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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1697.

ONE inspiring fact about the republican party is that it never yet took hold of the government finances without improving them by wise regulations and ample revenue.—[Seward Blade.

THOSE who complain that McKinley's election is not bringing prosperity are the kind of people who would plant an apple seed today and expect apple dumplings tomorrow at dinner.—[Lin-coln Call. CONGRESSMAN DEARMOND of Missot

is somewhat specific and picturesque in saying of J. Sterling Morton: "He writes when he is not talking and talks when he is not writing, and does both when he is not thinking." Ir seems that the clerk of the district

court of Douglas county makes from \$30,000 to \$50,000 a year, and of Lancas-ter \$10,000 to \$12,000. There is a bill pending to name specific salaries and otherwise regulate the office. RASH, the Wayne county man who murdered his wife and three children,

has been taken to the penitentiary for safe keeping. Sheriff Reynolds gives it as his opinion that the man is not inmade a violent attack on the sheriff and threatened to kill him. EVERYBODY seems to be waiting now for the new administration to make a

demonstration towards prosperity and progress again. McKinley will doubtless make one of the best presidents the country has seen, and the influence of the new order of things will be felt all over the country, and in every line of

for attempted rape upon the 6-years-old girl, Laura Nagle, at Lincoln. She identified him as her assailant, and since his arrest he has confessed to the heinous crime. It seems, from facts accertained, that he is also guilty of the assault about three months ago upon the daughter of

Last Wednesday in the hall of the house of representatives at Washington the count of the electoral vote was made and duly announced, and briefly is as follows: Whole number 447. For president McKinley received 271, Bryan 176; for vice president, Hobart 271, Sewall 140. Western 27. When the billet committees from Kanhouse a violent and bitter religious dishards and a member of the Bar association.

Steam Navigation company, has been arrested here. It is alleged he decamped with \$10,000 while en route to Mexico via the United States. He is a geologist and a member of the Bar association. 149, Watson 27. The announcement thus made is the legal warrant for taking the oath and entering upon the duties of the offices.

call was being made a call of the house was demanded. This tied the house up

Dr. PHILLIPS furnished the United Associated presses with the following statement Monday: "Major McKinley is suffering from a severe cold, but is adjourn and declared it carried. A not seriously ill. He is resting com- minority protested against this unheard fortably, but will be about in a few of parliamentary proceeding and refused days." The telegram from Canton further says that the president elect is confined to his bed and is unable to receive callers. While governor of Ohio he was quite ill with the grip for a week or ten days, and his present symptoms are similar to what he had then.

In a recent interview with Peter Janeen, Major McKinley said: "You may take back to Nebraska the word that I will religiously carry out every promise made at St. Louis. I will do more. I intend to instruct all our ambassadors to countries with which a bimetallic agreement is desired, to make a special study of the monetary conditions there prevailing that we may have the fullest information. Steps will be taken to have an international monetary conference as soon as possible and the facts thus collected will enable more intelligent action than has been possible in the past."

POSTAL SAVINGS BANKS.

"The fact that postal savings banks would take the government into a new form of the banking business at a time when the most intelligent financiers and legislators are considering the propriety of retiring it from the note issuing business cannot fail to appear somewhat puzzling." This comment is expressive of a fear entertained by some that postal savings banks may be in conflict with sound principles of banking, though the Post itself gives its mild endorsement to the proposition for their establishment. The best answer to this fear is to point out that the countries having a sound banking system are the very ones that have taken the lead in establishing pos-tal savings banks. The banking system of Great Britain is pointed to as a model by those who favor currency and bank-ing reform in this country along conser-vative lines, and it was in Great Britain that the postoffice savings bank originat-ed. The bill for its establishment was brought in and championed by Mr. Gladstone, then chancellor of the exhequer, and a man of recognized ability

chequer, and a man of recognized ability in dealing with financial questions.

Men of conservative views on banking questions turn to Canada, too, as a country having a most admirable banking system and one worthy of imitation. And Canada was one of the first countries to follow the example of Great Britain in establishing postal savings

France has a sound banking system, Germany, too, singled out as a country whose banking system it would profit legislators in this country to study. While Germany has not the postoffice savings banks, there are in the various

When men of conservative views in this country say the government should retire from the banking basiness they point Canada, Great Britain, France or German as countries having banking systems that are worthy of imitation by the United States. But in three of these countries postal savings banks are as assurely fixed as is the ordinary banking system, and in the fourth they doubtless would be established were it not that municipal savings banks already occupy the field. If these countries are to be pointed to as furnishing examples of sound banking systems which the United States should imitate, why should not the establishment of postal savings banks already of sound banking systems which the any rate, it ought not to be intimated that the postal savings banks are in the least dagree inimical to the existence of a sound banking system. — [Chicago Beard.

bit of romance attaches to this marriage. The groom is an uncle of the bride the marriage of the bride in an uncle of the bride marriage. The groom is an uncle of the bride marriage. The groom is an uncle of the bride marriage. The groom is an uncle of the bride marriage. The groom is an uncle of the bride marriage. The laws of America forbid the marriage of relatives of this degree of consumpting extra night seasions will be held for the consideration of private determined to marry they went to Germany and acquired citizenship and were legally married. They will make their future house in 20hadron, where for the triure house in 20hadron, where for the bride and by life. E. C. Harria, superintendent of 1887, forfeiting the land grant of the President the bride and by life. E. C. Harria, superintendent of 2887, forfeiting the land grant of the President and Missouri Valley railroad, who is traveling in laws a state of the bride and by life. E. C. Harria, superintendent of 1887, forfeiting the land grant of the bride and by life. E. C. Harria, superintendent of 1887, forfeiting the land grant of the president can be private and the private details of the bride a

Solons Return From Visiting State Institutions.

INVESTIGATING THE STOCKYARDS. Kanes City-Goodykoontz Loads Kylo-

Oklahoma Legislature Ras a Violent

and Bitter Beligious Discussion. Lancoun, Feb. 16 .- Five of the subthen subscribes change their place of seal committee of six appointed by Speaker on they should at once neithy us by letter or tall eard, giving both their fermer and their textions and tractions and their textions and textions are the seal textions and textions and textions are the seal textions and textions are the seal textions and textions are the seal textion turned from their first trip. The five were Lemar of Saunders, Rouse of Hall, merman of York, Sheldon of Dawes and Smith of Douglas. They visited the asylum for the chronic insane at es, the industrial school for boys at Kearney, the soldiers' and sailors' home at Grand Island and the home for

fallen women at Geneva. The report of this committee will commend several appropriations for repairs and improvements, especially at the Hastings asylum, where it is admitted unanimously that more room is needed. Superintendent Damrell in his estimate of the biennium asks for two Aditional buildings. One will be

The house committee on finance, ways and means was in session again all day considering the appropriation bills. The industrial school for girls at Geneva, the industrial school for boys at Kearney and the hospital for the insane at Lincoln were gone through with. As the Kearney school is strictly for boys, the committee will recommend that the matron be dispensed with.

INVESTIGATING THE STOCK YARDS. Joint Committees From Missouri and Kantes Legislatures Begin Work. KANSAS CITY, Feb. 16.—Special com-

ittees from the Missouri and Kansas state legislatures met here yesterday and began an investigation of the Kanone City stock yards and the Kansas City live stock exchange. The joint meeting is the outcome of the introduction of hills in both states to regulate the charges for feed and yardage and the ission charges at the stock yards. The joint committee organized by electing Representative J. H. Whitcolm of Missouri chairman. In a brief executive session the Missouri members were delegated to inspect the stock yards.

The Kansas members having been practically instructed to keep away from the nating precincts of the stock yards, asked to be excused from this

Later in the day the hearing was resumed at the Midland hotel, but the evidence taken was limited to the testimony of officials of the Stock Yards NIM MEEKS of Lincoln is under arrest their company and the commission men issued a circular announcing that Russell Harding has been appointed general doing business at the yards.

OKLAHOMA LEGISLATIVE SQUABBLE

Precipitated In the House. GUTHRIE, O. T., Feb. 16.—The senate yesterday passed the house resolution providing for a commission of seven to Last Wednesday in the hall of the act with similar committees from Kanhouse a violent and bitter religious discussion was precipitated and as the roll until dark and though the call was neither withdrawn or the roll call finished, Speaker Pro Tem Doyle, who was in the chair, entertained a motion to to recognize the so called adjournment and called Mr. Willis to the chair and are still holding forth.

Goodykoonts Leads Kyle. PIERRE, S. D., Feb. 16.—The vote for the first time in joint ballot gave Goodykoonts a lead over Kyle, the vote being Pickler, 47; Goodykoontz, 24; Kyle, 22; Hickley, 8; Plowman, 10. The Goodykoonts followers declare that they will pull their man through this week or

To Change Kansas Liquor Law. TOPEKA, Feb. 16 .- A bill was introduced in the senate to repeal the prohibttory law and establish a system of state dispensaries for the control of the train, died at 12:10 this morning. liquor traffic.

Fire at Des Moines. DES MOINES, Feb. 16.—The stationery stablishment of the Lathrop-Rhoads-McCain company was burned out last night. The five-story double front block, worth about \$45,000, was barely saved from total loss and the contents were completely destroyed. The cause of the fire is unknown. The building

was insured for \$18,000. Rusio Goes to Philadelphia PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 16 .- A deal had been effected whereby "Jack" Taylor and John Clements, the star battery of the Phillies are transferred to the New York in exchange for Amos Rusie, the "Giants" twirler, over whose services there has been so much litigation.

TROY, N. Y., Feb. 16 .- By the death of William Lampson, a banker of this place, the bulk of a property valued at about \$1,000,000 has been bequeathed to Yale university, of which Mr. Lampson was a graduate about 1860.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 16.-General and Mrs. Alger were tendered a reception at the Detroit club last night by leading society people of the city in honor of the general's appointment.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 16.—It is announced nat all the leading Kentucky distillers

The groom is an uncle of the bride,

resterday afternoon, but all were in schington, who was pension commis-ner under Garfield, came down from Flags of Five Nations Hoisted Cleveland, but was compelled to post-pone his visit until a later day. Colonel Dudley is a member of the inaugural committee and said the preparations

are progressing very satisfactorily.

Major McKinley was confined to his room last night and his doctor advised him to see no visitors until he had recovered from his cold. This is the first time he has been inaccessible to callers since his return from Columbus over a year ago.

men of New York. The theater was of Heraklion and three Mohammod coats and black ties and the playhouse commander of the English iron cluding a number of ministers from transport. New Jersey. The only denomination The Chi that sent regrets was the Methodists.

STOCKTON, Cal., Feb. 16.—The Cali-fornia Safe Deposit and Trust company of San Francisco has filed a suit in the superior court here to foreclose a mortgage of \$350,000 on the property of the Stanislaus and San Joaquin Canal and Irrigation company. The suit was filed by the bondholders. A receiver was appointed by the court in accordance with the plaintiff's petition. The defendant company has been one of the greatest factors in the development of San Joaquin county.

Susan B. Anthony Congratulated. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 16.-Miss Busan B. Anthony received congratulatory notes from all over the country on this her 70th birthday. Among them were from Miss Elizabeth Cady Stanton of New York, Miss Jane H. Spofferd of Hampton Corners, Miss Elizabeth H. Oulton of San Francisco; William Lloyd Garrison, Jr., and Ellen Wright Garrison of Boston. Last evening a reception in her honor was held.

Baptists Change Place of Mosting. CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—The annual convention of the Baptist Young People's union will not be held in Brooklyn, as originally planned. Owing to the refusal of the traffic associations to grant a one-fare rate for the round-trip, the executive committee of the union decided to hold the convention in Chattanooga in July next.

Harding Appointed Superintendent, St. Paul, Feb. 16.—President J. J. Hill of the Great Northern railroad has superintendent in place of J. M. Barr, resigned. Mr. Barr's new position is with the Norfolk and Western road, with headquarters at Roanoke, Va.

Alleged Embessier Arrested

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 16.-United States Senator-elect W. A. Harris has been called to Washington by Senators Marion Butler and W. V. Allen, who desire a conference of anti-Republicans with reference to organizing a special session of congress.

McFurland Goes to Kansas City. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.-Lamont McFarland vill pitch for the Kansas City Blues during the coming baseball season, Manager Manning having secured his release from Chicago.

Import Harbor at Maratian MEXICO CITY, Feb. 16 -The prelimnary surveys have been made with a view of inaugurating import harbor works at Mazatlan. The port will be made thoroughly safe and secure.

Young Mayham Is Dead. DENVER, Feb. 16 .- William Mayham, whose father, Henry J. Mayham, has been for 24 hours making a recordbreaking run from New York by special

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 16.-Peter Maher, the Irish pugilist, defeated C. C. Smith, "Muldoon's black thunder bolt," in six rounds before the Empire Athletic club.

## VICTORY FOR LEADERS.

Sundry Civil Bill Passed Without Amendment.

LIVELY CONTROVERSY IN SENATE.

Stevenson Have a Tilt Over the Reselution to Abrogate the Clayton-Bulwer Treaty-One Nebraskan Remembered by the President-National Capital News. WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 .- The coup ar-

ranged by the house leaders for the pas-

mage of the sundry civil appropriation bill under suspension of the rules was a complete success and this bill, carrying \$50,644,743, was passed without op-position or amendment just as it came from the committee. The main opposition to the bill was directed against the river and harbor items. The house made the most of the fact that Monday was suspension day and a number of bills were passed of more or less imporst all the leading Kentucky distillers tance among them the senate bill for Downey fight we keep their plants closed this year. appropriation bill was adopted and the agricultural bill was sent to conference.

introduced by Secretary Chary.

formed that the president-elect could not be seen. Colonel W. W. Dudley of

Over the Fortress.

TAR GREEK GOVERNMENT IN FIRM.

tians to Dispatch Treeps to Crote to Suppress Disturbances - Declare That Intervention In the Affairs of Crote Is Justified by the Massacres.

LONDON. Feb. 16.-The news that a force of regulars from four Greek ships has disembarked on the western coast New York, Feb. 16.—Yesterday was of the Island of Crete has been con-set aside by Charles Frohman and his firmed. No details have been received, manager, C. B. Dillingham, of the Garbut the force was probably identical den theater, to give a special perform—with that which embarked from Piracus. ance of "Heart's Ease" to the clergy- Fighting was reported in the vicinity closed to all except the clergy, and no villages are said to be burning. Retimo seats were sold. The box office men and Sitia are more quiet. A dispatch to and ushers were dressed in long black the Chronicle from Athens mys the and its strange audience had the appear- threatened the comma der of the Greek ance of a church. There were 1,062 cruiser and told him is would sink his ministers and their friends present, in- boat if he again fired at the Turkish The Chronicle also gives dispatches

relating the substance of an interview between Prince George of Greece and the British admiral at Cause and vouches for their absolute correctness. The prince having admitted that his orders were to prevent the disembarking of Turkish troops, by force if necessary, the admiral, without reservation, declared he had strict orders to use every means in his power to prevent the execution of the plans of the prince. However much he might regret it, he had no option in the matter. He then desired to know the prince's intentions under the circumstances. Prince George replied that he should execute the service with which he had been entrusted to

The Chronicle editorially denounce in a highly indignant manner the foregoing treatment of a friendly prince and nation and says that it will cause a thrill of passionate shame to enter the hearts of every man caring for freedom. The Chronicle editorially exhorts Greece in God's name to go on. .

The Times in its editorial columns applauds the naval occupation of the Island of Crete as a sensible act and as practical statesmanship.

A dispatch to The Standard from Constantinople says the council of ministers sat until early this morning. It is impossible to learn whether any decision has been arrived at or not, but it appears that Turkey is extremely unwilling to make the Cretean question casas belli with Greece. One reason is the conviction of the porte that Europe will protect its sovereign rights; another is its dread that complications might arise with Macedonia and the Balkan provinces and with Austria.

A dispatch to The Standard from Athens says that the foreign marines have landed at Retimo and Heraklion.

New Charter For Crete. The powers have decided to supervise the execution of a new charter for Crete, a feature of which will be auto-LIVERPOOL, Feb. 16.—Osmond Walter nomy. The Athens correspondent says Jeffs, an old employe of the Pacific a high Greek official has assured him Steam Navigation company, has been arrested here. It is alleged he decamped with \$10,000 while en route to lution, which has extricated Greece been greatly relieved. It is considered that the crisis is at an end. Berovitch Pasha has arrived at Calama. He will proceed to Corfu immediately.

> A dispatch from Canea, dated avir Ismael Bey drew up a protest. ant to pin a handkerchief to the hat of Before 3 o'clock in the afternoon a the man on whom her fancy lights, and At 3:10 p. m., precisely, a launch, Revenge, the English flagship of Admiral Harris, entered the harbor, the launch being commanded by Lieutenant Nelson. Sublicutenants Addison and Hunt landed with a detachment of marines, who were drawn up to the quay by launches, followed shortly after by the French landing parties. Then the Austrian, Russian and Italian forces put in an appearance. The weather was pleasant and the scene highly picturesque. The Mohammedans did not make any demonstration. The

British force consisted entirely of marines and was met by Consul General Billotti and other of the officials. Some Turkish officers were present as well as the seventy attaches of the French and Italian embassies and marines. The sailors of the various nations then marched to quarters prepared for them. The British forces occupy the large building adjoining the telegraph office. The great majority of the Mohammedans seemed apparently pleased with the occupation of the island by the that the occupation be extended to the whole island. Only a small minority of the more fanatically disposed seemed discontented. It was arranged that the occupation of Heraklion and Retimo should take place simultaneously, if possible, Without doubt the landing of the troops will produce a great effect on the occupation of the should take place simultaneously, if possible, Without doubt the landing of the troops will produce a great effect on the christians and tend to restore peace.

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Recess taken for committee on bocks and stationery read. The Omaha Printing company being the lowest bidder it was recommended that the contact the allowed to that firm. Report adopted.

The notice of appeal of County Judge J. N. Killian for a bill of \$5.50 for postage was read and ordered placed on file.

On recommendation of committee on supplies were allowed the Omaha Printing Co. on the christians and tend to restore peace. Mushavier Ismael Bey, after a conference with the military officers, addressed a note to the foreign admirals stating he gladly accepted the occupation and he hoped it might be extended to Sitia Selino and elsewhere.

Ismael Bey Appointed. ATHENS, Feb. 16.—Ismael Bey has been appointed governor of Orete, suc-ceeding Prince Georgi Berovitch, re-Humphrey Democrat, printing H S Elliott, cash advanced.... signed. Mussulman Badries has been elected mayor of Canea.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.-The Dixon-Downey fight was declared a draw in

Bebrusha Man Goes to Germany to Escape Too Rigid Laws.

Douglas, Wyo., Feb. 16.—Word has been received here of the marriage, on Feb. 1, at Berlin, [Germany, of Miss laws Richards, daughter of Hon. Delet Richards of Chadron, Neb. Quite a bit of romance attaches to this marriage.

The national guard with uniform Spring-field rifles, 45-calibre, and the senate resolution to the secretary of the navy was in executive session most of Monday, but the open session afforded sufficient time for a sharp controversy over proceeding with Mr. Morgan's resolution to abrogate the Clayton-Bulwer treat let to D. C. Rayanaugh. Lise's voted no.

Bond of N. H. Parks, for furnishing blanks to call at the near county, was approved.

Senator Norgan Carries His Point.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The senate Washington, Feb. 16.—Washington, Feb. 16. haps are even more extensively patronized than the postoffice banks in the
other countries named.

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Louisiana confirming the latter's title to
his seat, was unanimously adopted. The
report on the diplomatic and consular
and when the chair sustained them, the and when the chair sustained them, the Alabama senator referred to his being "victimised" by the prending officer and Mr. Sherman. Mr. Stevenson retorted sharply that there was no disposition to "victimize" the Alabama sena-tor. On a vote, Mr. Morgan carried his point and the Clayton-Bulwer resolution was taken up. As it involved questions into executive session. At 4 o'clock the open session was resumed and some pro-

> WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—According to officials the New York authority who arrested and the magistrate who committed Joseph Insigi, the Turkish consul at Boston, last Saturday evening have made a grave mistake and must undo their acts, which were unlawful. The Turkish minister here, Mustapha Bay,

ress was made on the bankruptcy hill.

has lodged with the state department a protest against the proceedings and, while the department is still looking up authorities and studying precedents it has already been practically concluded that the arrest was filegal. The laws provide expressly that foreign consuls can only be tried under federal process and before a federal court. He is not exceenpt from proceedings like a diplomatic officer, but he has this privilege matio officer, but he has this privilege and Clark of District court for one matter and constant and repairing type writer use granted, but for three law books rejected. and so far as the information his has been denied him.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Representa-tive Lowe of New York has introduced bill providing a national bureau of incorporation to be attached to the treasury department, with a chief who shall hold office during the pleasure of the president and receive a salary of \$4,000 per year. It shall then be permissible for any corporation doing business in two or more states to surrender its acts of incorporation and to organize under the act. New organizations may also receive certificates of incorporation in the same way. A paid-in capital of 100,000 is required to enjoy the benefits

\$100,000 is required to enjoy the benefits of the proposed act. Such organizations shall be under the supervision of the government and allow their books to be examined by the authorities.

Proposed Cut in Armor Plate.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Representative Lorimer of Illinois has introduced a bill authorizing the secretary of the navy to make contracts for armor plate for war vessels for a period of 20 years at a rate not exceeding \$240 per ton.

Representatives of the Illinois Steel company would contract to furnish plate for a term of years at \$240 a ton.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.-The supreme council of the National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial Union will hold its annual session here during the present week. The general organization has an existence in 14 states and it is expected that more than half of them will be

Question of Adipose. A criminal lawyer of long experience t the bar was heard to say the other

"I have made juries in murder cases an especial study. There are a large Moved by Sup'r Wiggins and carried that the number of men, larger than most people suppose, who have scruples about Inding death as a punishment for a 2 p. m. murderer. I used to make it my business to study jurymen's faces and see if I could read by the lines whether or not they had scruples about the death sentence. I gave this up, though, as being Later continued study of the jury box may look out for spring. led me to a discovery. That was that in nine cases out of ten a jury composed mostly of tall, lean men would, when the evidence was sufficient, never have the slightest hesitation about fixing extreme sentence. On the other hand, a jury where short, fat men predominated in number would occupy twice as much time in finding its verdict, and when brought in it would generally be a term of imprisonment for the murderer."-Louisville Commercial.

Where Woman Proposes Between the mountains of India and Persia is a powerful tribe among whom an extraordinary custom prevails. Woman's rights have apparently received full o'clock on the evening of Monday, Feb. | recognition, for the ladies of the tribe 15, says that when a decision providing can choose their own husbands. All a for the naval occupation of Crete by the | single woman has to do when she wishpowers became known at noon Mush. es to change her state is to send a servcrowd collected all along the quays, he is obliged to marry her, unless he evidently attracted by mere curiosity. can show he is too poor to purchase her at the price her father requires.

County Supervisors.

FEBRUARY 1, 1897.

The board met at 1:30 p. m., Hon. D. A. Becher in the chair, E. Pohl, clerk.

At roll call present Bender, Carrig, Lisco, Wiggins and Becher. Minutes from January 12 to 16 were read and approved.

Application of G. B. Speice for new typewriter Application of E. Pohl for deputy and two clerks and one assistant was referred to commit-

tee on supplies.
Official bonds were approved:
Wm. Johannes, treasurer, Bismark Tp.
Wm. Johannes, collector, Bismark Tp.
Jac S. Maurer, road overseer, Grand Prairie.
Frank Wurdeman, city treasurer, Columtime. Granted.

Board took recess for committee work

Board adjourned at 5:30 until 9 o'c

The board met at 9 o'clock a. m., Hon. D. A.
Becher in the chair, R. Pohl, clerk.
At roll call present Bender, Carrig, Lisco, Wiggins and Becher.
Board took recess for committee work.
Board at 12 o'clock adjourned until 2 p. m.
Board reconvened at 2 p. m., Hon. D. A.
Becher in the chair, E. Pohl, clerk.
At roll call all members present.

D C Kavanaugh, fees, claim a -ame, fees.

J H Gelley, supplies.
D C Kavanaugh, fees.
M M Rothleitner, money advanced.
Same, money advanced.
Same, salary,
R C Boyd, repairing stoves.
John A Graham, insurance c

Bond of N. H. Parks, for furnishing blanks to county, was approved.

On motion of Supervisor Olson the chair appointed Supervisors Olson, Bender and Rolf to inspect the county farm.

Moved by Supervisor Rolf that the new bids for county farm be opened and that the same be rented. Carried.

Moved by Supervisor Lisco that the contract for the county farm be awarded to O. D. Butler, for cash rental of \$2.50 for each pauper each week. Amended by Supervisor Bender that said contract be let to Louis Schroeder as lowest bidder. For amendment, Bender and Carrig, nay, balance of board. Lost.

For original motion all voted yes except Bender that said contract for the county for supervisor Bender that said contract be let to Louis Schroeder as lowest bidder. For amendment, Bender and Carrig, nay, balance of board. Lost.

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writer was granted, but for three law books rejected.

Application of Clerk of District court for one new type writer was granted.

Become committee on poor farm then reported that they found on farm everything in good order and in sume shape as when farm was bought. Report adopted.

The bond of A. G. Rolf appointed Soldiers' Relief commissioner, was approved by the bound. Motion made by Supr. Lisco that the county shall furnish beds and bed elething for paupers on poor farm. Carried.

Moved by Supr. Lisco and carried that from now on only a brief statement of the supervisors proceedings be published in the lens nowspapers in the county.

Moved by Supr. Lisco and carried that Sup'rs. Becher and Rolf may attend State Supervisors meeting in Lincoln March tikh and 17th, 197, expenses to be paid by the county.

Board adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m.

Board reconvened at 2 o'clock p. m.

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C. J. Carrig, same.
Nils Olsen, same
John Wiggins, same
D. A. Becher, same.
A. G. Roif, same
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general fund.
E. Pohl for assessor books, consolidated general fund.

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G. A. Plath for livery, con. gen'l. fund. 2 00
St. Mary's Hospital for tending poor,
county general fund. 12 00
Leander Gerrard for sheriff's house rent,
county general fund. 12 50
H. S. Elliott for cash advanced on city of
Columbus road fund. 25 00
Resolution of Sup'r Olson adopted to wit:
Resolved, That Sup'rs Lisco and Wiggins have
joint control of the road and bridge fund apportioned to districts 6 and 7.
Sup'r Carrig recommended that the action of
Biamark township board in regard to letting the
contract for building the Mathis bridge to Gus
Virgutz and their approval of his boad be ratified by the county board. Recommendation
accepted.

chairman be instructed to receive and sign the contract made with O. D. Butler. The board adjourned until April 13th, 1897, at

Many heaps of corn piled upon the ground, are found to be taking injury,

cribs to store such corn. At present prices, it takes one-third of a pile of corn to build a crib to hold the other two-thirds, or about four cents a bushel. Last Thursday afternoon, while Tony Schofftck was shelling corn at John Browner's, two miles northeast of the city, and was about to adjust the corn cob elevator chain, in some manner the thumb of his right hand caught in the

and some of the farmers are bu

crown gearing, severing the member We noticed a group of young folks wearing skates, and upon a large field of ice near Mr. McGanns the first of the week; they were having as much fun to the square rod of ice, as it would be pos-sible for a flock of Pekin ducks to get out of a fresh water lake, seventeen rods n circumference. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Bur Leighbors.

David City News: Today is the 81st Butter. hirthday of L. M. Ward of this city. While the years he has lived are many yet Mr. Ward is as spry as many of our roung men. There have been many wonderful changes during these 81 years of Mr. Ward's life. May be live to enjoy many more anniversaries of his birth. Sheriff Hahn went to Grand Island last Saturday night to get a fellow who was wanted for stealing a set of harness from Andrew Johnson, near Stromsburg. He brought him back and his prelimina-

ry trial will come off tomorrow at o'clock. He had the harness in his pos-session when arrested.—[Osceola Rec-ord. Excursion Rates to Washington. For the benefit of those desiring to

witness the inauguration of the next President of the United States, the Balimore & Ohio R. R. will sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip from all points on its lines in Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. Tickets will be sold March 1st, 2d and 3d, valid for return until March 8th. Similar tickets, via B. & O. R. R., will be sold by all the Railroads throughout the West. In addition to being the shortest and most direct line to Washington, the B. & O. passes through a region of greater scenic magnificence and historic interest than any in all America. Passengers also have the option of traveling via Akron and Pittsburg or via Bellaire and Grafton either going or returning. The through trains of the B. & O. are vestibuled throughout, equipped with Pullman Sleepers and the Dining Car Service is unsurpassed. Information in detail will be cheerfully furnished upon appli-cation by L. S. Allen, Assistant General Passenger Agent, B. & O. R. R., Grand Central Station, Chicago. 2t

Every Thursday afternoon, a tourist Every Thursday afternoon, a tourist sleeping car for Salt Lake City, San Francisco and Los Angeles leaves Omaha and Lincoln via the Burlington Route. It is carpeted; upholstered in rattan; has spring seats and backs and is provided with curtains, bedding, towels, soap, etc. An experienced excursion conductor and a uniformed Pullman porter accompany it through to the While neither as expensively finished nor as fine to look at as a palace eleeper, it is just as good to ride in. Second class tickets are honored and the price of a berth, wide enough and big enough for two, is only \$5.

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amendment, Bender and Carrig; nay, balance of hoard. Lost.

For original motion all voted yes except Bender, Carrig and Olson. Carried.

Moved by Supervisor Wiggins that the county attorney draw continues and a bond of \$1,000, to be signed by 0. D. Butler and sureties. Carried.

Motion by supervisor Rolf that the farm designed by 0. D. Butler and sureties. Carried.

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Moved by Supervisor Olson that the poor farm be open for pumpers March 1, 1897. Wiggins and Lisco voted no, balance yea. Carried.

Moved by Supervisor Wiggins that a building be created on poor farm for pampers, not to exceed in cost 1898. Carried.

Moved by Supervisor Lisco that the committee can poor farm shall get plans and estimates for outlay for railroad fare.

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under the following regulations and conditions:

The first prize will be won by the largest list, the second prize by the next largest list, and so on to the fifth. The list of words-must be written plainly in ink, alphabetically arranged, numbered, signed by the contestant, and sent in not later than February 20, 1807. The list must be composed of English words authorized by at least one of the leading dictionaries—Webster's, Worcester's, the Century or the Standard. If two words are spelled alike only one can be used.

Abbreviations, contractions, obsolete words and proper nouns are not ylowed. The same letter must not occur twice in one word, but may be used in other words. In case two or more winning lists contain the same number of words the neatest and best list will take first place, the others ranking next below in the order of quality. Residents of Omaha and winners of former prizes in World-Herald contests are not permitted to compete directly or indirectly.

No contestant can enter more than one list of words, and each contestant is required to send, in the same letter with his list, one dollar to pay a year's subscription to the Omaha Weekly World-Herald.

Every competitor whose list contains as many as twenty-five words whether he wins a prize or not, will receive

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are received. The list of words winning first prize will be published in the Whenly World-Henald, together with the name and address of each of the prize winners, as soon after the contest closes as the matter can be decided.

The Whenly World-Henald is issued in semi-weekly sections, giving the news twice a week, and hence is nearly as good as a daily. This is the paper of which W. J. Bryan was editor for about two years prior to his nomination for the presidency, and is the leading advocate of free silver coinage.

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poor farm.

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the heirs and next of kin of said Hannah L. Winterbotham, deceased:

Take notice, that upon filing of a written instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Hannah L. Winterbotham, for probate and allowance, it is ordered that said matter be set for hearing the 25th day of February, A. D. 1897, before said county court, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at which time any person interested may appear and contest the same; and notice of this proceeding is ordered published three weeks successively in The Columnus Journal, a weekly and legal newspaper, printed, published and of general circulation in said county and state.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Columbus this 5th day of February, A. D. 1897.

J. N. Killan,

PROBATE NOTICE. In the matter of the estate of John B. Harrigan, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased will meet the administrator of said estate, before me, county judge of Platte county.
Nebraska, at my office in Columbus, said county, on the 18th day of February, 1897, on the 18th day of May, 1897, and on the 18th day of August, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims and one year for the administrator to settle said estate from the 18th day of February, 1897, and this notice is ordered published in The Columbus Journal, for four consecutive weeks, prior to the 18th day of February, 1897.

Zijani County Judge. In the matter of the estate of John B. Harri

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TANTED-FAITHFUL MEN OR WOMEN to travel for responsible established house in Nebraska. Salary \$780 and expenses. Position permanent. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The National, Star Insurance Bidg., Chicago. Taken up by the subscriber on his enclosed lands in Bismark township in Platte county, Nebraska, on the 28th day of January, 1897, 4 pony mares, dark bay, 5 years old.
3 pony geldings, hay, 4 years old.
1 pony gelding, yellow, 4 years old.
1 pony gelding, yellow, 3 years old.
1 pony mare, yellow, with white stripes on both sides, 4 years old, and one gray mare 2 years old.
John Wundemann.
Feb. 12th, 1897.

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