Laws of the Legislature.

CONCLUDED. House roll No. 12, introduced by Hull, provides that all vicent sold as apple vinetherms is the legitimate product of apple vice. Persons manufacturing, keeping for the or offering for sale any grain vinegars. the vinegars of fruit vinegars are required been it in packages on which the name of the manufacturer and the grain, fruit of other substance from which it is made is samped or marked. No vinegar is to be sold containing any preparation of lead, copper sulphur of chier mineral acid or other in libellents injurious to health. A penalty is provided for the violation of the act. The tovernor signed the bill April 10.

House roll No. 150, by Hull, regulates the teamfacture and sale of cider, and is descention. to anulacture and sale of cider, and is designed to prevent adulteration, deception and fraud in the manufacture or sale there-of. This bill was signed April 10.

House roll No. 125, by Burkett of Lancaster, amends the law regulating the manner to which claims against the estate of decetrats are to be proved and allowed. This bill was signed April 10.

signed this bill April 10.

Senate file No. 165 provides that all disused wells and other pitfalls dangerous to stock shall be filled up. This was signed by the fovernor April 10.

Senate concurrent resolution No. 27 author-bes the governor to enter into an agree-ment with the governor of South Dakota fixing the boundary line between Nebraska and South Dakota.

Senate file No. 169 provides that in countie.

where the county cierk is acting as ex-officio cierk of the district court when it shall ap-pear to the county board that 1,600 votes have been cast in that county at a general elecmore than 8,000 inhabitants in the county. then the county board shall appoint a clerk of the district court, whose term shall extend until the next general election and until a successor is elected and qualified. There is an emergency clause attached. The govern-bead; for calves, 25 cents per head; for hogs of signed this bill April 19. r signed this bill April 10. \$5 per single deck and \$9 for double-deck Senate file No. 156, by Dundas, permits the cars; for sheep, \$5 for single and \$8 for double-

county board of any county on petition of deck cars.

House roll No. 578, by Roberts, by request, to levy a tax to erect a court, jail or other Senate file No. 6, by Murphy, allows judges of the district courts to fix the day upon which jurors shall report for duty. With the emergency clause attached, this was signed

by the governor April 10.
Senate file No. 94. by Beal, permits county treasurers to invest three-fourths of the sinking fund of that county in the bonds of ceed 5 per cent per annum, to provide for the tag same county. This was signed by the expense of promoting the interests of such

House roll No. 182, being the committee substitute for the original bill, provides for the organization of mutual insurance companies to insure city and village property against loss by fire, lightning, tornado, cyclone or wind storms.

The act provides that any number of persons the then the in market with the provides that the provides of the pro sons not less than 100 in number, who own city or village property and reside in this state, can organize a company. All persons effecting insurance in the company become numbers. The directors are to be elected by the members at the annual meeting.

The territory to be covered by the company

s canfined to Nebraska. The act recites that policies may issue on cities, towns and villages, real or personal croperty in this state, also on business pro-erty outside of cities and villages again iss or damage by fire, lightning, tornado evolone or wind storm for any length of tim net exceeding five years. The limit of insur spee on any one risk or hazard is not to ex-ceed \$1,000. This bill with the emergence lause, was signed by the governor April 6. House roll No. 428, introduced by Zimra tean, is the bill prescribing the precedure is cases where orders of the state board of transportation are contested by railroad companies. This act is a radical departure on the old rule regulating court procedur in such cases, and it compels the railroa companies to make a showing on the merits of the case or have the dilatory proceedings usually resorted to ended in short order. A heavy penalty is provided for the viola-tion of the provisions of the act and it is stiputated that le per cent of the fine imposed shall go to the party aggrieved and making

under the act prosecuted by him.

House roll No. 67, the committee substitut
for the bill introduced by Taylor of Fillmore provides that breaking into a chicken bone be burglary, and punished by imprisonmen is the penitentiary for from one to ten years was passed with the emergency clause. House roll No. 26i, introduced by Eager obibits the waste of water from mutual ortesian wells, and prescribes the condition

House roll No. 491, introduced by Gaffin tionse roll No. 491, introduced by Gaffin, provides that the government of the home of the friendless at Lincoln shall be by and uncer the board of public lands and buildings. The governor is to appoint an advisory visiting board, and also the superintendent and such other officers as the institution requires. This bill was passed with the marganery clause. House roll No. 519, introduced by R. A. Clark, provides for the payment by the state of \$2,000 to Mrs. Lucia Lawson, who lost he

eye by reason of some hard substance projected from the gun of one of the university adets during the exhibition drill on the uni tides for the appropriation of \$10,000 to defray the expenses of the investigation of the state offices and institutions and for the prosecution of any criminal and civil cases wherein the state has been

having in their custody or control any money or property belonging to the state. The fund appropriated is placed under the control of the governor and is to be expended under his direction. The bill passed with the emergency clause attached.
House roll No. 539, introduced by Wiebe, provides for the appropriation of \$144.36 for the reimbursement of Henry Drews for over-

Payment on school land.

House roll No. 253, by Zimmerman, provides for the consolidation into a single separate fund all moneys collected for various purto be known as the university cash fund.
This bill was passed with the emergency

cer. This bill passed with the emergency clause.

House roll No. 283, by Severe of Otoe, defences the purpose and provides for the government and maintenance of the institute for the deaf and dumb, and the institute for the blind. The act declares that the objects of these institutions shall be the physical, moral and intellectual culture and training of the respective classes for whose benefit each was created. The government and management of the two institutions is to be in the hands of a board of three trustees, to be appointed by the governor. The governor

in the hands of a board of three trustees, to be appointed by the governor. The governor shall appoint the superintendent of each in-stitution, and on the nomination of this officer the board of trustees appoint the saker officials of the institutions. This act makes provision in detail for the duties of the physicians and other officers of the insti-jutions. The bill was passed with the emerg-backy clause. ouse roll No. 529, introduced by the claim

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Ufficates of the same tenor and effect as the certificates to issue to the graduates of the state normal school.

House foll No. 625, introduced by Paul F. Clark for Aiderman, is designed to prevent the spread of hog cholera and pre-est the traffic in animals dying from infectious or other diseases. It prohibits the removal of swine and other animals dying of cholera or other diseases. It prohibits the removal of swine and other animals dying of cholera or other diseases. It prohibits the removal of swine and other animals dying of cholera or other diseases. It prohibits the removal of swine and other animals dying of cholera or other diseases. It prohibits the removal of swine and other animals dying of cholera or other diseases. It prohibits the giving away without consideration or receiving free such carcasses, and prohibits rendering establishments and sony factories from purchasing or reporting free of charge or using such carcasses. Penalties are provided in heavy fine for the bill, which was passed with the emergency clause.

House roll No. 255, by Rich, adds to the prevailed for purposes of theological education and provisions for the bill, which was passed with the emergency clause.

provisions of the bill, which was passed with the emergency clause.

House roll No. 334 by Gaylord, provides that a board of education of any city or board of trustees of a high school district or a district school board may contract with the district board of a neighboring district for the instruction of children residing in the first-named district, in the schools of the neighboring districts, and the board of the district of residence may provide for the transportation of pupils where the distance shall render it impracticable for them to attend without transportation. This was passed with the emergency clause. tend without transportation. This was passed with the emergency clause.

House roll No. 63, by Rich, provides that where the mayor and council of any city of the metropolitan class have heretofore issued bonds for the purpose of taking up and renewing bonds issued by any such city without having submitted the proposition to issue such renewal bonds to the electors, as required by section 11, of chapter 3, of the secsion laws of 1893, the mayor and council of such city may, by resolution, ratify the bonds so issued, and such bonds, so fatified, shall be valid obligations of such city, as if authorized by the electors thereof, and of the same force and effect as if issued in compliance with the act of the legislature of this state relating to cities of the metropolitan class

fore and effect as if issued in compliance with the act of the legislature of this state that he act of the legislature of this state was signed April 19.

House roil No. 234 provides that failroad companies shall maletain track scales at all stations from which 290 carloads of grain-lavo been shipped in any one year subsequent to five years ago. The cars and contains are to be weighed and the company is held responsible for the whole net amount iess one-half of one per cent allowed for loss by natural causes. This bill was signed by the gravernor Apr. 10.

Senate file No. 22, introduced by Spencer by request, amends the statute regulating to grave for the provides for the practice of medicine. The act provides for a board of breath. Of these two mast belong to the homeopathic schools. The act also provides that a four years' course of study in a bedical college shall be required before adult the homeopathic schools. The act also provides that a four years' course of study in a bedical college shall be required before and possion to practice. The act provides for an examination fee of \$10. The governor signed this bill April 10.

Senate file No. 185 provides that all disused wells and other pitfalls dangerous to stock shall be sufficient to adopt it.

House roil No. 23, by Holbrook, provides that there shall be sufficient to adopt it.

House roil to school lands such the court that the provides in a transaction of provides and accounts of these transactions are to be kept. It provides that there shall be sufficient to the provides and accounts of the provides that there shall be rectained by the state in trust forever and the rentals to be turned into the court circle. It is provided. Shall refere the homeopathic schools. The act also provides and court at the provides

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House roll No. 23, by Holbrook, provides that the provisions of the law relating to warehousemen shall be extended to manufacturers of chicory or raisers of chicory roots, or the elevator man storing such roots or manufactured products, and that warehouse receipts may be issued against such chicory roots or manufactured product stored in warehouse or elevator. The penalties for fraudulent issue or negotiation of fraudulent warehouse receipts are also made applicable. This was passed with the emergency clause. This was passed with the emergency clause. House roll No. 263, by Hill, the stock yards commission bill, provides that all stock commission bill, provides that all stock yards organized or operated in this state under the general corporation laws or by special charter shall be declared public mar-

sion which shalt be charged for selling live These commissions are: For cattle \$10 per is the Douglas county Trans-Mississippi ex-position bond bill. It provides that whenever 1,000 voters of any county in the state of Ne-

come due twenty years from the date there-of, and to bear interest at a rate not to excounty by participating in any interstate exposition held in the state of Nebraska and making at such exposition a county exhibit, improving or beautifying the grounds and erecting or aiding in the erection of a suitable building or buildings therefor, and maintaining the same during such exposition, to an amount to be determined by the board of county commissioners or board of supervisors, not exceeding \$150,000. Provided, the special election, such question to be sub-mitted entire after notice to such voters published in any newspaper of general circulation in such county for four weeks next prior

the state board of purchase and supplies may let contracts for purchasing supplies to the state justitutions for any period not exceeding one year, when in the judgment of the members it is to the interest of the state to ore. This was passed with the emergence et contracts for such periods. The old law furnishing goods for three months and no

House roll No. 385, by Jenkins, provides for a military code governing the Nebraska Na-tional Guards. There are several provisions incorporated from the federal statutes govrning the regular army, among them being county on any day during which a general or special election is being held therein, except in case of riot, invasion, insurrection or is provided to be assessed against any officer violating this provision. It is made unlawful for any body of men whatever than the regular national guard of the state and the troops of the United States.

drill and parade, and while in encampment must be subject to the rules and regulations governing the national guards. Benevolent societies are permitted to parade with House roll No. 342, by Fernow, provides for

the government of the state institutions by the board of public lands and buildings, who the board of public lands and buildings, who are made inspectors of the penitentiary.

The warden who is to be appointed by the governor, with the consent of the senate, holds his office two years. The warden is to conduct the institution under the rules established by the inspectors with the approval of the governor.

Upon the warden devolves the duty of providing the convicts with work, and he may engage them in the manufacture of articles for the use of the penitentiary and other state institutions. So far as practicable, the sale of food and prohibits the sale of adulterated for sale of adulterated and prohibits the sale of adulterated for sale of adulterated A prominent member of the leads of over 25,000 population when the county judge has been authorized by the board of county commissions to employ one or more clerks he may designate in writing one of these clerks to be the clerk of the county county court. The act prescribes the duties of such county court clerk.

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state institutions. So far as practicable, the prisoners are to be employed by the state on its own account, and the theory of the bill is explained to be that this is the end sought. When the labor of convicts is let to other persons the warden is responsible for their safe-keeping, their board and clothing and the enforcement of rules of discipline. A pro-When the labor of convicts is let to other persons the warden is responsible for their safe-keeping, their board and clothing and the enforcement of rules of discipline. A provision is made that prisoners convicted in the United States courts may be received and bear at the nenitentiary. House roll No. 308, by Rich, provides that township, city and village treasurers may give guaranty bond companies as sureties on their official bond. House roli No. 32, the committee substitute

for a bill by Felker, makes it unlawful to sell, give away or furnish any cigarette or cigar-

House roll No. 304. by Rich, provides that sureties on bonds required by contractors for state printing.

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House roll No. 302, by Rich, provides that members of boards of public works of cities of the second class and villages, cities of the second class over 5,000 inhabitants, may give bond companies as sureties.

House roll No. 302, by Lee, defines the age at which prevented the canvassing board last from declaring the result on the amendments then voted on.

Senate file No. 238, by Lee, defines the age at which commitments to the penitentiary at which commitments to the penitentiary being committed to the penitentiary except on conviction of murder or manprovides for the appropriation of \$8,000 to pay the premium on the state treasurer's bond when the bond is issued by a surety bond

Company.

House roll No. 565 is the Loom's ballot act.

This provides for the blanket ballot and the emblem system by which the voter may by one mark vote for the whole ticket except as he may afterward mark opposite individual House roll No. 68 is the Yeiser municipal House roll No. 529, introduced by the claims committee, provides that the board of public lagds and buildings may purchase under concepts that it is town, village, school district or other municipal subdivision of the state, ordinances, contracts, agreements or measures may be necessary is appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the pople affected. Any act of the city council or the legislative boards of the municipal referendum bill. It provides that on petition of 15 per cent of the voters of any city, county, town, village, school district or other manicipal referendum bill. It provides that on petition of 15 per cent of the voters of any city, county, town, village, school district or other manicipal subdivision of the state, ordinances, contracts, agreements or measures for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the people affected. Any act of the city county town, village, school district or other manicipal subdivision of the state, ordinances, contracts, agreements or measures of the people affected. Any act of the city county town, village, school district or other manicipal subdivision of the state, ordinances, contracts, agreements or measures for the purpose of carrying out the provisions.

House roll No. 255, by Rich, adds to the present law on the same subject provision relating to the holding of property in trust for purposes of theological education and provides for the enforcement of the trust and the administration thereof.

House roll No. 277, by Hull, provides for the collection of labor statistics by assessors, and that they shall report the same to the state commissioner of labor. The latter is required to keep a register of applications for employment and for help, and assist in finding employment for the unemployed, no fee or compensation to be required therefor.

House roll No. 368, by Rich, provides that notaries public may give surety companies on their official bonds.

House roll No. 310, by Rich, provides that state bank examiners and receivers appointed for banks under the state banking law may give surety company bonds.

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Eouse roll No. 540, by D. O. Jones, provides for the gravity test for gasoline.

House roll No. 331, by Morrison, provides for the relief of Mrs B. McKell from the operation of an increase in the rental charge for school land, \$163.83 is appropriated.

House roll No. 450, by Rich, creates a find-nicipal court for the city of Omaha, and fixes and defines the organization, powers and jurisdiction of that court. The bill provides for the election of three judges of the municipal court, who shall have the same jurisdiction as that now given justices of the peace and in addition the further jurisdiction conferred by the act. The municipal court is to have

House roll No. 614, provides for the current expenses of the state government and to pay the miscellaneous items of indebtedness owing by the state of Nebraska for the two years ending March 31, 1895.

House roll No. 615 provides for the payment of the salaries of the officers of the state government. ernment, home of the friendless at Lincoln normal school at Peru, hospital for the Insand at Lincoln, hospital for the lacurable insane at Hastings, state university, state industrial school at Kearney, girls industrial school at Omaha, institute for the feeble-mir youth at Beatrice, institute for the blind at Nebraska City, fish commission, industrial

House roll No. 630, the claims committee's bill making appropriations for miscellaneous iems of indebtedness due from the state. committee bill, and the two make appropria committee bill, and the two make appropria-tions for payment of over 1.200 claims. Senate file No. 198, by Beal, provides that the portion of the code of civil procedure providing for the entering up a deficiency judgement on a simple application to the court wherein a judgment of foreclosure has been entered by repealed. This bill passed both houses and was sent to the governor. It became a law without the signature of the chief executive by reason of his decilning to take action on it within five days. Senate file No. 187, by Feitz, provides for a uniform system of vouchers for use for all disbursements of state funds through the

auditing and treasury departments of the state. The act permits that accounts certi-fied by the board of regents of the state university must have the claimant's name signed by an agent. This bill has the emerg-Senate file No. 207, by Talbot defines fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associa-tions and regulates the same. These associations and regulates the same. These associa-tions in their insurance features are put under the control of the state auditor. Senate file No. 335, by Gondring, provides for the method of procedure which is to be followed in the matter of conducting water from irrigation canals into natural stream too in such county for four weeks next prior to such election: and, provided, that such interstate exposition shall first have been recognized by the congress of the United States and by an appropriation of a sum not less than \$100,000.

House roll No. 575, by Gerdes, provides that the state board of purchase and supplies may let contracts for purchasing supplies to the congress of the United ing for the responsibility of the company or person who turns water into such natural streams and withdrawing it therefrom, and providing for the responsibility of the company or person who turns water into such natural streams and withdrawing it therefrom, and providing for the responsibility of the company or person who turns water into such natural streams and withdrawing it therefrom. And providing for the responsibility of the company or person who turns water into such natural streams.

Senate Fig. No. 273, by Feltz, provides for the protection of the property of passengers on sleeping cars and requires sleeping cars. on sleeping cars and requires sleeping car companies to provide safes for the use of

> ency clause.
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> Senate file No. 330, by Gondring, is an act to prevent the operation of trusts and con-spiracies against trade and business. These are declared unlawful and penalties are pro-vided for the violation of the act. Senate file No. 551, by Grothan, extends the powers and authority of the state board of transportation. It gives to this board authority to regulate charges made by express, telegraph and telephone companies, and to apply the powers given to the board by law over railroad companies, to all companies owning, controlling or operating telegraph, express or telephone lines in this state.

Senate file No. 105, by Gondring provides for the protection of game, defines the close season for all kinds of game birds and animals and managed to free the air pipe and shot up to the surface, feet foremost, where imals and prescribes a penalty for the viola- he was quickly reversed by his assistparade with arms, without the license of the governor. Students of educational institutions are permitted under restrictions to of the state university holding the degree of bachelor of arts or bacheior of science, and who shall have completed the teachers training course in the university shall be entitled to receive the state teachers' certificate, such as is now given to the graduates of the state normal.

Senate file No. 26t, by Murphy, provides against adulteration of food and prohibits the sale or offering for sale of adulterated

Senate file No. 74, by Ransom, defines cruelty to children and prescribes the pencruelty to children and prescribes the pen-alty for such cruelty.

Senate file No. 208 by Schaal, provides for the exclusion of school bond taxes in the computation of the aggregate school taxes under the provisions of the law.

Senate file No. 271, by McGann, provides that the governor shall appoint the superin-tendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney and provides that the superintendent

vides for the sale upon the sale upon the sale upon the sale upon and the sale upon the sale upon under execution and writs of attachment. The act provides that the levy on stock in a corporation shall be made by notifying in writing the president, secretary, cashier or other managing agent at the usual place of business of the corporation that the stock has been levied upon under the writ held by the officer. This bill passed with the emergency clause.

House roll No. 201, by Rich, provides that surety companies may be accepted as suretise on bonds required by contractors for state printing.

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Senate file No. 255, by Ransom, provides the feet on in which the judges and clerks of election shall make returns to the county clerk, and the form and substance of the return by the county clerk to the state constitution are voted on by the people. One of the provisions is that there shall be a certificate to the state board of the number of votes cast for representatives and senators.

House roll No. 201, by Rich, provides that the state town under this act.

Senate file No. 255, by Ransom, provides the form in which the judges and clerks of election shall make returns to the county clerk, and the form and substance of the return by the county clerk to the state board of the number of votes cast for representatives and senators.

House roll No. 201, by Rich, provides that the state board of the number of votes cast for representatives and senators.

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slaughter.
Senate file No. 250, by Ransom, provides that the school board of the city of Omaha shall report to the city council the number of mills tax on the dollar necessary to be levied and that this shall be levied and collected in

the same manner as other taxes are now levied and collected. These bills the governor signed on the 15th: Senate file No. 208, excluding school bond taxes in the computation of the aggregate and limit of school taxes. Senate file No. 2, the bill to prevent insur-Senate file No. 251, a bill to extend the pow-

for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the act.

House roil No. 333, by Burkett, provides that when any college, university or normal yelloging not less than five teachers and having \$100,000 invested, and employing not less than five teachers and having a course of study equal in extent and invited at the proposition will be submitted at a special election, otherwise it will be submitted at the proposition will be submitted at a special election, otherwise it will be submitted at the proposition will be submitted at a special election, otherwise it will be submitted at the proposition occurring the provided that not more than one special election occurring thirty days from the date of petition. It is provided that not more than one special election shall be ordered in one year unless a little to those of the state provided that not more than one special election shall be ordered in one year unless a little to the proposition will be submitted at a special election occurring the provided that not more than one special election occurring the provided that not more than one special election shall be ordered in one year unless a little board of transportation.

Senate file No. 305, relating to rights to use manking it unlawful to sell cigarettes or cigarette paper to minors.

House roil No. 173, amending the state and county depository law by providing that all county and state funds are to be deposited as one fund and the interest credited to the proposition will be submitted at a special election. It is provided that not more than one special election occurring the proposition will be submitted to unlawful to sell cigarettes or cigarette paper to minors.

House roil No. 173, amending the state and county depository law by providing that all county and state funds are to be deposited as one fund and the interest credited to the proposition.

Only one case of the kind is reported, which took place about the year 1600, which took place about the year 1600.

House roil No. 174 amending to unlawful to sell

procedure where the orders of the board of transportation are contested by railroad DINS THE MAJORITY

companies.

House roll No. 73, amending the district irrigation law, or time taxes and assessments shall be collected by the county treasurer and turned over by them to the district House roll No. 450, for the establishment nunicipal courts.
House roll No. 614, the current expense ap
propriation fell,
flouse roll No. 615, the surary appropriation ouse roll No. 630, the miscellaneous ciaims

use roll No. 631. appropriating \$44,595.70 for miscellaneous claims.

The following items in house roll No. 63, falled to receive the approval of the executive officer and were stricken out:

No. 673: N. Westover & Co. for labor and material fernished for Grant Memorial half. de: Thomas H. Pratt watchind for Nebraska building at the World's fair,

No. 642: Cass county, state taxes illegally assessed and refunded to individuals, Sec. 20.

From house roll No. 614 the following items were stricken out:

Appropriation of 80,000 for workshop for convalescent patients at the hospital for insane at Lincoln.

Appropriation of 80,000 for the University of Nebraska for the inspection of schools.

Some that were vertoed by the common Senate file No. 250, the school book bill, which was found to have been defeated in the house.

and grounds.

House roll No. 24, the legal newspaper bill.

House roll No. 30, relating to the surety
bonds on contracts for public printing.

House roll No. 33, appropriating \$5,000 to
pay the premium on the state treasurer's
tonds. House roll No. 250, to change the method of levying school taxes in cities. House roll No. 283, an act to regulate stock

A DIVER'S DANGER.

Thrilling Escapes from Death While Re

covering Treasure from a Ship. One diver crippled for life, another made a raving lunatic and still another escaping death by a mere shavethat is the record up to date of the effort to recover the treasure on the sunken steamship Sk"ro, says the St Louis Post-Dispatch. The Skyro, bound from Carthagena to London, struck on the Meixiddo reef and sunk in twenty-eight fathoms, low water. The Meixiddo reef is on the coast of Spain, nine miles south of Cape Finisterre. The accident occurred in 1891 and it was not until four years later. and it was not until four years later. May 1895, that any attempt was made personally, having never fallen in the maintaining discipline. to recover the valuable cargo which most tempting part of which consisted of twenty-eight bars of silver, valued at \$45,000. This treasure was stored away in a spare berth in the cabin, while in the hold was 700 tons of pig lead valued at \$70,000. It was an Englishman, living at Bilboa, who was tall and spare in form, with a salmade the first attempt on the treasure. After four or five months' labor and terrible underwater work by the divers, all that the Englishman had to show for his time and money was a grimy piece of the Skyro's brass cabin skylight grating. One of the divers went raving mad from his sufferings under water and when confined jumped through a window in his delirium. A fellow-worker was incapacitated for life as a result of his exposure. The gentleman then let things rest at this until July of last year. During the two months following the beginning of these second operations a diverdescended forty-four times and recovered fiftynine bars of silver, the average time

of each descent being thirteen minutes. After the first thirty-seven bars had been got to the surface it was found necessary to use dynamite. The dynamite so cleared things that in three dives the same diver brought up over \$10,000 worth of silver bars. But even this adept at submarine work did not come off without some close calls during his career. On one occasion in complete that some diver brought up over this adept at submarine work did not come off without some close calls during his career. On one occasion in complete the approximate value of the agricultural property of the submerged region. Among the products of last season still on hand on March 1 has received executive approval. The anti-trust law is complete in its provisions and effectually does away with any combinations to control prices. Under its provisions the charges sought to be determined specifically by this act will like all others be regulated by the law of supply and demand. I am not aware that there has been any general complaint of the unjust or extortionate charges by the commission men at the stock yards, and am of the online that they are usually necessary to use dynamite. The dynaing up he fouled his air pipe with a 060, 12,525,645 bushels of corn worth float attached to the bucy rope. He \$3,995,278, and 9,033,878 pounds of was ascending with a strong impetus sugar worth \$271,016. The total proand the impact with the float turned duction, including minor crops, reprehim downward and his head slipped sents a value of \$21,782,180 on the

hands in this reversed position. He ants and restored to the world after such a close call as it is the lot of a very few men to survive. Mark Twain's Letter. A new proof of the effectiveness of

the modern postoffice is furnished by the Philadelphia Record: A prominent member of the Players' club of New York, now in this city, has received a letter from Mark Twain

The recipient of the letter collabor-

ated with a fellow-me nber upon a letter to "Mark," whom they both knew intimately. They did not know "Mark's" address at the time, so they addressed the missive, "Mark Twain. God-Knows-Where." Here is "Mark's"

"London, November 24, 1896.-Oh, thank you, dear boys, for remembering me, and for the love that was back of it. These are heavy days, and all such helps ease the burdea. I glanced at your exvelope by accident and got several chuckles for reward-and chuckles are worth much in this world,

Senate file No. 6t. by Ritchie, provides for bringing the industrial home at Milford under the control of the state officers, and that this control shall be in the hands of the the state board of public lands and buildings. The governor appoints the superintendent under this act. office, showed that he had given it

In the same mail comes a letter from friends in New Zealand addressed 'Mrs. Clemens (care Mark Twain), United States of America, and again He gave us away-this time to the deficiency department of the San Francisco postoffice. These things show that our postal service has ramifications which ramify a good deal.

"Mark."

A Single Tax Agitator. Vauban, the great French engineer. seems, according to his biographers to have been the father or perhaps the grandfather of "single tax." He published in the year of his death a volume in which he contended that one tax on land should be made to cover all the expenses of the state. The book was promptly suppressed by the royal

MAN, THE INDIANA CON-GRESSMAN, DEAD.

ing the Most Stirring Period of Nation's History-Long Known er Watch Dog of the treastry.

"ubjector" Bolman Dies ASHINGTON, April 23 -Representa-William Steel Holman of Indiana at his home here at 2: 5 o'clock s afternoon after all lilness of some eks from spinal meningitis. I p to terday he had been improving, but

n the fatal relapse came. Ir. Holman held the record for vice in the lower house of Cons, he having been a member of tteen Congresses. Mr. Holman was born in 1821 ld

Dearborn county, Indiana. Mr. Holman spent thirty-two years in the House, a period covered by the most trying times in the nation's history. computed only in the millions of dollars actually saved the tax-payers. The late Thomas A. Hendricks said that the "great objector's" services were worth \$23,000,000 a year.

Mr. Holman was generally known as the "watchdog of the treasury." He was frequently chairman of the House committee on appropriations, when he held the purse strings of the government, and despite sneers about "cheese paring" and parsimony from his opponents, he was regarded by members of all parties as a most worthy and val-

Mr. Holman was an indefatigable every figure in the appropriation bill when a member of Congress. At night he took his work home with him, and always conducted his correspondence pewriter. He was a Democrat of the refusal of the legislature to his party thought about it.

It is said that Mr. Holman's "Mr. Speaker, I object," has been printed oftener in the Congressional Record than any other individual speech. He low, withered face.

ENORMOUS FLOOD LOSSES.

Iwenty Thousand Square Miles Are Under Water-46,934 Farms. WASHINGTON, April 23.-The agri-

cultural department has issued a statement concerning the overflowed districts along the Mississippi. It shows that the total area submerged at this date is over 20,000 square miles. It contained at the last census 46,935 farms, with a total area of 4,904,466 acres, nearly one-half of which was improved, and a total population, agricultural and other, of 462,041. If, to the value of its farms, farm buildings and farm machinery, according to the census of 1990, there be added the value of its live stock on January 1 last (\$9,174,636), and of its products of last season still on hand on March 1 that the total area submerged at this

DARING UTAH ROBBERY.

SALT LAKE, Utah, April 23.-A daring robbery took place at noon to-day at Castle Gate, Utah, on the line of the proval is therefore withheld from house Rio Grande Western railway. E. L. Carpenter, of this city, paymaster of the Pleasant Valley Coal company, went down this morning with \$7,800 to pay off the men at the mine. When he reached Castle Gate and was going over to the company's office, he was met by two mounted men, heavily armed, who held him up, relieved him of his cash, and then rode off in the

assistance. Federal Courts in Trouble. WASHINGTON, April 23.—The speaker third letter from Attorney General McKenna urging in strong terms that in factories, females under 21 years appropriations for the expenses of the United States court be made at once. Without special appropriation the at- chanical labor, with the number of torney general represents that the days employed during the last year courts must adjourn or else certificates be issued for expenses of jurors, with the necessary officers, and that many persons now held in jail will have their

direction of Helper. The men cut the

telegraph wires to prevent a call for

confinements lengthened. Honduras' Latest Outbreak About Over. illa states that he has practically sup- acres in alfalfa and the number of House roll No. 320, by Holland, provides for the relief of Wm. Bergin, James Bergin, G. F.
Taylor and Lewis Howard of Red Willow rounty in connection with an application for a lease of school land made by them.
House roll No. 10, by Clark of Lancaster, provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and provides that the governor shall appoint the superintendent of the superintendent of the boys' reform school at Kear-ney, and pro great importance so far as learned. The government is still concentrating its forces in Villa Nueva.

SEWALL REWARDED.

The Democratic Candidate's Republican

WASHINGTON, April 23.-The Presison of the late Democratic candidate for Vice President, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Hawaii; James K. Barnes to Troy, Kan.

Foun. etu,u.u short. CINCINNATI, Ohio, April 23. -George are in poor condition, occasioned by Business troubles superinduced the ported hopelessly insane since last Sunday, was found by the county commissioners upon a brief examination of his accounts, to be \$16,000 short. the grass that came up after they left was killed by frost and rain, preventing it from curing. Cattle that had to feed on this kind of grazing are weak.

Short in His Accounts.

MILITARY CODE.

New Law for the Government 59 Mate Affitin Generally Satisfactory. The officers of two companies of the Nebraska National guard interviewed are much interested in the provisions of the new military code which is now on the statute books as a result of the

on the statute books as a result of the recent legislative session. The old military code was a patchwork of incongruity and deficiencies. It was conflicting in many of its provisions and misleading in others. Adjt-Gen. Barry and Maj. Fechet, the latter of the Sixth cavalry, U.S. army, have devoted recent their time for the past year in preparing an entirely new code for the government of the Na-tional guard in this state, and now that thus been enacted into law, they feel

confident that Nebraska has the best military code in the United States. The provisions of the new code are of interest chiefly to members and ordicers of the guard. Three of the new provisions are especially well liked.

One requires that the midliness strength of all companies in the brigade shall be thirty soldiers. The

maximum cannot be over forty, exclusive of officers, commissioned and bentcommissioned, and two musicians. Af His value to the country in a non-partisan sense, through his long career in the single capacity of "watch dog of the treasury" or "objector," can be new code will be to increase the aumerical strength of the deficient companies, making a material improvement in the point of number's said placing all companies practically on

the same footing.

The new code also makes stringent regulations for the care of all military property and equipment, and this proofficers of the line. All company property, except when in use in the performance of military duty, must be kept in the armories designated for that purpose.

Still another new provision per nits company commanders, with the con sent of their commander-in-chief. to worker, and it is said that he knew order company courts of discipline for respective companies for violations of the regulations of the company bylaws. The provision will very materi-

way of dictating his letters or using a | Considerable regret is expressed over the kind that believed his party was priate the entire amount of the funds right, no matter what the majority of | for the support of the National guards asked for by Adjt.-Gen. Barry. The house appropriated \$30,000. The sen-ate added the extra \$10,000, but the house refused to have it that way and so the senate receded. The extra amount would have permitted two full encampments during the two ensuing years. No attempt will be made to secure the 1897 encampment for Omaha this summer, as it is the desire of the leading spirits to bring the entire brigade to the city in 1898, during the

progress of the exposition. Regulating Stock Yards. Following is the language of Gov. Holcomb in returning house roll 263

without his approval: by the commission men at the stock yards, and am of the opinion that they are usually consistent, reasonable and fair. In my judgment the bill is of very doubtful constitutionality. It would seem that if the charges of the live stock commission men can be regulated by special enactment the law should be broad enough to control under its provisions commission men engaged in all other branches of business. This could only be successfully accomplished by creating a board of control to regulate prices so as not to work any person an injustice. I doubt the authority of the legislature to fix charges in such cases, especially where the business is open to competition and can be engaged in by any person desiring to do so. Under existing circumstances I do not feel that public interests would best be subserved by

existing circumstances I do subserved by public interests would best be subserved by the enactment of such a law and my ap-

Gathering Labor Statistics. The commissioner of labor has received the new blanks relating to the gathering of labor and Industrial statistics in the various precincts and counties of the state, and is busy sending them out to the county clerks. Under the head of "Labor Statistics" the blanks ask for an enumeration of the number of farm families in the county, total number of males in said families over 21 years of age, number of females over 21 years of age, number of men over 21 years of age employed in factories, number of women of the House yesterday received the over 21 years of age employed in factories, males under 21 years employed employed in factories, number of farm laborers in the county working for wages, number of men engaged in meand the average wages per day of all the above. Also the number of ministers, merchants, physicians, teachers, bankers and lawyers in the county. Statistics are also to be gathered to the number of farms, number of acres of farm land, number of acres culti-HONDURAS, April 23. -President Bon- vated to grain crops, the number of county and the number sold during the past year of horses, cattle, hogs, and sheep.

A Tramp Who Sought Death. A tramp was killed by the Union Pacific fast mail near Rogers, just within the border of Dodge county. Engineer Cunningham of the fast mail saw the man approaching the train and blew his whistle when within 100 dent to-day sent to the Senate feet of the man. The man did not hear the following nominations, among it or else had suicide intent, and did others: Harold M. Sewall of Maine, not get off the track. The engineer put on the brakes, but it was too late. The tramp was thrown fifty feet from the track and instantly killed. Both limbs and two ribs were broken bebe postmaster at Fort Smith, Ark.; sides receiving many bruises. It is John B. Kennedy to be postmaster at believed he took this means of ending

As a general thing the divide cattle

Hobson, the clerk of the courts of the poor quality of feed, says the Chap-Hamilton county, elected by the Re-publicans in 1895, who has been re-ed up the grass pretty thoroughly, and and in poor condition to with and storms, such as we had recently, and DAVENPORT, Iowa, April 23.-Louis it is feared that loss of this kin! of H. Rieck, treasurer of Davenport for eattle will be great. As a rule divide thirty years, has admitted to the Fi- cattle go through the winter in better nance committee of the new council condition than those kept in the value and thighs all lev. and spring finds them fat as is impossible. butter.

NEBRASKA NEWS.

Two of Fairbury's charehes are withat pastors. Gibbon, Shelton, Elm Creek and Baouns elected a license board at their Hage election.

Claus Wulff was run down by a special stock train near Blair and al-most instantly killed. Ex-Congressman George D. Meikle-

assistant secretary of war. County Judge Getts of Polk county, on trial charged with taking illegal fees, was declared not guilty.

At the recent session of the district court of Brown county there was not single criminal case on the docket. C. N. Manon, a farmer living four inlies west of Priend, was run over by a stalk cutter. One of his legs was saost severed by the kulves.

Mrs. John Quarry, of Polk county. was thrown to the ground by a run-iway feam and her skull broken. The fector says, however, she will recover. The marshal of Sterling feeds all ramps at public expense and then

conpels them to work on the streets square the account. They never cturtt. The next annual encampment of e Loup Valley veterans' association ill take place on Tuesday, Wednes

my and Thursday, August 10, 11 and 2 and not on dates previously aumanced. Mary Dvoracek, the fifteen-year-old aughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dvora-

k. a poor Bohemian family living in Paul, shot and fatally wounded her by sister while playing with an old evolver. The butter fakirs who operated in remont until the Tribune exposed

hem, have last been heard from at Sebraska City. They worked off but-er, one-half of the weight of which was water. The Kearney opera house company a executed a bill of sale to E. D.

ichardson of Cambridge, Ill., and to J. Lawrence of Malone, N. Y., for the opera house fixtures, the conderation being \$3,000. While in the barn holding a lantern thile her son was getting out hishorse. y another horse. Several teeth were

onscious for some time. While out hunting recently Mont heeler of Madison shot an eagle easuring about seven feet from tip to . The bird was not killed, its wing ing simply broken, and Wheeler has pes of preserving its life.

Kirschbraun & Sons of Auburn reently received 888 cases of eggs, every ne of which came from Nemaha unty. The above number of cases eens 26,640 dozen eggs at 6 cents per ozen and represents \$1.598.40. George Vocgeler, aged 45, was found dead in his bed in a room in Lincoln. He had been suffering from lung

roubles, and a violent hemorrhage which came on during the night apposed to have caused his death. Prof. Bruner of the department of tomology of the state university will spend a year in the Argentine Repub-ic to study the grasshopper plague. He has been called by the Argentine

authorities and will receive a handsome salary. The rainfall in southwestern Ne waska and northwestern Kansas has een sufficient te place the ground in irst-class condition for spring crops The farmers are encouraged over the prospects and are busily engaged in owing spring wheat.

Coroner Martin of Dodge county eld an inquest on the body of the unnown man who was run over and cilled by the fast mail near Rogers. On the body was found a slip of paper with the name Dave Powers, 606 East Second street, Chillicothe, O., written

A large barn, belonging to Charles Redient, a farmer living near Arborville, was destroyed by fire. Six valable horses and several sets of harness were consumed. The origin of he fire is a mystery, and the loss will be a heavy one, as the property was uninsured. Sheriff Kavanaugh of Platte county

ook John Rokus to the asylum for the nsane at Norfolk last week. Rokus is farmer, 30 years of age, and lived in Prairie township. His form of insanity seems to be a nervous disease and he i aunted by the strange hallucination that the people whom he sees are pur-suing him to take his life. It is thought a course of treatment may retore his reason. Hunters hunting along the Missouri

iver about nine miles southeast of ekamah, found the remains of a man ying partially buried in a sand bar. The remains were in a state of decom position so as to be almost past identiication, but from height, age and other indications it is thought to be the remains of a young man named ampson, who was drowned a few

niles above there last June. John L. Sturgeon, a farmer living ist on the edge of Columbus, marketed . 300 head of sheep the other day, which e had fed just sixty days and which rought him a profit of \$1,600, or a trifle ver \$1 per head. Mr. Sturgeon thinks his is a good way to dispose of 10-cent feeding stock in Platte county, as it is thought almost impossible to lose money on the transaction. It is said that one heavy feeder near that city

ock this winter. i thief entered the barn of George rner at Humboldt and stole a new et of harness. Mr. Turner missed them and immediately wired the chiefs f police at Lincoln and St. Joseph. The thief was overhauled at the latter | stery Goods. lace in a box car with the harness in

Fred Boldt, a farmer living four miles south of Wilcox, had five sets of rness and a saddle stolen. There ems to be a gang of thieves around that neighborhood. D. M. Conrad, of Holdrege, who was ound guilty of trying to kill his wife,

was sentenced to three years in the

enitentiary. A man by the name of Michael Berry was arrested in Red Cloud by heriff Runchey on information received by letter from the sheriff of Kingfisher county, Oklahoma. Berry sheriff telegraphed to hold him until e could come with requisition papers V. Fiala, an old resident of Omaha. suicided last week by shooting himself

tragic ending.

Richard Pardue, a lad 18 years old. residing near Beaver Crossing, was brown against a barbed wire fence a runaway team and sustained horble injuries of the face and neck. Bennie Shavey, aged 8, and August Fertzeel, aged 13, both residing a few miles north of Elmwood, were hand ling a loaded shotgun when it accidentally went off, the whole charge striking young Sharvey, tearing his back and thighs all to pieces. His recovery

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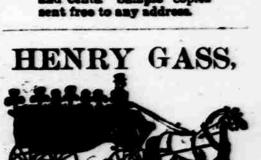
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