1.75 per day, went on a strike Monday. The strikers and their belongings were brought to North Platte in the outfit cars in which they lived and upon their arrival in the west end of the city were ejected from the cars.

Money from Inheritance Tax.

The inheritance tax due for the estate of Edward W. Nash was paid into county court at Omaha Thursday afternoon. The amount of the tax was \$12,919.95 and of interest \$826.58. total of \$13,746.48. This is the secand estate that has been paid so far the first one being that of Frank Murphy, which paid over \$36,000 in taxes and interest.

Carload of Cattle is Burned. A car loaded with cattle, shipped storm Thursday night lightning struck from Cambridge by John Sayers, was discovered on fire in transit beween Holbrook and Arapahoe. All forts to put out the fire were fruitless until the stock extra reached Ara-

> Ends Life at Fremont. Sick and despondent, Bert Stiles shot himself at Fremont Thursday. He was the son of City Clerk Stiles and was a leading organizer in the Maccabees.

cattle as they had suffocated.

Body Found in River.

Coroner Armstrong was called to Bellevue to take charge of a dead body found ficating in the Missour River. The body could not be identified, having the clothing all stripped off and being so long in the water.

Attendants Are Dismissed. Dr. Alden, superintendent of the state insane hospital at Norfolk, had already begun a house-cleaning, having dismissed two attendants, Bigge ly. The young man is cheerful and and Cronk. These two attendants testified as to alleged crueltfes



tween the attorneys representing Gov. Mickey, Dr. Alden and Dr. Nicholson, in the matter of the removal of the two physicians from the position of superintendent and assistant at the Norfolk asylum, the board of publiclands and buildings Thursday afternoon made a report of its investigations to the governor, holding in nearly every particular that the charges made by the governor had not been sustained. The board reported that no deaths had occurred at the asylum as a result of alleged cruelties practiced by the attendants and employes; that on occasions necessary violence had been used by four of the attendants, but that this was not habitual and two of the attendants had left the institution and the other two were now employed outside of the building. The board found also that Dr. Alden had been unable to maintain harmony between himself and first assistant and the steward, who were not his own appointees, but upon the demand of the governor this discord had ceased. Neither of the physicians was guilty of keeping misleading records. The governor, upon being informed of theaction of the board, said: "I shall look over the testimony carefully as well as the findings of the board and then shall take whatever action I deem proper in the premises. Until I read carefully the testimony I will not discuss the board's report."

Mrs. Orlander, of Omaha, wants her boy released from the Kearney indusadopted heroic methods to move the governor to grant him a pardon. Upon having her application to the governor turned down, Mrs. Orlander announced she would remain in the of fice of the executive until she got t release of her son, and she promp took a comfortable chair and bea her wait. At noon the governor to her to the mansion for lunch again in the afternoon she took up her position in the office of the governor to wait for him to change his mind. of sitting him out and left the build-

The quarterly report of the condition of Nebraska's 567 banks has just been compiled by Secretary Royce, of the state banking board, and it showsan increase in deposits over the report of the last quarter of over \$500,000. and an increase in the reserve from 83.6 per cent to 35.8 per cent. Thereport shows also a slight increase inloans and discounts. There are 163,-327 depositors in state banks, an increase of 46 in number of banks90\$. Compared with the report of one year ago the following increases are found: Loans and discounts, \$6,816,570,32; deposits, \$8,722,227.70; and a crease of \$30,784.71 in notes and this rediscounted and bills payable, and am increase of 46 in number of banks re-

Following are the counties which have reported to the state board of equalization, compared with the total assessment of last year:

County. 1905. Cutler\$5,734,694.90 \$5,780,701.07 Clay 4,695,532.90 4,778,829,98 Gallagher, over the State Bank, at Dodge 7,004,858.98 7,198,989.60 Plainview, caused by the explosion of Deuel 992,300.08 1,017,161.11 a gasoline stove. Dr. Gallagher made Furnas ... 2,370,659.44 2,629,245.00 futile attempts to extinguish the Hall 4,814,728.40 4,989,369.60 flames and fell unconscious while try- Johnson .. 3,724,095.24 3,823,185.35 ing to escape. The fire department Nemaha .. 4,629,760.52 4,623,832.00 657,867.50

Rock 687,370.71 691,460.95

Since the Commercial Club of Lincoln wired Mr. Bryan not to make any engagements which would interferewith his welcome to his home city, new complications have set up. Saturday Jacob Wolf and W. B. Hester, who are neighbors of Mr. Bryan and! who live at Normal, sent a wire to this effect: "Make no engagements which will interfere with your real home coming reception at Normal, your real and only home." Insamuch as Mr. Byan lives at Normal and not at Lincoln, the Commercial Club at Lincoln may have to revise its message to the Commoner.

The financial report of the various. state institutions will show it has cost the state during the last six months about \$102 for each inmate of every state institution to pay running expenses. For the same period last year the cost was \$106 per capita. A. detailed report of the financial condition of the various state institutions is now being prepared and will shortly be issued from the governor's office.

Lincoln is going to have a safe and sane Fourth of July and be safe and sane previous to that glorious day if Mayor Brown has his way about it... Friday night a few firecrackers wereset off by some small boys and Saturday the mayor issued strict orders to bring into police court every man, woman and child who shot a firecracker before the big day rolled tround.

Supreme court adjourned without having handed down an opinion in the grain case. Inasmuch as Chief Justice Sedgwick announced from the bench at the last sitting of the court that this case would be decided at the present sitting, considerable disappointment has been expressed by interested parties that the court failed) to deliver the goods.

The business men of Lincoln, so it is reported, are very much exercised over the assessment of Omaha property and they will, it is asserted, gobefore the state board to see that the assessment is increased. The business: ment sent a man to Omaha to look over the assessment, and he reported that Omaha was not near high enough as compared with the Lincolr merchants. Lancaster County will soon have its report filed with thestate board of equalization and a substantial increase is shown