News in Brief

Five stores and a hotel were destroved by fire at Tishamingo, I. T. list of the French army has just celebrated his 100th birthday.

Chicago women are told that if they would be fashionable they must cultivate the "hour-glass" figure.

A young man was arrested in New

with heart weakness

from an attack of gout.

the composer's sister. probably the goal of the race.

the Union Pacific, has been offered the \$100,000 a year task of directing the work on the Panama canal.

special rates for the coming convention of the National Educational Association A portrait in oil of the late James

in the committee room of Representa-

An Italian cruiser arrived at San Domingo with orders to seize the custom house unless the treaty with America is found to protect Italian

President Fairbanks, according to report, is to be launched at the coming banquet of the Tar Heel Club at Caro lina City, Va.

Japan's possible future attitude tonational capital

President MacLean of Iowa univer sity announces successful candidates in the recent examination for the Cecil Rhodes scholarship; Shortridge house roll No. 308—was recommended: H. R. 135—Appropriating \$32,000 east is now believed not to exceed

the barbers' commission bill, but says recommended for passage after a live- consent of the auditor. H. R. 169-Givhe spent the money in entertaining ly discussion. The bill is designed to ing the right of eminent domain to the members of the legislature.

Guin, son-in-law of the late Count the delivery of long distance mes- visiting board, was recommended for sian flanks are too light to constitute Honore Mercier, will in all probability sages from independent subscribers passage. S. F. 27—Allowing the gov. a serious danger and a lull in heavy ing of seven members. He holds that be asked to form a cabinet. Castro, in the hope of allaying hos-

tility of European powers, proposes a consolidation of the Venezuelan exterior debt and a new loan of \$26.-000,000. France threatens to use force. Andrew Carnegie has been appointed a member of the committee to visit

the Harvard chemical laboratory by the overseers of Harvard college to succeed the late William H. Baldwin. August Belmont retires from the directory of the National Bank of North America at New York, it is supposed for the same reasons that led to the

recent resignation of President Ed-The national commission of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition met in

ator John M. Thurston as president. Some complaints in regard to contracts were considered. At the coroner's inquest held at La Platte, Sarpy county, the jury brought in a verdict that Frank Lauger was killed by a Missouri Pacific train, but

attached no blame to either the road or any of its employes Ground has been broken for an addition to President Roosevelt's Sagamore Hill home. The addition will be 42 by 38 feet at the base, and will make a great improvement in the ap-

pearance of the house. J. E. Daly, an Oakland, Cali, liveryman who was acting as messenger for the Central Bank of Oakland, was held up and robbed of \$10,000 where on his way to the Standard Oil refinery at Point Richmond.

Among winners by the recent up ward movement in Wall street Wil-Ham Rockefeller is said to take the lead. His profits in the past few "It has been said reneatedly that I

had asserted that Andrew Carnegie was my father. I deny that, and I deny it absolutely." The statement was made by Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick in the first authorized interview since her trial.

Lieutenant Charles E. Hav. son of Springfield. Ill., and nephew of Secretary of State Hay, who has just been appointed judge advocate of the department of Texas, is to be appointed a captain of cavalry.

for president on the prohibition ticket. is dead at Los Angeles. He was a former resident of Muscatine, la. News reaches the state department

that France has notified Venezuelan government not to interfere further with the franchise of cable company. Harry S. New has been appointed vice chairman of the republican na- appropriating \$10,000 for a stock pa- 15 to 14. H. R. 20, appropriating \$60,-

tional committee. Governor Miasorodoff of Finland was shot and seriously wounded by a youth, who gained entrance to the governor's office and was captured after the shooting.

The lower house of the Tennessee Segislature has passed the bill which prohibits betting on horse races in Tennessee.

All the stonecutters and tool sharpeners who recently went out on strike at the granite quarries at Quincy. Mass., reported for work. Governor Peabody kept his agree-

ment and retired from the governorship of Colorado in favor of Lieutenant Governor McDonald. at 'ax sales; senate file No. 281, pro- Three stenographers to the supreme Mrs. Mary B. Page, a fortune teller. viding for annual reports of insurance | court, increased from \$900 to \$1,000 a aged 70 years, was found dead in her companies. Senate file No. 221, a bill year. Salary of assistant physician at

home at St. Louis, having been bound. cacged and strangled to death. perintendents, was recommended for \$1,500 to \$1,200 a year. Salary of sur-President Roosevelt, having reglested United States Senator William bill county superintendents must be Home, increased from \$1,000 to \$1,200 Warner to nominate his successor as able to secure a first grade certificate. a year. All of the amendments were Walted States district attorney for An appropriation of \$32,000 was voted recommended by the finance commitwestern Missouri, Mr. Warner will refor the Peru normal. and the selection of his assist-

at A. S. Von Valkenburgh, a native

LEGISLATURE of NEBRASKA

A Synopsis of Proceedings of the Twenty-Ninth General Session.

SENATE-The Cady railroad com-123d with Speaker Rouse in the chair. mission bill, a copy of the act of 1887. House roll No. 328, for the relief of renealed by the legislature of 1901. Russell F. Loomis, passed. House roll passed the senate on the 21st with No. 228, a Lincoln charter bill pre wholesale criticism lately heaped up to the investigators which has been The senior officer on the retired only four votes against it. The entire pared by City Attorney Strode; rassmorning was spent in the passing of ed with the emergency clause. House bills and all but one measure on third roll No. 282, by Hill of Hitchcock, to reading was disposed of. The most fix the minimum number of trains and important measures before the senate regulate speed on railroads, was were passed and the vote in most in amended so as to strike out the regustances was unanimous. As a result lation of running time, and was then York while trying to cash a check for of the morning session there will go recommended for passage. House roll \$2,800,000, and is held for examina- to the house with the senate's ap- No. 378, a joint resolution by Windproval the Harsh elevator bill, to pre- ham of Cass, for the calling of a con-Baron Von Hammerstein, Prussian vent discrimination by railroads in stitutional convention, was recomminister of the interior, is dead. He the matter of furnishing cars to ship mended for passage. In committee of had been ill with asthma, complicated pers of grain; Sheldon's bill for a the whole, with Clarke in the chair. constitutional amendment to allow the the following measures were recom-Former President Grover Cleveland investment of the permanent school mended for passage: House roll No. left Princeton, N. J., for a three fund in county and school district 352, a compulsory school measure: weeks' trip to Florida to recuperate bonds; the bill giving telegraph and house roll No. 372, providing for an telephone companies the right of emopen season for trout from June 1 to The last relative of Mozart has just | inent domain; Thomas' proposed con- October 31; house roll No. 307, predied, the Baroness Berchtold zu Son- stitutional amendment to allow all venting the killing of insectivorous nenburg, who was a granddaughter of cities over 5,000 to make their own birds; house roll No. 345, to consolicharters. Epperson's bill to allow the date the office of county and city Hostile armies have ceased fighting governor to fix date of infliction of treasurer of Omaha; house roll No. for the time being and are engaged the death penalty when imposed by a 297, by Dodge, for a constitutional in a test of speed and endurance, with court; Epperson's bill to place all amendment creating an elective railcharitable institutions under the road commission of three members from sending reinforcements which Horace G. Burt former president of charge of the State Board of Char- and to define its powers and duties, surely with have provoked it. tties: Saunders' bi'l to vacate streets was warmly advocated by its introoutside of cities in land platted, but ducer in an extended speech. A com- failure to adequately supply Port Arnot approved by the county commis- mittee amendment was adopted, leav-Eastern railroads are charged with sioners; Meserve's measure reducing ing the salaries of the commissioners had faith in the matter of making the license fee charged non-resident to be fixed by the legislature instead Munters to \$10; the bill providing for of fixing the amount at \$2,500. Another the municipal regulation of gas and committee amendment was adopted electric light meters and for the meas- providing that the three commissionurement of weights and measures; ers shall be elected in 1906, at the G. Blaine, painted by Thorpe, is now Saunders' bill to allow cities to do a time the amendment is submitted, and commercial heating business: Gilli- that every vote for any candidate for tive McCleary at the capital, Wash. gan's bill providing for a board of commissioner shall be counted as a control for the state institutions; the vote for the amendment. The bill was South Omaha salary bill, and a number of others of less importance.

HOUSE-The house, on the 21st. Congressman Hall's views regarding on or as part of a public. House roll known that the measure will receive dorsement from prominent men in the the safe investment of the permanent successful in causing the indefinite State Senator Eaten of Wisconsin "independent telephone bill"-house brary. H. R. 106-Allowing insurance admits receiving \$100 for defeating roll No. 182-by Fishback of Clay, was companies to consolidate with the S. N. Parent, premier of the prov- use of the Omaha property of the Ne- th sale of penitentiary lands. H. R. ince of Quebec, has resigned. Lemer braska Bell Telephone company for 243-To abolish the soldiers' bome ner, to compel railroad companies amend the house irrigation bill, H. R. else to build switches and sidetracks domain, but the attempt failed. thereto where the elevator has a minimum capacity of 15,000 bushels, was recommended for passage without on the 24th: Enabling the State Printopposition manifesting itself.

tion on the 22nd to hold night sessions ing the formal routine process. Fixthe remainder of the week and a ses- ing the salary of county clerks in sion Saturday, by a vote of 48 to 32. counties of from 18,000 to 25,000 pop-Bills were passed as follows: Raising ulation at \$1,500 a year. Making the the salary of the county physician of county assessor of Douglas county ex-Gage county. Abolishing the Soldiers' officio tax commissioner of Omaha. Home visiting board. Defining ways Defining the powers of county boards. in which the American flag may be used as an emblem. To remit all compel the Nebraska Telephone comtaxes due the state from Hamilton pany to afford connections at the county prior to 1891, when the county limits of any city where it operates court house was destroyed by fire and the only exchange to a new concern all records thereby wiped out. To pro- that may construct its lines up to the hibit children under 15 years of age boundaries of such city. Empowering from carrying firearms. Amending the county treasurers to collect personal law fixing the time of holding annual taxes against a decreased debtor by school meetings. To enable Ruth making themselves administrators of Abery to sue school district No. 23 of the estate. Providing a schedule of Douglas county for personal injuries, fees to be paid the state by corpora-Prohibiting the sale of liquor within tions for services rendered by the four miles of an army post. Permit- secretary of state. Providing for state ting cities to condemn property for ownership, control, construction and school sites. Providing for not less repair of all bridges 500 feet or more than five nor more than seven junior long located on or as part of public normal schools, and that the appoint- roads. Makes the sheriff in all counive schools shall be relocated each ties responsible for the fees of his year. To regulate giving of bonds for office. To put sheriffs on a salary incounty funds by depository banks. Ap- stead of fee basis. A bill to compel propriating \$25,000 for test borings railroads to grant equal shipping and for the discovery of oil, coal, gas or terminal facilities to all elevators. In artesian water. Providing for a repremonths are put at \$15,000,000, chiefly ternal insurance companies on a basis ures: H. R. 413, by the committee on sentative form of government of fraof 85 per cent of the membership.

former Mayor Charles E. Hay of of executive disapproval. Senate file ing a penalty of from one to three No. 276, by Guild, was passed. This years in the penitentiary. bill requires stock to be unloaded in | SENATE-In the senate on the 24th the South Omaha yards within an these bills were passed: H. R. 214hour and a half after its arrival. Sen- To protect union labor labels. H. R. ator Gilligan moved that the sifting 271-Restricting the indebtedness of committee take charge of the general irrigation districts. H. R. 224-Refile of the senate at 12 o'clock Thurs- enacts the drainage law. S. F. 243, to day. This motion carried after several abolish the old soldier's visiting motions were made to delay the time board, was passed. H. R. 49, the bili of the renovating process. This means to establish the binding twine plant that all bills must run the gauntlet of was passed by a vote of 18 to 11. The the sifting committee, as well as the senate defeated the anti-pass bill, the committee of the whole. The following last of the kind before the legislabills were passed: House roll No. 62. ture. It was indefinitely postponed by vilion at the state fair grounds; house 000 for the rebuilding of the west roll No. 165, the anti-Christian Science wing of the Norfolk asylum and cotbill; house roll No. 173, appropriating tages, and beautifying the grounds, \$100 in each county for farmers' in- was amended to appropriate \$35,000 stitutes; house roll No. 217, regulating and passed. H. R. 211, providing a the payment of outstanding indebted manner of appeal to the supreme ness in road districts; house roll No. court, was passed. The senate recom-192, regulating the liability of offi- mended for passage the salary bill, cials; house roll No. 193, protecting H. R. 250, with few changes, which state deposits in banks; house roll were as follows: Clerk in the office of No. 195, allowing surety companies to the labor commissioner, increased go on liquor bonds; house roll No. from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year. Draughts-200, prohibiting a breach of trust in man in the land commissioner's office, printers' contracts; senate file No. 241, increased from \$1,300 to \$1,500 a year. regulating tax sales; senate file No. Bookkeepers in the land commission-178, defining property exempt from er's office, reduced from \$1.500 to taxation; senate file No. 215, regulat- \$1,200 a year. Deputy game warden, ing the redemption of property sold increased from \$1,200 to \$1,500 a year.

recommended for passage. SENATE-By a vote of 18 to 19, H. R. 49, providing for the establishment recommended these measures for pas- of a binding twine plant at the state sage: House roll No. 328, for the re- penitentiary was recommended for lief of Russell F. Loomis. House roll passage by the senate in the commit-No. 305, providing for state constructee of the whole, on the 23rd. That tion, ownership, control and repair of it will pass the senate there is not all bridges 500 feet or more in length the slighest doubt, though it is not school fund. The bill introduced by postponement of H. R. 168, to license ment allowing cities of 5,000 or more them to give a bond. The Sheldon teleto make their own charters by and phone bill as amended was reported with the consent of the legislature— for general file. These bills were pass- as the whole effective force in the far of the isthmian canal. commission ed for indefinite postponement. The for the Peru normal school for a li- 200,000 men. give the indepenuent companies the State university. H. R. 163-Allowing outside of Omaha to Bell subscribers ernor to appoint a member of the legin Omaha, for which service the Bell islature to fill a vacancy during the company is to receive 10 cents per session, was recommended for pasmessage. House roll No. 351, by War- sage. Senator Giffin attempted to either to furnish sites on their rights- 271, so as to give to the irrigation disof-way to independent elevators or tricts of the west the right of eminent

HOUSE-These bills were passed ing board to buy supplies in case of HOUSE-The house passed a mo- for any department, without observ-H. R. 182, by Fishback of Clay-To

committee of the whole the house recfederal relations-Appropriating \$3,000 for a silver set for the Nebraska anti-Christian battleship. H. R. 359, by Bartoo of Science bill passed the senate on the Valley-To relieve persons from pay-22nd by a vote of 17 to 13. The doc- ing for papers and magazines for tors in the legislature make no secret which they do not subscribe. H. R. of the fact that Governor Mickey will 408, by Copsey of Custer-Prohibiting sign the bill and entertain no fears the use of slot machines and impos-

tee and after half of the hill had been

raising the standards for county su- the Norfolk asylum, decreased from

passage. Under the provisions of the geon at the Grand Island Soldiers'

WOUSE-The house met on the ther discussion.

SINCE WAR BEGAN

RUSSIANS HAVE LOST HALF MIL LION MEN THUS FAR.

FACTS FROM THE WAR OFFICE Bureau Officials, Stung by Criticism, Iscue a Statement of Operations.— Retirement to the North.

ST. PETERSBURG-Stung by the on the war office for its unpreparedness and incapacity in providing the Manchurian army with men, guns and munitions, the army organ lays bare what has been done since the opening of hostilities giving the exact figures. From these it appears that up try. Had it appeared in the original to March 12, the war office had dispatched 13,087 officers, 761,467 men. 146,408 horses, 1,521 guns and 316,321 tons of munitions and supplies to the front declaring the transportation strained the Siberian railroad to its utmost caracity. The army organ admits that the

army in the far east, when the war opened was hardly worth the name (no figures being given, but it is known that the troops did not exceed 60,000 men) defending this on the ground that Emperor Nicholas desired to avoid war and therefore refrained The criticism of the war office's

thur is met by the statement that it was provisioned for a garrison of twelve battalions, the decision to put thirty battalions there being taken so late that the original calculations could not be remedied. While affirming that the quick-fir ing guns and field guns of the Rus-

sians are superior to those of the Japanese, the war office explains that the misfortune in the insufficiency of the of the litigation the importers remountain guns was due to the fact that when the war broke out Russia was just adopting a new pattern. It is denied that the war office was deceived in regard to the available

strength of the Japanese army or the organization of the Japanese reserves. miscalculated. The publication of this article has No. 309, for the submission of a con- executive approval. Gibson of Doug- created a sensation among military CHANGE IN CANAL COMMISSION ward the Philippines meet with in stitutional amendment providing for las county made an effort which was men and in public circles many of the former are censuring the general staff for disclosing valuable military se-

> figures a practical admission that the war has cost almost 500,000 men in killed, wounded, prisoners and sick, fort to complete the rearrangement General Linevitch continues the re tirement of the bulk of his army

The general staff now declares s certain that Field Marshal Ovama has been compelled to relinquish the idea of a pursuit in force for the pres ent. The Japanese forces on the Rusfighting for several weeks if not months is predicted by some of the correspondents.

RATIFY WARNER'S ELECTION Non-Partisan Demonstration for New

Senator. KANSAS CITY-Convention hall was packed by an audience which met to ratify the election of Major William Warner of this city to the United States senate. The audience was composed of not only Kansas Cityans, but of admirers of the new senator from all parts of Missouri, Kansas. Oklahoma and the Indian territory. The meeting was non-partias republicans in paying tribute to Major Warner

Other speakers were Thomas J. Ak ns, member of the republican national committee from Missouri; D. P. Dyer of St. Louis, United States district attorney for eastern Missouri. and Charles Nagle of St. Louis.

Senator Warner said in part: "The burning issue of the day hat of setting proper metes and bounds to corporate power, and the suppression of the unlawful encroachment upon the rights of the people of organized capital. These issues must be met and solved in a spirit of fair olay and with the high resolve to give every interest a square deal. The just and equitable solution of these problems will tax the experience and wislom of legislative and executive departments of the government. If in their solution error is made the error should be on the side of the people.'

Time Extended to Syrians. WASHINGTON-Minister Powell has cabled the state department from Port Au Prince that the Haytien government by decree has extended from April 1 to May 15 the time allowed for Syrians holding forged naturalization American citizenship papers to withdraw from Hayti.

Get Seventy-five Lashes. WINNIPEG. Man.-Sandercock and McDonald, highwaymen, were sentenced by Judge Richards to fifteen and ten years respectively, with seventy-five lashes, for robbery with violence from Winnipeg merchants. his cell. Sandercock groaned in a manner that made his punishment

Mexican Minister III. WASHINGTON-Don Manuel de

Aspiraz, the Mexican ambassador, is seriously ill with a severe attack of the grip and other complications, and his family are greatly concerned over been ill for the greater part of the the inaugural ceremonies at the capitol and it was learned that he came near fainting after leaving the presicondition has become serious.

Details of Japanese Loans. LONDON-The final details of the Japanese loan were concluded here WILL TRY IT AGAIN.

For Congress. WASHINGTON - Another dealing with the operations, of the ant article of food. In North Germany beef trust is to be made to congress. s carp with sauce of white wine or It has been announced at the department of commerce and labor that as a Christmas dish. It has been estiagents are at work ascertaining data concerning the operations of cattle General Linevitch Continues His growers on the range and the sale of the Christmas day dinner. beef and food products at retail. There are other features, relating to anything that may have looked crimina, turned over to the department of justice, and which are to be included in

the second report. Just what the secret service men fully concealed for grand jury pro- inches in height. ceedings in various parts of the counreport made by Commissioner Garfield, the report would not have so dising denunciation of the combine. Some of these features of the report deal with private car transporta-

tion, refrigeration, and such things. Just how carefully this information is guarded will be recognized when it is known that fifteen secret service men have been sent to Chicago to guard witnesses there who are to testify before the grand jury.

MUST PAY JOHN G. CARLISLE Former Secretary Wins Suit for At

torney's Fees. NEW YORK-The decree of a lower court awarding John G. Carlisle, former secretary of the treasury, \$1234-339 for professional services in connection with a contest against the constitutionality of the laws under which duties were levied on goods imported from Porto Rico, has been affirmed by the appellate division of the supreme court.

Mr. Carlisle was engaged by Reon Barnes, who had been retained as counsel by various merchants, to assist him in the contest. As a result covered nearly \$500,000 from the gov-

According to Mr. Carlisle, some thing over \$89,000 of this amount was paid to Barnes, but the latter refused to make a settlement with him, denybut the army organ frankly admits ing that he ever had engaged Mr. that the talents of the officers and the Carlisle's services. Mr. Carlisle then wonderful spirit of the soldiers were brought suit to recover his fee and was awarded \$200,349.

President and Secretary Taft Work-

WASHINGTON-The president and Secretary Taft are making every efprevious to the departure of the president on his southwestern trip. It is possible that this cannot be accomplished, as it is necessary for a number of communications to pass between parties who must be consulted before the new plan is completed. It has been decided that it will be necessary under the law for the presisuch a number would make the commission unwieldy, but as congress failed to provide for a smaller commission, it is held by the attorney general that the commission of seven members is mandatory in the presi-

RUSSIANS HALT TO REST.

Stop Likely to Be a Short One, as Japanese Are Advancing. GUNSHU PASS-The Russian treat has now reached the village of Sipinghai, seventy-four miles north of Tie Pass, where it has temporarily halted. The army has been without rest for months and it is natural that san, democrats being as enthusiastic fatigue should be evident. The Japanese are said to be advancing on Sipinghai positions along the railway and on both flanks.

A brisk action occurred on the evening of March 18 at Kaiyuan, the Russian rear guard beating off two heavy attacks which lasted until midnight. After blowing up railway bridges north of Kaiyuan at five places, the Russian retirement was continued on March 19, 20 and 21, with only light

rifle firing. The Mukden branch of the Russo Chinese bank removed all its money except \$150,000.

M'CORMICK TOLD TO HURRY. United States Anxious to Have Him

et Paris Soon. ST. PETERSBURG-Mr. McCormick, the retiring ambassador to Russia, has received argent instructions from Washington to proceed to Paris at the earliest possible moment.

Whether the desire of the state department to have Mr. McCormick assume his duties in Paris at once is due to the prospect of an opening of peace negotiations there, or to the Venezuelan complications or to the wish of Ambassador Porter to depart sooner than expected is not known

Anneal For Outside Aid. BROCKTON, Mass.-The first organized movement for the relief of the families of the persons believed to have perished in the explosion and fire at R. B. Grover & Co.'s factory last Monday, has been begun. As a and received the first installment of result of the disaster thirty-seven twenty-five lashes. McDonald made a wives were made widows, forty-eight great uproar and from the first stroke children were made fatherless and off. of the dreaded cat-o'-nine-tails scream- six children became orphans. Mayor ed horribly and had to be carried to Keith presided at a meeting at which Itching, Billind, Bleeding or Pr a request was made that every wage- falls to cure you in 6 to 14 days, Sec. earner in the city give over one day's wage to the relief fund.

Standard Has a License. TOPEKA. Kan.-It developed Friday that the Standard Oil company. against which the attorney general has commenced suit to oust from the state on the ground that it has no his condition. The ambassador has license to do business here, has had such a license since 1893. The license winter, but he insisted on attending was granted by the state charter board in the regular way to the Stan- They do it to keep in practice. dard Oil company of Indiana. The other allegation is that the company dent's stand. He suffered a relapse as is violating the anti-trust law and that the result of his exposure and now his it should be driven from the state on that account.

Fatal Duel With Knives STEURENVILLE, O.-A knife duel to the death was fought by John Friday, with the exception of the ex- Dobinsky and John Slato, miners at act date of issue. This has not yet Plum Run. The men, maddened by been decided, but it will not be delay- liquor, agreed to settle a grievance ed. The amount is \$150,000,000 with with knives. Stripping to the waist interest at 4% per cent. The price of they began to fight. Each thrust of a rainy day, even if it's nothing more and inimitable lecture on "Medley of issue is 90 and the security will be the knives that caused blood to spurt than a borrowed umbralla. the net receipts of the tobacco mond- was cheered by the loungers who poly of Japan, amounting to \$16,000. looked on. The men grew weaker and 000, according to the budget of the weaker from the loss of blood and next fiscal year. The loan will be is fell. On the floor the men clinched sued simultaneously in New York and and sank their knives into each gone over it was adopted without fur London, each taking \$75,000,000. other's bodies till strength failed.

Fresh Water Fish in Germany. In many districts of Germany, where sea fish is still a luxury comnaratively seldom seen, the coarse fish of inland waters are an import-

beer is popular and highly esteemed mated that in Berlin alone 3,000 tons of carp were sold last December for

Dwarfs of Ox Family. One of the greatest curiosit among the domesticated animals of

Cevion is a breed of cattle, known to stock man was asphyxiated by gas. the zoologist as the "sacred running oxen." They are the dwarfs of the whole ox family, the largest specimens discovered in this line has been care of the species never exceeding 30 Mad Dogs Held Sacred.

mad among the Mokis, a special house ward. appointed those who expected a scath- is built for him, and there he is kept | Columbus purposes to double the until he dies. Like the venomous rep. \$1,500. eccentric Arizona redskin.

> Wedding Anniversaries. Wedding anniversaries follow: First, cotton; second, paper; third, leather: fifth, wooden; seventh, woolen: 10th, tin; 12th, silk and fine linen; 15th crystal: 20th, china; 25th, sil- ried at Fremont. ver; 20th, pearl; 40th, ruby; 50th,

golden: 75th, diamond,

What the Dentist Says. Toledo, Ohio, March 27th-(Special.) struck Battle Creek, There have been -Harry T. Lewis, the well known den- several fatalities. tist of 607 Sumit street, this city, is ney Disease by using Dodd's Kidney play at Beatrice March 29-31.

"I was flat on my back and must say I had almost given up all hope because their parents settled all damof ever getting any help," says Dr. ages Lewis.

"My kidneys had troubled me for years. The pains in my back were severe and I had to get up several times at night. I tried different medicines but kept on getting worse till I was laid up. "Then a friend advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and in about two

weeks I started to improve. Now I am glad to admit I am cured and I J. C. Gerspacher, in Hall county. Mrs. carnot praise Dodd's Kidney Pills too highly." If you take Dodd's Kidney Pills being out of order you will never have his hand.

Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy,

Gravel or Rheumatism. Slaughter of Swallows.

The swallow is being annihilated, of the civil war. ing in the spring they are merciless- Nebraska City charged with attemptplume trade. Their numbers are vis- old daughter of George Shaw.

Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold with the exchange in Beatrice, makwill save not only time, because it in that place. never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound-while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in %-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 ozs." Demand Deflance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron stick-

ing. Defiance never sticks.

Why Laughter is Beneficial. Laughter usually produces a bene ficial effect by relaxing mental tension or breaking a monotony. Under ordinary conditions it seems to act as a tonic by producing a stimulating effect upon the general circulation of the blood.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and moe, this sth day of December, A. D. 1886.
A. W. GLEASON,

SEAL } NOTARY PUBLIC. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts firectly on the blood and inucous surfaces of the matern. Send for testimunials free. directly on the block montais, free.

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F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Q. Sold by all Druggists. 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Loveliest Face in Art. In the National museum of Naples stands the statue of Psyche, which is a mile north of the military trail to considered by nearly all connoisseurs Fort Kearney, and what the history of to have the loveliest face ever modeled or painted. It was discovered in the ruins of the amphitheater at brought back from Pine Bluffs, Ark. Capua.

Insist on Getting It.

Some grocers say they don't keep Defiance Starch. This is because they containing only 12 ounces in a package. which they won't be able to sell first, because Defiance contains 16 ounces for the same money. Do you want 16 ounces instead of 12 ounces for same money? Then buy Defiance Starch. Requires no cooking.

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Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

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Silence may be golden, but money often talks in silvery tones.

Nebraska News

Real estate men of Beatrice will or ganize an exchange, Prohibitionists have put a ticket in

the field at Fairbury. A "good citizens" movement is progress at Tecumseh. A project is on foot to establish cold storage plant at Auburn.

The school board at Burwell reelected all the grade teachers. B. F. Carpenter, a South Omaha live Mrs. F. O'Connor of Nemaha county, has been taken to the asylum. Fremont will build an auditorium

that will accommodate 1.500 people. Sarny county farmers are trying the D. Ward King plan of dragging roads. The Schmadlesky photographic It is claimed that if a dog goes studio was destroyed by fire at Se-

and nursed in the greatest reverence cost of liquor licenses from \$750 to

tile, the mad dog is sacred to this The Northwestern Bowling associa tion will hold tournament at Columbus April 24-29. Burglars entered the postoffice at

Plattsmouth, but succeeded in getting only ten dollars Louis Christensen and Tilly Christensen, divorced in 1895, have remar-

Fred L. Smith of Stromsburg was adjudged insane by the commissioners of insanity for Polk county. An epidemic of appendicitis has

Northwestern Nebraska teachers telling of his remarkable cure of Kid- will show Nebraska's World's fair dis-Three burglarous boys in Beatrice were saved from the reform school

> pulsory attendance law in West Point. Fifty-four ducks were found by a deputy game warden on the place of

Gerspacher was fined \$25 and costs. Frank Overshow, jr., aged 23, was instantly killed near Oakdale by the but the soil excels any I ever saw." when your kidneys first show signs of accidental discharge of a shotgun in

months' sickness at his home in Wilber, March 17. He was an ex-soldier going to Africa in the fall and return- Omaha as his home, was arrested at

Thomas A. Sawyer, an ex-sheriff of

ly slaughtered for the table and the ing to criminally assault the 14-year- for all comers aithough it takes three The farm line of the Nebraska Telephone company of the city is completed and has been connected

Water Starch for laundry use they ing a complete list of 910 telephones Rev. Joseph Presson, recently appointed superintendent of the Soldiers' home at Milford, has formally taken charge of affairs and Charles Penn. the retiring commandant, left for

Broken Bow to take up the affairs of a private citizen The Beatrice Driving association has decided on dates for its principal race meetings for 1905. The first meet will be held July 4, and the circuit races will follow on August 16 to 19.

Wymore follows Beatrice with its races on August 23 to 26. As an indication of the high rating of Richardson county land at the present time, it is interesting to note that the eighty acres belonging to the Evans estate, east of Humboldt several miles, was sold at administrators' sale for \$8,040, or \$100.50 per acre.

While cutting down trees on the farm of Dan Phelos, about two miles west of Springfield. Sarpy county, W. D. Chapman was killed by a falling limb. It fell in such a manner as to strike Chapman on the back of the

head. Joseph Dxorak, a farmer of Wilber, was found dead in the Prague hotel at Omaha. He had quarreled with his wife four years ago and left her and their children in Iowa, where they have rented and worked a farm for seventeen years.

While digging a well on the farm of Anton Kovetsky seven miles west of here, a cannon ball was uncovered about two feet below the surface. The ball was much rusted. Measured about three and a half inches in diameter. The place where it was found is about it is can only be conjectured.

Omer K. Wright of Elgin, is to be to answer the charge of securing \$3,200 by false pretenses. Governor Mickey issued a requisition on application of the county attorney of Antelope county. It is charged that have a stock on hand of other brands Wright secured the money from the First National bank of Elgin by representing that he was the owner of a herd of cattle.

A company of homeless orphans will arrive in Wymore the 25th to be placed in good homes. This is the second lot, the first arriving last month. at which time the demand far exceed-

Fred G. Arnold of this city, president of the Nemaha Bantist People's to be held in Pawnee City, April 12 to 14. The program contains a num-A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. ber of important topics to be considered in various ways by local work ers, with devotional and musical lines well taken care of. P. Conner of Kansas City arrived in Beatrice for the purpose of establish-

ing a meteorological station there. He mental rain guage in connection with the station. J. M. Wilson of Long Island, Kan. well known sheep feeder, was in Lincoln on his return from the markets where he placed his stock at

from \$6.90 to \$7. Mr. Wilson fed about 6,000 head of sheep, the greater part Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible of them near Cozad in Nebraska. He medicine for courhs and colds.- N. W. SAMUMA made good money on the winter's feeding, as did nearly all sheep feeders who were fixed for the business. The county board of Dodge county voted to replace the spans in the Platte river bridge which were carried out by the ice a few weeks ago

> county to stand a share of the ex-Sam P. Jones delivered an unique Philosophy, Facts and Fun," at Cambridge in the opera house. In spite of a stormy and disagreeable night a magnificent audience assembled hear the noted Georgian. A large num

A 480-ACRE FARM YIELDS 25 PER CENT PROFIT IN A YEAR.

What a Mercer County (Ohio) Farme

Received from One Year's Crop. Extracts from an interesting letter from P. H. Rynhard, of Starbuck, Manitoba, Canada, gives an excellent idea of the prosperity of those who have gone from the United States to Canada. He says:

"I bought, August, 1903, 480 acres

of land, paying \$12,000 for it. We threshed 2,973 bushels of wheat and between 1,200 and 1,300 bushels of oats and barley from 200 acres. But part of the wheat went down before filling and was not harvested except for hay. The crop was worth at threshing time, \$3,000. Besides 120 acres laying idle except a timothy meadow, which is not included in this estimate. Counting the value of the product and the increase of value of land will pay me more than 25 per cent on the investment. Two brothers in the same neighborhood bought 60 acres each six years ago. They have not done a single thing to this land except to fence it and break and cultivate about one-half of it. Harvested last year 28 bushels wheat peracre. This year 27 bushels per acre. They can get any day \$25 per acre. These are only a few of many hundreds of such chances. It looks like boasting, but truth is justifiable and the world ought to know it, especially the home-seeker. I know of quite a few farmers that have made fortunes in from 10 to 20 years, retired with from \$20,000 to \$100,000.

Writing concerning another district in the Canadian West, S. L. Short

"Dear Sir-I have to inform you that I have just returned from the Carrot River Country in Saskatchewan, where I located land of the very finest black vegetable loam, which I am proud of, and will move in the spring. Farmers are still plowing The city school board has decided there. A mild climate and beautiful to enforce the provisions of the com- country to behold. Cattle are fat and running outside. Wood and water Thieves entered the smokehouse of good. Saw oats weighing 42 pounds William Riescheck, living northeast of to bushel. Potatoes large and well Falls City, and stole all his summer ripened: also wheat that brought meat, which was being cured therein. there 82 cents. The country exceeded my expectations. Saw oats in stock, thicker on the ground than appears in many of the illustrations sent out in descriptive pamphlets. I have been in many western states,

The Canadian Government Agents at different points report that the enquiries for literature and railroad Saline county, died after several rates, &c., to Western Canada are the greatest in the history of their work.

> Mosquito's "Usefulness" Lasting mosquito bites but once and then dies is a myth. Some varieties are ready days to digest a full meal of blood.

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Down in Nova Scotia. People say that have been touring Europe when they were over there for a week, and living abroad when is

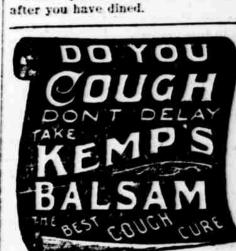
was a fortnight.-New York Press. Salzer's Home Builder Corn. So named because 50 acres produced so heavily, that its proceeds built a lovely See Salzer's catalog. Yielded in Ind. 157 bu., Ohio 160 bu., Tenn. 198 bu.,

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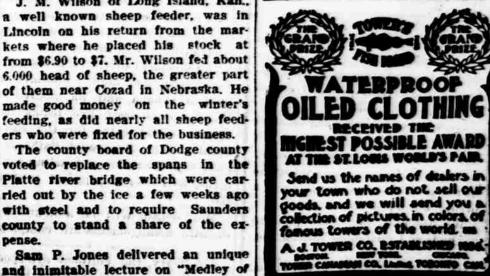
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