When the senate met on the 28th it

"Resolved, That the attorney general

be and is hereby requested to furnish

to this body a full report of the status

of all litigation now pending in the

courts to recover from the bondsmen of

defaulting state officers, together with

the names of such bondsmen and the

depository banks and the names of the

The following bills were passed: S.

F. 214, 212, 211, 281, 238, 287, 266, 240,

S. F. 211, 212 and 214 are bills to pro-

thorities power to purchase the neces-

sary tools.

189, 43, 192 and 271;

er repealing clause.

elective officers.

was passed

fifteen against.

motion carried.

vote of 18 to 10.

priation bills.

mended to pass.

unconstitutional.

propriation bill.

and the bill was passed.

the 29th was a busy one.

for school district purposes.

day in factories, hotels, etc.

S. F. 176 was passed with the emerg-

ency clause. It provides for insurance

S. F. 330, to refund precinct bonds,

puty state officers, was likewise ap-

for the submission of an amendment to

the voters again to amend the consti-

preme court judges, for general file

pended and the bill ordered engrossed

not prevail, eleven voting in favor and

The morning session of the senate on

The investigation resolution of Sen-

ator Giffert was the first order of busi-

ness. His motion provided for the ap-

of Douglas and Rocke of Lancaster

county as a committee to investigate

the state officers, including the judges

The clerk of the house reported the

passage of the following bills by that

body: S. F. 127, 151, 93, 97, 144, 145,

The committee on revenue recom-

third reading. It is Senator Currie's

bill relating to the disposal of property

upon which taxes are delinquent. The

At this juncture Spahn of Nuckolls

moved that the sifting committee be

requested to advance H. R. 331, the

McCarthy anti-trust bill, aiming espe-

cially at the live stock exchange of

South Omaha, to the head of the gen-

Noyes of Douglas moved that H. R.

363 the Myers bill providing for com-

pulsory education, be advanced to

Schaal of Sarpy moved that H. R

H. R. 264, to appropriate \$35,000 to

H. R. 191, the Weaver insurance

of 29 to 1, Prout of Gage alone voting

"no," explaining his vote as due :o

passage of the following bills by the

H. R. 297, to appropriate \$2,500 for

S. F. 350, to provide for the fore-

The senate went into committee of

That part providing for a chief clerk

Under commissioner of labor the

was raised from \$1,200 to 1,500.

mended S. F. 350, to be engrossed for

150; H. R. 385, 392, 292, 466 and 159.

of the supreme court and the secretary

sureties on such depository bonds."

suspension of the rules:

## RESTING AFTER BATTLE GETTING TROOPS HOME. Thirteen Thousand Returned from Cuba

American Soldiers Lounging in Fillipino Capital.

### GREAT ACMIEVEMENTS OF TROOPS.

ing-Unite a Number of Casualties in the Regiment-Montana Men Substill tute Stars and Stripes for Fillipino Fing-Insurgents Losing Heaft.

MANILA, April 1.-'the American flag was raised over Malolos at 10 b'clock yesterday. The Kansas regiment and the Montana regiment, on entering the city, found it deserted, the presidencia burning and the rebels retreating towards the mountains in a state of terror. It is believed they cannot in future make even a faint

The American loss was small. It is evident that the rebels for some time past have abandoned all hope of holding their capital, for the Americans found there evidences of elabors ate preparations for evacuation. On the railroad the rais and ties for about . mile had been torn up and probably thrown into the river. The prisoners captured were a few Chinamen. They said Aguinaldo left Malolos on Wed-

The principal citizens of Malolos, their families and goods have been taken into the country over the railroad, while others have departed on foot, carrying their possessions and driving their cattle and other animals before them.

Most of the rebel forces were removed to positions east of the railroad, leaving only some small bands in the strong trenches in front of Ma-

General MacArthur started for the rebel capital at 7 o'clock in the morning with two rapid firing guns flanking the track, two guns of the Utah battery on the right and two guns of the Sixth artillery on the left of the rapids, firing continuously.

The Kansas and Montana regiments ka and Pennsylvania regiments and the Third artillery kept along the right of the railroad

The only effective stand made by the rebels was at a bamboo and earthwork, half a mile from Malolos, and on the right, where the Nebraska regiment, as was the case yesterday, had the hardest work and suffered the greatest loss Colonel Funston, always at the

front, was the first man in Malolos followed by a group of dashing Kens

The Filipino flag, which was flying from the center of the town, was hauled down by some of the Montana regiment, who triumphantly raised their own above it.

From the column of smoke arising from the city it seemed as if the whole place was ablaze. It turned out, however, that only the presidencia, or government building, and a few of the smaller buildings had been set on fire by the repels before they evacuated

From the reports gathered by the American officers, from prisoners and others, it is believed that the rebel army is constantly losing strength on account of desertions, and that although the enemy may make one or two more stands, the forces of Aguinaldo will disintegreate, in perhaps a month, to a few hundreds, who may continue waging guerrilla warfare in

The American troops behaved splendidly. They advanced steadily against successive lines of trenches, through woods and jungles and suffering from frightful heat. In addition the American volun-

teers were handicapped in fighting by the fact that their Springfield rifles are of shorter range than the Mauser rifles in the hands of the rebels. Under those circumstances the steady advance of our troops is a really remarkable achievement. The victorious American army is

feasting on cocoanuts and bananas and enjoying a well earned rest, while the hospital train is carrying the wounded back to Manila. FIRST NEBRASKA CASUALTIES.

Following is a list of casualties in the First Nebraska: Killed-PRIVATE MILTON LYNDE. Company A. York: PRIVALE WILL-IAM ORR, Company A. York: JAMES

H. WHITMORE, Company L. Omaha. Wounded-First Sergeant Vickers, Company A, groin, severe; Private Roy Campbell, Company A, leg. moderate; Private Henry Heckman, Company G, thigh, severe; Private Otto Kastenberger, Company H. shoulder. slight; Private Jack L. Beach, Company H, forearm, slight. Wounded, March 30: -Sergeant Hugh

Clapp, Company D, thigh, severe; Sergeant Robert McConnell, Company H, breast, slight; Private Herbert H. Barber, Company A. wrist, thigh and buttock, severe; Private William Logsden, Company G, chest, severe; Private George R. Bommer, Company G. forearm, slight; Private Lyvners Durham, Company G, chest, severe; Private Bert S. Watts, Company G, thigh, slight; Private Herbert Hodges, Company D. leg, slight; Private Eric Newfeldt, Company D. thigh and shoulder, severe; Private John E. Davis, Company G, hand, slight; Private Claude N. Chenowith, Company G, thigh, slight; Private Llyod Spottenstein, Company H, severe; Private Edward Private John C. Marshall, Company H. ant Alfred Aloe of the Eighteenth leg slight; Private Walter A. Edfritz, United States infantry was in comarm, severe; Private Roy Duncan, mand of sixty-six recruits, a number Company H, leg, slight.

Election Contests Filed Early. WASHINGTON, April 1.-The clerk

of the house of representatives is beginning to receive installations of the testimony in contested election cases, which will come up for consideration at the next session of congress. Thus far the most of the testimony has been from the contestants.

Probably the most important cases will be those of Dockery against Bellamy, in the Sixth North Carolina district, and Walker against Rhea in the Ninth Virginia district. In the elections in both these districts, incidents subsequent thereto have been attended

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Evidence has been filed from other districts as follows: Fourth, Alabama, Aldrich against Robbins: Eighth. Kentucky, Davidson against Gilbert; Eleventh, Kentucky, White against Boering; Ninth, Nort. Carolina, Pearson against Crawford; Second, Virgin- her way to Manila: ia, Wise against Young.

Edward Wise, who is awaiting sentence of death for the murder of Charles E. Beasley in New York last November, has almost at the last moment declared that another man committed the murder. The police are | The miser who is able (but unwill-

During the Month of March. WASHINGTON; April 1:-So far during the month of March 13.000 troops have been landed in the United States from Cuba. This work has required especial expeditionary measures on the part of the quarantine service, but so far all the requirements made upon the service have been met. The war department has exercised unusual haste because of the desire to avoid the necessity of compliance with the order of the treasury department requiring the assinfection of all the baggage of returning troops and their equipment prior to entry. This has been successfully accomplished by the co-operation of the Marine hospital service and the quartermaster general's

office without an exception. The arrival of transports at southern ports has been so arranged as to permit the disinfection of baggage without causing undue detention of troops. Transports carrying troops were sent in accordance with this arrangement to the quarantine stations at Dry Tortugas and at Blackbeard island and to the Florida state quarantine station at Tampa and the city quarantine station at Savannah, Ga. Marine hospital surgeons were sent to all these points to expedite the business, but Colonel Bellinger, quartermaster of the war department, is in general charge of the work. The marine hospital service also has furnished addttional disinfecting machinery for the work. All told about 1,000 tons of baggage has been desinfected during the month and no baggage was allowed to

evade that duty, although some efforts were made in that direction. A report has been received at the war department from Major Penrose of the Utah regiment, now a brigade surgeon at Manila. It is dated February 15, but contains no information regarding the fighting that had been going on about Manila. The details related mainly to the sickness and health conditions of the brigade. There were some malaria and some smallpox cases, but the brigade had evidently not been engaged in any fighting, as note ing was said about casualties. This brigade was about three and a half

miles outside of Manila and stretched from Pasig to Manila bay. Surgeon Penrose said their meals were cooked a day. The food was excellent and there was no complaint among the

Plan of Fillipines Failed. WASHINGTON, April 1.-A copy of the Japanese Times of February 12. published at Tokio, has been received here. It contains an interview with an American named Crocker, who may be Prof. Crocker of Columbia college, who was an eye-witness of the first two days' fighting about Manila, which began February 5.

He indicates that the Filipinos in the city undoubtedly contemplated rising en masse, but failed to carry out the plan of cooperation with those in arms outside of the city. He says if the rebels had destroyed

the water supply of the city it would have entailed great hardship upon the Americans, and attributes their failure to do so to their regard for the well-being of the Filipines in the city, "During the fighting," says Mr. Crocker, "Aguinaldo, who is supposed to be at Malolos, communicated with Dewey. He sent him a message, in which he said, 'For God's sake, stop the firing,' and disclaiming all responsibility in connection with the startnaldo is now accepting the situation. resigning and washing his hands of the whole affair, but I do not think he will do so. The opinion is that

it was not Aguinaldo who precipitated this thing, but his followers whom he could not control." Mr. Crocker left Manila while the fighting was still in progress and his estimates of the casualties are very wild. He says there were from 5,000 | deputies as follows: to 10,000 Filipinos killed and wounded. and tells of the terrific destruction wrought by the shells from our war

and sometimes fifty natives at a time." No Troops to Be Sacrificed. WASHINGTON, April 1.-It is said at the War department that General Otis will not make a campaign during the rainy season, nor is it believed that he will at present chase the Filipinos into the mountain fastnesses of Luzon. The officials consider it evident that the fight that was in Aguinaldo has been whipped out of him and it is believed he cannot hold the Filipino army together much longer. If Otis advises the War department

will approve a cessation of active hos-

tilities or further forward movement.

The Cabinet Meeting. WASHINGTON, April 1.-In the absence of late news from Samoa or the Philippines the cabinet meeting was devoted to other matters. The Nicaragua-Panama canal commission was discussed informally and it is the belief of the cabinet that the present Nicaragua commission, of which Aumiral Waller is the head, will be reappointed with probably two additional members. The czar's peace conference was not mentioned.

Carried Nurses and Coffins. SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.-The transport steamer Charles Nelson has sailed for Manila. She had 900 tens | slight changes in the present law, was of freight, which is to be equally di- recommended to pass. vided between the commissary and the ipany H. thigh, slight; quartermaster's departments. Lieutenof whom are for the hospital corps.

Alger Reaches Cienfuegos. CIENFUEGOS, Cuba, April 1.-(Via Havana.)-The secretary of war, Gen-Russell A. Alger, and his party, arrived here at 6 o'clock last evening, with a cavalry and infantry escort. He went to the residence of General Bates, the commander of the department of Santa Clara, where a reception was held this evening, at which

There is more nonsense under the ate. head of "literature" thany any other head we know anything about.

the American officers of the district

were present.

Relief Reaches Colombo WASHINGTON, April 1.-Surgeon General Sternberg today received this cable from Major Bradley, in charge of the hospital ship Relief, now on "Colombo, March 31.-Arrived in good condition. All are well. Will proceed early tomorrow. Will arrive Singapore April 6. BRADLEY."

A high ideal is a standing invitation to reach a more exalted position.

## The Week in The Legislature.

When the senate met on the 24th not prevail. standing committee reports were numerous, as follows: H. R. 297; to bill in compliance with the governor's pass; S. F. 266 and 291, to pass; A. R. special message: S. F. 355, to provide 251, to pass with amendments; S. F. 330, 331, 247 and 288, no recommenda-

Hocke of Lancaster offered the following resolution: "Whereas, during the early portion of this session resolutions were adopted by the senate which reflected on Colo- rent funds of the state and on bonds nel John M. Stousenburg of the First given as security therefore and to pro-

Nebraska regiment at Manila, and vide for the creation of a board to requesting his recall from command make such settlements. thereof: and "Whereas, such resolutions were adopted without any hearing on the part or in behalf of said Colonel, and in the light of recent information as reading and passage before the special to his conduct in battle and command of the regiment, those resolutions seem to do the colonel an injustice; there-

"Resolved. That the resolutions above referred to be rescinded and wholly expunged from the records of uis body. The resolution failed to carry and

was laid over one day. The following bills were passed: F. 91, by Noyes, making the Friday nearest the middle of May "Bird day;" S. F. 299, the Talbot concurrent recolution relating to money due the state educational fund from the sale of the Pawnee reservation by the government; S. F. 99, relating to the issuance | 201, 284, 319, 249, 172. of teachers' certificates by county superintendents, and S. F. 213, by Newell. fixing printers' fees. S. F. 38 was recommitted to correct

errors in engrossment. The sifting committee reported the S. F. 264, as follows: H. R. 240, S. F. Troop K. 304, H. R. 191, S. F. 231, 184, 319, 338, 302, 176, 238, 249.

H. R. 501, the general appropriation bill, was given its first reading. In the afternooh . albot of Lancaster moved that the printers of the blue book be instructed to furnish 200 copies to the secretary of the senate. He said his motion was in accordance with a of child labor. resolution passed early in the session. the motion prevailed by a light vote. in committee of the whole S. F. 211 and 212, relating to roads, were recomnended to pass.

The senate was in session all day on

Standing committees reported H. R. 390 to appropriate money belonging to the State Normal School library fund for the purchase of books for the library, to pass, and 418, appropriating \$5,000 to build a standpipe for fire protection and lighting repairs, and to furnish the chapel at the State Normal school, to pass. H. H. 560 was indefinitely postponed. Steele of Jefferson moved that all appropriation bills be made a special

motion prevailed. Canaday of Kearney moved to nonconcur in the report of the railroad committee on H. R. 560. The bill proing of the trouble. Dewey, however, of transportation may draw up their vides that the secretaries of the board refused compliance, and I think Agui- own complaints against railroads and try the charges made under them, "There was some talk of Aguinaldo while the present law only gives them power to try complaints that third parties file with them. The motion

order for Tuesday at 10 o'clock. His

prevailed. S. F. 302, fixing the salaries of the deputy state officers beginning with the governor's private secretary, was under consideration when the committee arose at noon. The bill fixes the annual salaries of state officers

Governor's private secretary, \$2,000; deputy secretary of state, \$1,600; deputy auditor, \$1,600; deputy treasurer, ships. The shells from the Monad- \$1,700; deputy attorney general, \$1,800; nock, he says, killed "twenty, thirty, deputy and land commissioner, \$1,600. Fowler of Filmore offered an amendment to cut down the governor's secretary to \$1,600 per annum, the deputy pointment of Prout of Gage, Van Dusen treasurer to \$1,600 and the deputy attorney general to \$1,600.

The amendment reducing the secretary's salary was lost, Fowler and Prout alone voting in favor of it. The treasurer amendment was also lost. The committee was discussing the amendment to cut down the deputy attorney general's salary when the committee arose. Reynolds of Dawes offered an amendment making his salary

S. F. 238. J. Sterling Morton's forestry bill: S. F. 240, relating to the Institute for Feeble Minded at Beatrice, and S. F. 330, to refund precinct bonds were all recommended to pass. The clerk of the house announced the passage of S. F. 203, 136, 135, 117, 96, 119, 124, 143, 18, with amendments, 113 and 238; H. R. 254 and 289. Senator Talbot moved that the sen- eral file. His motion prevailed by a ate concur in the house amendments to S. F. 18 which carried.

In the senate on the 27th S. F. 249, third reading. His motion prevailed the Barry reorganization bill, was remammended to pass with amendments conforming with the national reorganization of the army. S. F. 266, requiring railroad and telegraph companies to list their property with the auditor for taxation, making

H. R. 362, the bill to locate the state fair permanently at Lincoln, was recommended to pass with an amendment making it obligatory upon Lincoln to purchase the site. H. R. 43, a curative act affecting the

adultery law of the state, was recommerded to pass. H. R. 189, relating to the annual levy for school purposes, was recommended to pass. The senate non-concurred in the report on S. F. 323, and it was indefinite-

ly postnoned. The following bills were passed: H. R. 390, H. R. 418 and S. F. 338. H. R. 418 provides for the building house: S. F. 125, 126, 129, 153, 155, 151, of a standpipe at the Peru Normal 156, 58, 80, 79, and H. R. 603, 600 and school for lighting extensions and furnishing the new library, the bill to erect which has not yet passed the sen- the Horticultural society, was passed by a vote of 27 to 2.

S. F. 338 is the Prout revenue commission bill, one member to be appoint- closure of tax liens, was passed by a ed by the governor, one by the senate vote of 26 to 1. and one by the house of representa-

In the afternoon the senate reconsidered the passage of H. R. 418, which had been passed without consideration in governor was raised from \$1,000 to committee of the whole. It was re- \$1,200 per annum. turned to the general file. The senate went into committee of the whole with Allen of Furnas in the

chair, to consider the special order, H. in the adjutant's office with a salary of R. 191, the Weaver insurance bill. \$1,000 per year, was stricken out. The entire afternoon was spent in the discussion of the bill and amendments. stenographer was cut out, salary \$500 At 5:30 p. m. Prout of Gage moved per annum.

The salary of the deputy secretary of H. R. 254, amending section 6, title receivers of stolen property, was passed place, owing to the passage of the to 16.

> The salary of the deputy superin-\$1,500 to \$1,600 per year. The committee on public lands and Senator Crow offered the following buildings reported H. R. S. appropriat- to the Frst regiment at Manila; passed of meritorious claims with what they ing \$30,000 to build a new wing at the 29 to 0.

Hastings asylum, for indefinite postfor the settlement and compromise of claims due the state of Nebraska from curred in and the bill was placed on les; passed 68 to 12. persons heretofore holding offices of general file state treasurer and auditor of public accounts and sureties or their official bonds and for moneys due from banks In the Senate on the 30th H. R. 418. designated as depositories of the curto appropriate \$5,000 to build a stand- joint tenants; passed, pipe and repair the heating and lighting apparatus at the Peru Normal, was

passed by a vote of 26 to 2. build a library building at the Peru third reading. Normal, was defeated. was decided to take up bills on third In making up the mitrutes the secretary of the senate discovered that H R. 363 and 517, which were passed yes-Prout of Gage offered the following terday, had not been read on three diff- all buildings four stories or over, exresolution, which was adopted under

erent days, required by the constitu- cept those used as private residences. tion. They were put on their passage to be provided with one or filtre metalagain and passed. the whole to consider H. R. 444, with vote of 74 to 2. Owens of Dawson in the chair. The following amendments prevailed:

amounts of indebtedness; also the amounts due the state from insolvent \$500 to \$1,000 carried. His attention to \$.

law prevailed. New insurance department, deputy list of bills for advancement, following of the three Nebraska regiments and partment was under the auditor the 14 and all persons over the age of 14 mended for passage. The clerk of the house announced \$1,000. The motion to add a stenograph- lish language to attend some public or to change the districts according to the the passage of H. R. 610, the bill to er at \$800 failed, the senate believing private school or schools in the state, number of population, was recommend-The senate and not concur in the purchase a residence for the governor the clerk at \$1,200 could also be a ste- and to provide penalties for the viola- ed for passage. report on S. F. 288, and .. was indefi- by that body. House rolls on first and nographer. It was provided that \$350 tion, was passed by a vote of 67 to 3. | S. F. 41, by Senator Currie of Custer, be appropriated to pay the insurance H. R. 362, to locate the state fair deputy in the auditor's office during priating \$3,214.86 for the relief of public high schools of nonresidents, and permanently at Lincoln, passed by a the three months before the Weaver

Other house rolls passed were: 68, the clerk. Milford Soldiers' Home, surgeon's H. R. 68 relates to the employment salary raised to \$480 per annum, instead of \$400. Steward and nurse added, \$240. H. R. 189 relates to the annual levy Beatrice Institute for the Feeble Minded, superintendent's salary raised H. R. 43 is a curative act legalizing from \$1,800 to \$2,000; salary of five that section of the criminal code re- teachers reduced from \$600 to \$560 each. lating to adultery by attaching a prop-The following appropriation bills were recommended for passage: H. R. 192 prohibits the employment H. R. 296, Lincoln Asylitm addition, of any female longer than ten hours a \$40,000; H. R. S. Hastings Asylum ad-

dition, \$30,000; H. R. 336, Beatrice In-H. R. 271 is the barber bill, provid- stitute, \$48,000; H. R. 538, Institute for ing a barber's commission and requir- Blind, Nebraska City, \$6,000; H. R. 280, Deaf and Dumb Institute, Omaha, \$25,-S. F. 231, the charter bill, affecting 000; H. R. 275, Deaf and Dumb Insticities of the first class having less than tute, Omaha, \$7,700; H. R. 421, Jansen 25,000 population, was passed. The pure food bill, \$5,000; H. R. 9, Hastings important change is the addition Asylum, sundry improvements, \$15,000; of a tax commissioner to the list of total, \$176,700.

In the house on the 24th of the bills brokers to write policies in companies referred to H. R. 599 was the bill to not authorized to do business in this pay the claims for books for the state library; 600 and 603 were to pay miscellaneous claims; 267 and 334 were the sugar bounty bills, and 370 was the 8. F. 302, fixing the salaries of all de- chicory bounty bill.

H. R. 501, the general appropriation bill, was placed on third reading and The committee on constitutional passed by a vote of 78 to 8. Those amendments reported S. F. 354, the voting against the bill were Bower, Schaal concurrent resolution providing Caw hra, Grosvenor, McCracken, Menninger, Morrison Peck and Shore. The sifting committee made a new tution by increasing the number of su- report, advancing 1. R. Cos, 600, 599. 510, 273, 315, 412, 314, 225, 259, 230, without recommendation. Canaday of 141, 439 and 463. The report also Kearney moved that the rule be sus- recommended H. R. 385 and 392, the Omaha charter amendments, to be en- was read and the roll was called on for a third reading. His motion did grossed for third reading.

the latter part of the report H. R. against. have a bill engrossed for a third read- sion bill, a bill creating a food commising, and the Rouse amendment were sion, defining its duties and powers and are now in the hands of receivers, out of order. The balance of the report of the officers and agents thereof; regu- against the bondsmen of which prowas adopted.

The house went into committee of to consider bills on the sifting file. saloon keepers to give guaranty bonds, was amended so as to compel all saloon keepers to give guaranty bonds and was then recommended for passage. H. R. 424, the Wheeler bill to permit the purchase of school lands by persons who ..e.! leases on the same prior to January 1, 185., was next taken up. An amendment by Hicks to include university lands was adopted. of 71 to 2. h. R. 347, by Fisher, for an act to create a state registry of brands and marks for live stock and a state brand and mark committee was recommended

for passage without discussion. H. R. 303, by Israel, was taken up and the committee abstitute discussed. The bill provides for the et ablishment and maintenance of the experimental stations located by act of the legislature of 1891 at Culbertson, Gordon and state board of a riculture.

McCarthy moved to strike out the was adopted. said the members from Douglas and Emerson. If the state was going to adopted.

and reported. build a library at Perue, was recom- H. R. 10 be not concurred in, but tast items were allowed. tne bill be indefinitely postponed and | The committee amendment allowing demanded a roll call, which resulted, the secretary of the irrigation board mutual insurance associations may isbill, was placed upon its third read- 32 ayes and 56 nays, a majority of the \$1,445.75 was cut to \$500. ing and passage. It passed by a vote members being in favor of buying a The deficiency claims for printing and contents, country churches and house for the governor. Myers moved that H. R. 517, which \$5,800 were allowed.

The clerk of the house reported the H. R. 414, ov Tanner of Nance, to tion of saloon licerses, was taken up, and Wheeler of Furnas moved that it be recommended for passage. Lane of the Insane, \$2,106; Institute for the and marshal to the elective list. Lancaster moved to amend that the Blind, \$1,838.39. bill be indefinitely postponed. The motion prevailed. H. R. 240, providing that the Omaha

board of education shall annually fix the levy for school purposes, and The salary of the stenographer of the levied, was recommended to pass. The salary of the adjutant general ing bills were taken up under the order was passed. of bills on third reading:

by a vote of 71 to 6. S. F. 136, making dogs personal of 69 to 6. looking for this man. They refuse ing) to relieve want, is truly a miser- port progress and ask leave to sit the bookkeeper of the secretary of tual fire insurance law; passed, 59 to trees, was passed.

state was raised from \$1,500 to \$1,600. 2, civil code, and providing that there by a vote of 71 to 3. In the auditor's office the office of shall be no limitation to the time bond clerk at \$1,000 per year was within which counties or municipal the amendment of pleadings, was stricken out, also the office of insurance corporations may begin an action passed commissioner and insurance clerk were for the recovery of the title of pos- S. F. stricken out, to be placed some other session of roads or streets; passed, 61

tendent of instruction was raised from to furnish surety company bonds; stricken out by a vote of 54 to 30. Sevpassed, 52 to 28. S. F. 298, the resolution of thanks against the bill because of the mixture

S. F. 18, authorizing the organizapohement. The same was non-con- tion of mutual surety bond compan- \$914.77 to pay for books and supplies S. F. 113, permitting imprisonment only ien votes against it. The senate had an evening session, at hard labor for fines and costs; H. R. 500, the deficiency appropriation

S. F. 124, to prevent the careless setting out of fires; passed. H. R. 363, the Myers compulsory H. R. 264, appropriating \$35,000 to education bill, was advanced to a Monday afternoon.

H. R. 318, by Flynn, an act requiring lie or stair fire escapes, ladders or The senate went into committee of stairs from each story, was passed by a

Girls' Industrial school at Geneva, half of the road funds in cities of the matron's salary raised from \$600 to metropolitan and first-class in the hands of the city council to be used unthe salaries of the superintendent from boulevards, was passed by a vote of 69

was called to the law definitely fixing H. R. 194, by Tanner, a bill appropri- an act to provide for the registration, the salary at \$800, and he was com- ating \$500 for the relief of Cyrus Baker leasing, selling and general managevide better roads and give public au- pelled to move a reconsideration. The of Nance county, who was injured in the ment of the educational land of the passed by a vote of 64 to 9.

insurance deputy got \$1,200 and clerk and under 18 who cannot read the Eng- | S. F. 22, by Senator Noyes of Douglas, by Murray, an act appro-Thurston county and further appro- to provide for expense thereof, was bill goes into effect, and also \$250 for priating \$2,584.28 for the relief of Dix- recommended to pass. on and Cuming counties, was passed by S. F. 137, by Senator McCargar, to a vote of 58 to 11. H. R. 517, by Myers, fixing the bound-

aries of Sarpy county, was passed by a vote of 67 to 3. H. R. 347, by Fisher, an act creating a state registry of brands and marks, a S. F. 133, by Senator Arends, changstate brand and marks upon live stock, was passed by a vote of 63 to 9. A motion to go into the committee of the whole demanded a roll call and more, amending section 1036, Code of

H. R. 303, by Israel of Dundy, an act maintenance of the experimental staof 1891 at Culbertson, Gordon and Ogalalla, and appropriating the sum of \$30,-000 for the same, the money to be expended under the direction of the state the committee on S. F. 41 be not conboard of agriculture, was recommended for indefinite postponment, with hardly a dissenting vote.

food commission, defining its powers and duties and of the officers and agents thereof; regulating the manufacture and sale of foods, including "imitation butter" and "imitation cheese" and dairy products; providing for a system of reports, inspection and permits, and fixing fees for the same; providing penalties for violations, and making an annual appropriation of \$5,000 for carrying the act into enect, was recommended for passage, sections 5 and 11 being striken out and many other minor amendments being made.

In the house on the 28th H. R. 366 the Wilcox bill to redistrict the state, the passage of the bill, when the vote Rouse of Hall moved to include in was counted it stood 31 for and 64

The chair held that the report, to H. R. 421, by Jansen, the food commis- sum of money, from depository banks lating the manufacture and sale of ceedings have been commenced by the food, including "imitation butter" and attorney general. In some instances the whole, with Jansen in the chair, "imitation cheese" and dairy products; judgments have been obtained against providing for a system of reports, in- the bondsmen, but, as too often hap-H. R. 289, by Burman, permitting spection and permits, and fixing fees for pens when such judgments are pushed, the same; providing penalties for vio- it is found that property has been selations and making an annual appro- questered or so covered up that nothpriation of \$5,000 for carrying the act ing can be collected by the state. into effect, was passed by a vote of 87 The state also has claims against

viding for the repairing of temporary whom suits are now pending. Many of plank and board sidewalks in cities of these claims could be compromised if the second class, was passed by a vote there was any authority vested in any H. R. 159, by Armstrong, an act apthereby a great deal of money could be

Josephus W. Bush, was passed by a will be a total loss. tote of 66 to 14. H. R. 600, by the committee on deficiencies, an act making an appropria- you crez e a commission whose duty tion for the payment of miscellaneous it shall be to make full settlement items of indebtedness owing by the state, came up. Committee amendments allowed the Milford Soldiers' home \$1,724.34 for deficiencies to April Ogalalla and appropriating the sum of 1, and \$531.36 "estimated deficiencies" \$30,000 for the same, the money to for visiting and examining board. An be expended under direction of the amendment by Clark of Lancaster struck out the latter item and the other

name Ogalalla wherever it occurs in A number of small items of deficien-517 be advanced to third reading. He the measure and substituting the name cies for the auditor's office were himself had agreed upon this, as the spen money on experiments he be- An amendment to the printed bill I trust to your good judgment, both as

line between Douglas and Sarpy coun- part of the state, where agriculture as matron of the Kearney institution, the manner of appointing them. ties. His motion carried and the bill is more of a success under present \$166.10 for fuel and \$321.61 for other methods of farming. The amendment items. A discussion on this amend-The senate then went into commit- failed. Before consideration of the ment developed the fact that a matron tee of the whole to consider the appro- bill was finished the committee arose for the institution never was provided for and the item of \$600 was unauthor-Pollard moved that the report on ized. It was striken out and the other

various state reports amounting to contents, country parsonages and conhis belief that the bill was entirely defines the boundary of Sarpy county, A claim for \$2,558.60 for salary of be advanced to third reading. It was grain inspector was presented as an amendment but was voted down. Amendments to the printed bill alchange the law relating to the publica- lowing the following amounts were law relative to cities of the second

> Another claim of salary for a grain spector amounting to \$5,640 was de-

the whole on H. R. 444, the salary ap- making it imperative upon the city took up bills on third reading and H. there has been some contention be The first thing on the 29th the house council to provide for the amount so R. 292, by Lane of Lancaster, amend- tween the Catholics and the Luthering the law regarding the grading of ans. The substitute that was finally streets, repairs of viaducts and regu- adopted was drawn by State Superin-In the house on the 25th the follow- lation of railway crossings in cities, S. F. 127, the amendment to the Lin-

S. F. 203, making the offices of city coln charter, was passed by a vote of sects. marshal and city attorney elective in 69 to 13. H. R. 392, by Detweiler, procities of over 5,000 inhabitants; passed viding for the election of police judge in the city of Omaha, passed by a vote S. F. 144, by Prout, to prevent the damaging or cutting down of shade

S. F. 93, a curative bill, relating to

126, 125, 58 and 80, all curative bills, Weaver bill.

The smary of the deputy auditor was raised from \$1,500 to \$1,600 per year.

The salary of the deputy auditor was the relief of Nebraska City; faired to bill, which carries an appropriation of pass, 42 to 36. H. R. 289, requiring saloon keepers ing and pas passed with the emergency eral members recorded themselves

> termed a "plain steal." H. R. 599, appropriating the sum of for the state library, was passed with

bill, was passed. The claims provided S. F. 119, relating to action against for amount to \$30,669.41. A large number of senate bilis were read the second time and referred to

H. R. 210, by Burman, providing for the government, regulation, examina tion, reporting and reorganizing the The house adjourned to 2 o'clock business of building and loan associations, was passed.

In the house on the 30th standing committees reported to the general file S. F. 249, 201, 213, 216, 284, 287, 330, 275, 247, 257, 187, 199, 137, 170 and 302, In committee of the whole S. F. 160. Prout's bill to appoint a commission to H. R. 621, by Detweiler, an act codify the statutes, was indefinitely amending the tax law and putting one. postponed without debate, by a vote of

3. F. 202, requiring county treasurers to deposit funds in the banks of the Milford Industrial Home, sewing der the direction and control of the county on an interest rate agreed upon teacher at \$240 per annum added. A board of park commissioners in the between the treasurer and the banks, Motion by Talbot of Lancaster raising improvement of the park roads and said funds to be subject to check, was indefinitely postponed. S. F., by Senator Reynolds of Dawes

discharge of his duties as sheriff, was state; to provide for collection of rental. Interest an principal payments S. F. 281 provides for the purchase of commissioner of insurance, \$1,600 per 4,016 medals to decorte the volunteers annum; clerk, \$1,200. When this de-

an act to provide free attendance a

provide for a lien for accounts due for threshing grain, or shelling corn, and to provide for the recording and foreclosure of the same, was recommended for passage.

ing the time of election of village trus

tees, was recommended for passage. S. F. 63 by Senator Fowler of Fil-Cival Procedure, relating to appraising the value of property not to exceed to provide for the establishment and \$200, was recommended for passage. S. F. 12, by Senator Miller, to protions located by act of the legislature hibit the platting of encumbered land into city, town or village lots, was reccommended to pass. Olmsted's motion that the action of

engrossed for third reading. Mr. Fisher moved that the commit H. R. 421, by Jansen, an act creating tee's report on S. F. 287 be not concurred in and that the bill be engrossed for third reading. The motion was car ried by a vote of 41 to 37. Standing committees reported S. F.

302, 231 and 338 tothe general file and indefinitely postponed S. F. 91, 319, 172, 279 and 266. The sifting committee reported that the following bills be advanced to third reading: S. F. 41, 302, 176, 131, 231, 211, 212, 214, 61, 35, 277 and 338.

Message by the Governor. The governor sent the following message to both branches of the legisla-

To the Members of the Legislature: It has been brought to my attention that there are due the state of Nebraska quite a large number of claims for Bills on third reading were taken up. various amounts, aggregating a large which have failed and whose anairs

the bondsmen of ex-state officials H. R. 466, by Weaver, an act pro- whose accounts are in arreast, against officer to make such compromises and propriating \$491.90 for the relief of saved to the state which otherwise

In view of these facts I would recommend to your honorable body that with any or all bondsmen and the state are now pending or are about to be commenced; that this commission be by the acceptance of money, real estate or other property in payment in full r in part and that in every case the atterney general shall be the counsel for the commission in behalf of the

bill related to leating the boundary lieved it should be used in the eastern was presented allowing Mrs. Hoxie \$600 to the number of commissioners and W. A. POYNTEP

> Approved by the Governor. The following acts have been approved by the governor:

S. F. 135, by Holbrook, providing that tents, town halls and contents. S. F. 136, by Crow, making dogs personal property and their owners liable for any damage they may do. adopted: Omaha Deaf and Dumb In- class having more than 5,000 inhabitstitute, \$1,371.95; Lincoln Hospital for ants by adding the offices of attorney

> Compulsory Education Bill Passes. H. R. 363, which passed the house al most unanimously on the 27th, was the compulsory education bill over which tendent Jackson and was entirely agreed upon by the Catholics and the Lutherans, being satisfactory to both

A dry sandwich that is convenient for the 5 o'clock tea tray has for a filling shaved ginger and orange peel Sugar preserved ginger and candied orange peel are used for this purpose, spread between buttered slices of broad S. F. 145, a curative bill relating to cut in oblong and circular shapes.

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