nnial Report of the Deputy of In urance—Total Receipts and Expenditures From All Sources.

Nebraska Insurance Matters. LINCOLN-The biennial report by John L. Pierce, insurance deputy, shows that 327 insurance companies are doing business in Nebraska at this time. The total premiums received in Nebraska by all classes of companies in 1904 was \$9,030,559 and in 1905 29.866.332. The total losses paid by all classes of companies in 1904 was \$3,808,958 and in 1905 \$4.-635,229.

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Railroad Gives Away Elevator.

Farmers' Grain company on the Omaha Grain exchange, relates the following incident that fell under his observation recently. He was invited to assist in a farmers' jubilee in an Icwa village on the anniversary of the opening of their elevator. Parties were present from Lohrville, Ia., where there is also a railroad junction or crossing of two lines. On the first line of road was located an elevator worth probably \$2,500, and it was the property of the railroad company. The farmers organized a grain company and began looking for a site. Of course the new line wanted the company to build on its property. The old line, realizing that the bulk of the shipments would go over the line patronized by the farmer's company, of fered the farmers the above mentioned elevator on its switch. The offer was accepted and the deed made out for a nominal sum. The move was a sagacious one. There will probably be each year and the freight will be about free rent of a building offered. \$75 a car, or \$7,500 annually, that the road would have lost if it had permitted the farmers to build on the rival road. That railroad may be said to have "invested" \$2,500 in "farmers." The income from hauling two cars will pay interest at 6 per cent on the "investment" and the rest of the \$7,-500 will contain a large element of "profit."

Mr. Vincent, in speaking of the in cident, stated that he desired to call attention to the fact that an elevator is only a storage place for grain till cars can be obtained to ship in, and since the railroads are required to house al lother freight offered, it was his opinion that they should be re guired to furnish the elevator to assist in handling and loading the grain. He remarked that the proposition apneared reasonable and the only argument against it would seem to be that the other system has been used so long that it has grown familiar .-Journal-Stockman, South Omaha.

Child Burned to Death.

UTICA-Near this city a death resuited from the use of kerosene oil by away with Mr. Mose Kithcart and probably 500 homeless men were At the conclusion of the service, trying to start a fire. The 6-year-old threw him out and broke one of his lodged within it. Six lost their lives which was held in the Mt. Olivet Bapgirl of Will Blazing, living nine miles legs between the ankle and knee. The and probably 35 were injured, about tist church, nearly everyone present northwest of the city, started to light a fire in the kitchen stove by placing a George, who was just leaving his home jured, some not being expected to live. is being raised for the relief of the live being raised for the relief of the live. cab in the can. As she took the cob to move to Hampton, Neb. When going Four were burned to death and two dismissed soldiers. The sermon of familiar figures for years. Mrs. Yea- grand jury Friday afternoon on the tal revenues in the current fiscal year had applied the match it immediately set her clothing on fire. She was fatally burned.

Taken Fatally III on Train. LEXINGTON-A man named O. S Noran of Creston, Neb., who was ill with kidney and bladder trouble enroute over the Union Pacific railroad for Denver, was taken worse on the train this morning and removed to the Commercial hotel of this city where he died.

Struck Wife While Drunk. for striking his wife.

Corn Husking Records. PLATTSMOUTH-Some good records in corn husking have recently been made in Cass county. Recently John Huse and John McBrien each husked 145 bushels in twelve hours, while two other huskers employed on the same premises made similar rec-

NEBRASKA BRIEFS.

Farmers' institute will be held Falls City December 18-19. Lea Collins escaped prosecution on charge of "bootlegging" at Tekamah.

The state will move fish from Gibson's to Cut-Off lake at Nebraska City. Roy Patterson was thrown from a horse and broke his arm at Platts-

Gordon M. Moore, brakeman, pleaded guilty to stealing from a car at

Fremont Hill of New York is in Notfolk "booming" the Yankton & Gulf The initiative and referendum prop-

osition was defeated in special election at Blair. Falling from a baby buggy, the infant son of M. Rogers of Utica broke

his collar bone. The state board of public lands and buildings let a contract for the renovation of the legislative halls for \$400. The identity of the supposed suicide at Alliance, has been proven. He

Tucson, Aris. The county commissioners have called an election in three of the precincts of Polk county to vote bonds

for an electric railroad. The four elevators at Eustis are making extensive preparations to handle the enormous corn crop which

will be moving in a few days. George N. Erickson, a fifteen-year-Totals\$ 68,161,143 \$71,291,626 old boy, broke through the ice while skating on a mill pond at Dannebrog, and was drowned. He was alone at the time.

William S. Noyes, a former railroad man and restaurant and hotel proprictor, well-known throughout the state fell dead in the Bostwick barber shop at Hastings.

Word has been received at Beatrice from Casey, Ia., that J. F. Burns, who formerly conducted a wholesale grocery house in that city, had lost his large general store by fire.

Many acres of beets are still unharvested in the vicinity of Sutherland and the ground in places is frozen too hard to admit of digging. Some of the growers are fearful lest they encounter serious losses as a result. Ninety per cent of the corn crop of Cuming county is now safely cribbed. The weather for the last month has

been highly favorable for gathering

corn and every advantage has been taken of that fact by the farmers. Rev. Joseph Presson, commandant his forthcoming report will advise the erection of a cottage for the use of bank at Bardolph, capitalized at survivors and wreckage. the commandant and his family and \$25,000 with \$50,000 in deposits. Mr. Vincent, who represents the single men employed at the home.

About a year ago Frank Fentress,

Nebraska. Henry Habig was shot and instantly river, in Hall county. A gun in the Electric railway, and when the bondcharged. Habig had time only to say: | cash of the three institutions. 'Arnold, you've killed me."

of the Nebraska library commission, quarter of a century, and in addition has just returned from assisting in to his private holdings is treasurer of try home at Lake Geneva. the organization of the new libraries the Western Illinois State Normal in Nebraska. One is located at Nel- School of Macomb and treasurer of the city council authorized a levy for by the failure of the banks. The the benefit of the library. The other state is protected by a trust company is at Geneva, where a large library bond and the city's deposits in the no less than 100 cars of grain shipped has been given to the public and the bank are small at this time of the for five years. He was obliged to re-

> ture to regulate veterinary surgeons day, setting forth in effect what was is unconstitutional, according to a de- stated in the notices posted on the cision rendered by County Judge Les- doors of the banks. The liabilities are lie of Omaha, in the case of the state upwards of \$700,000, with unincumagainst Dr. D. D. Turner. The case bered real estate worth over \$400,000. was filed by Dr. Ramacciotti as a test | The mortgages are mostly on central of the law. The decision will be of Illinois farms and are considered gilt interest because several other prose- edge. cutions hinged on the outcome of this case. It is said it may be carried over the closing of the banks. The to the supreme court for a final test. Jepositors have faith in the word of W. H. Holloway, residing some miles Mr. Chandler and expect the fulfillfrom Grand Island and a strange ex- ment of his promise. In Colchester perience the other night while making the major part of the depositors are his way home from that city. When miners who made no demonstration about half way between that city and when they read the notice on the Doniphan a man jumped out from the doors of the bank. side of the road, told him to halt, making the command good by pointing a revolver at Holloway, and mounted the wagon. Looking at Hol- Blaze Destroys Barracks of the Salloway closely, the main said: "You are not the man I was looking for," dismounted and told Holloway to drive

patch, happeneed when a horse ran aged by fire early Wednesday, when soldiers from the United States army. other accident was that of Marshall half that number being seriously in- made a contribution to a fund which out of the can she dropped some oil down an incline near the mill race he died from injuries received in jump the day was preached by the Rev. W. on her clothing and as soon as she fell from his loaded wagon and the ing from upper windows. Six others H. Brooks, pastor of St. Mark's Afriteam ran away, the wagon running of those who jumped are lying uncon- can Methodist Episcopal church. His over one of his legs and badly fractur- scious at the city hospital and are not language against President Roosevelt ing it above the knee.

F. F. Foster, one of the trainmen on the Union Pacific between Loup City and St. Paul, narrowly escaped death near the fair grounds, by being struck with an engine.

Nebraska will be represented and have its suare at international stock main building escaped. shows. At the stock show at Chicago next month, in the exhibit of steers in the Averdeen-Angus class, Nebraska University has entered six. Christian

Herman is very near a hard coal famine, the two coal dealers only having about three tons of hard coal between them. Hard coal has been or our trotting mare, with the record of an inventor of steam contrivances in dered a long time ago, but for some 1:Ct, was sold at the Old Glory use in every civilised country on the unknown reason none has yet arrived, horse sale at Madison Square gar- globe, is dead, aged 68. Death result-

thousands of dollars from the sale of \$14,000. alfalfa hay and clover and timothy seed. Land on which these crops are WEST POINT-The first anniver produced are returning owners from



INSTITUTIONS IN M'DONOUGH COUNTY, ILL, SUSPEND.

All Conducted by C. V. Chandler-Notices Posted Say They Are Short of Ready Cash.

Peoria, Ill.—Three banking instituions in McDonough county, conducted by C. V. Chandler, of Macomb, closed their doors Friday. Notices to the effect that the banks were short of ready cash were posted on the doors of all the banks Friday morning. The decision to close was reached Thursday upon an examination of the books by Mr. Chandler himself.

The banks are: The bank of Macomb, conducted by C. V. Chandler & Co., having a deposit of \$450,000, and capitalized at \$50,000; the Chan-

The money of the depositors in all of Polk county, sold out all he had and Mr. Chandler, the senior member of one report says the list of dead may pulled up stakes for Washington. One the private banking firm in McDon- reach the appalling total of 50. year was enough for Frank and he ough county real estate, and the imhas moved back like hundreds of oth- mediate cause of suspension of the built in 1888. She was 107 feet long ers, and will hereafter stand up for three institutions is given as a lack of and of 152 tons burden. ready cash. The Macomb bank stood good for the payment of the bonds killed while hunting along the Flatte of the Macomb and Western Illinois hands of his son-in-law, Arnold Feh- holders made a demand for their renkamp, having accidentally dis- money they absorbed all the ready

C. V. Chandler has been in the Miss Charlotte Templeton, secretary banking business in Macomb for a son, where George Lyons offered a the city of Macomb. It is not thought building free of rent for a year and either the school or the city will lose year.

The law enacted by the last legisla- Mr. Chandler made a statement Fri-

There was little show of excitement

SIX DIE IN ST. LOUIS FIRE.

vation Army.

St. Louis, Mo. - The Lighthouse hotel, a three-story structure at ticipated Thursday, President Roose-The second distressing accident dur- Ninth and Market streets, utilized as velt was denounced for his action in ing the past week, says a Shelton dis- a salvation army barracks, was dam- dismissing three companies of negro expected to recover.

> Blaze in Girls' Academy. Jefferson, S. D.-Fire which started in St. Catherine's Young Women's train for Kansas City ran into a

Gives \$100,000 to Wrecked Bank. Butte, Mont.-Receiver Wilson, of president of the bank.

Sweet Marie Selis for \$14.000. New York .- Sweet Marie, the fam-York county farmers are receiving den. The price she brought was ed from pneumonia. He was promi-

> Big Fire in Gallitzin. Pa. Altoona, Pa.—The opera house, Shil- Liben, Courland.—The prize court

STEAMER SINKS: MANY DROWN. Forty Victims Estimated in Disaster on Georgian Bay.

Wiarton, Ont. - The coasting steamer J. H. Jones, owned by the Crawford Tug company, of Wiarton, it is now conceded, foundered off Cape Cocker Thursday afternoon and all on board were lost.

At least 25 persons sailed on the steamer on its last trip—a crew of 12 and 13 passengers who are known. Other estimates place the number of lost at 40.

The Jones, which plied between Owen Sound, Wiarton and Manitoulin island ports, was one of the staunchest steamers on the Georgian bay, and was commanded by Capt. Crawford, a fresh water navigator of large experi-

Part of the cabin, a lifeboat and two unidentified bodies have been found by Indians on the north shore of the iler & Imes bank at Colchester, capi- Christian islands. Boats are now out at the Soldiers' Home at Milford, in talized at \$25,000, having a deposit of from here, Owen Sound and Penetan-

While estimates received here as to the number of lives lost in the wreck three banks has been invested through of the Jones are, as a rule, 25 or 26, The Jones was a wooden vesse

OTTO YOUNG IS DEAD.

One of Chicago's Leading Capitalists Passes Away.

Chicago. - Otto Young, 62 years old, one of Chicago's leading capital- and his entire party, so far as is ists and landowners, died at 1:30 known, were sleeping when the colo'clock Friday afternoon at his coun-

Not since the death of Marshall Field almost a year ago has there come such a shock to the Chicago business and financial world as this unexpected news caused. It now develops, however, that Mr. Young had of Mr. Fisher. The body of Mr. suffered with tuberculosis of the lungs lease his active hold on affairs five weeks ago, but it was not thought the attack would prove fatal. He was

afflicted with diabetes also. Mr. Young's fortune is estimated at \$17,000,000. His holdings of central business property in Chicago were exceeded only by those of Marshall Field and the Levi Z. Leiter estates. Up to the time of his death he had been planning the erection of a \$10,000,000 hotel in Michigan avenue. The idea had become his hobby and he intended it to be the finest hotel in the world. It is believed he left some provision in his will for the carrying out of the project.

BITTER WORDS BY A NEGRO.

Minister Denounces President for Discharging Colored Troops.

New York.-At a union Thanksgiving service, in which the members of four negro churches of this city parwas exceedingly bitter.

Fatal Wreck on Wabash. St. Louis.-A Wabash passenger the freight conductor.

Carnegie Gives University \$30,000. Fayette, Ia. - Announcement was \$120,000 being raised.

William Fisher, Inventor, Dead. Marshalltown, Ia.-William Fisher, nent in state manufacturing circles.

Russia Loses Prize Gase.

PRESIDENT OF SOUTHERN RAIL. WAY VICTIM OF COLLISION.

PRIVATE CAR SMASHED

Samuel Spencer and Six Others Meet Death in Accident Near Lynchburg, Va., Two Being Prom-Inent Baltimere Men.

Lynchburg, Va.—Samuel Spencer president of the Southern Railway ompany, and recognised as one of the foremost men in the development of the southern states, and six other persons were killed Thursday morning at 6:10 o'clock in a rear end cellision between two fast passenger trains ten miles south of Lynchburg and a mile north of Lawyer's depot. Philip Schuyler, a retired capitalist, of New York, was among the killed, together with other guests of Mr. Spencer. Only Mr. Spencer's private secretary, E. A. Merrill, of New York city, and one of three porters survived the accident.

Following is a list of those killed: Samuel Spencer, New York, president of the Southern Railway company; D. W. Davis, Alexandria, Va., private dispatcher to President Spencer; Charles D. Fisher, Baltimore, Md., member of the grain exporting firm of Gill & Fisher, a guest of President Spencer;



Francis T. Redwood, Baltimore, Md., W. Shaw, negro fireman.

Mr. Merrill's head and arms were badly injured, but he will recover. A tude of the undertaking at Panama but there are snags in the pathways number of others were injured. Blame for the wreck in which Mr. Spencer and his party were killed is

placed wholly on C. D. Mattoax, the operator at Rangoon, who has disappeared. The collision was between the Jack-

sonville express and the Washington & Southwestern vestibule limited. both south-bound. President Spencer lision occurred, and the probabilities are that all of them, exceping Dispatcher Davis were killed instantly. It is certain that life was extinct before the flames touched them. President Spencer's body was burned almost beyond recognition, as was that Schuyler was taken from under the train before it was burned very much. Mr. Spencer's car was attached to the rear of the Jacksonville train. which was standing still when struck. Mr. Spencer was lying directly under the big locomotive of the rear train. So great was the force of the impact that the forward train was sent at least 150 feet ahead, the locomotive President Spencer earned his first

going over and upon the body of Mr. Spencer. Until after the debris burned itself out and the engine cooled off the bodies could not be removed. laurels in railroading on the section of road on which he lost his life Thursday. That portion of the Southern system was formerly known as the Virginia Midland, of which Mr. Spencer was superintendent in 1877. This was the highest position he had charged with conspiring with others their equipment in proper condition. held up to that time, and he left it

within a year for a promotion.

JENNIE YEAMANS IS DEAD. Popular Singer and Actress Succumbe to Tuberculosis.

New York.-Jennie Yeamans, popular as a singer and actress a decade ago, died after a long illness at the Hotel Gerard from tuberculosis. For a week the physicians had held out no hope of recovery. Miss Yeamans lived with her mother, Annie Yeamans, at and Chief of Police Jeremiah Din mans was with her daughter when the end came. Miss Yeamans, who came of theatri-

cal lineage on both her father's and mother's side, was born in Australia. jury in his testimony before the jury 248.422.997. Lady Elgin Survivor is Dead.

Milwaukee. - Edward Mellon. 87 years old, one of the survivors of academy destroyed one of the halls freight train near Ferguson, 12 miles the ill-fated Lady Elgin, who saved and threatened to destroy the main from here, killing the fireman of the himself when the vessel went down died Friday. Ten Prisoners Break Jail. New York.—Ten of the most des-

at large. Stanley Washburn Married.

Washington.-At St. John's church Tuesday Miss Alice Langhorne was Debs. father of Eugene V. Deba married to Stanley Washburn, of Min-neapolis, son of former Senator W. D. ident, died here Tuesday night Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson.

French Warships Go to Tanglers. WEST POINT—The first anniversary of the establishment of the Home
for the Aged in West Point was
properly celebrated by a social entertainment given by the local clergy.

Toulon.—The French squadron commanded are returning owners from
\$20 to \$35 per acre. It is estimated that York county has 16,000 acres of alfalfa which yields hay crops in one
stainment given by the local clergy.

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ROOSEVELT RESUMES DUTIE AFTER PANMA TRIP.

> Covering Cheere as While on Canal Ship and in Porto Rico for Congress.

Washington - After meny months of duliness the wheels of mov ernment business started Tuesday with disty acceleration. Perhaps the ginger noticeable was due to Presi dent Reserveit's return. He was at his dock carty, broased and invigorated in health from his long see trip to Panama and Porto Rico. Secretary Look to him a large amount of correspondence which had no ted since the president's de and was with him up to the time of

the cabinet meeting. Much of the time of the cabinet session was taken up by the presiconditions on the isthmus as the pres-ident found them. There will be re- have the effect of condensing the or during his visit.

meeting for the first time since the beginning of the political campaign.

Washington. — The president believes the people of Porto Rice are eatitled to American citisenship and will

The ship subsidy bill probably will recommend that this be granted to be an exception to the rule for no them, in a special message to con-general legislation. The friends of gress. The president has expressed that measure have never been more the opinion that it is lamentable that insistent than now. They are exthey do not now enjoy this right. In tremely hopeful and yet very approthis connection he noted that, al- hensive. The bill has passed the senthough Porto Rico had sent a delegate ate and is in committee in the house. to the Pan-American congress at Rio The committee has heretofore been Janeiro, that delegate could not even quite evenly divided, but the advosay he was an American citizen, and this is also the case if he visits En- be able to get it out in due season rope or any other foreign country.

The president was very much when once reported to the house. pleased with his visit to Porto Rico, Speaker Cannon has given no positive which he says is a fine country, is assurances as to his attitude, but the prosperous and her government as bill's supporters find encouragement excellent one. The people, he says, in his silence. One incident that is are prosperous.

With but two exceptions, the president Tuesday expressed his complete satisfaction with the condition of affairs on the isthmus of Panama as dismember of the brokerage firm of closed during his three days' inspecdent Spencer; William Pollard, negro out, under ordinary circumstances houses. porter in President Spencer's car; J. will have been adjusted within a very short time. The president expressed important house biffs, the immigrahimself as impressed with the magnition bill and the Philippine tariff bill,

> BRIBERY SCANDAL IN PITTSBURG sibly receive serious consideration Two Arrests Made in Alleged Fran-

carried out.

chise Deal. Pittsburg, Pa.—City Councilman W. A. Martin, charged with bribery in connection with the alleged tube city railroad franchise scandal, was arrest ed at his home Tuesday and locked up

and any attempt to leave the city will.

arrest. \$70,000 which went astray and caused eigner. Chairman Shonts said that all the trouble was to have been dis tributed among 69 councilmen.

SENATOR WARREN IN DENIAL

Calls Special Agent Myendorff's Charges Pipe Dreams.

arrived in the city Friday, made s Commerce commission, Attorney Genstatement in contradiction of the affi davit of Special Agent Myendorff, of the general land office, made at Sali fitional railroad companies to recover Lake City, in which Mr. Warren and penalties for violation of the safety ap his colleague, Senator Clark, were pliance law through failure to keep to put a stop to investigations into The attorney general recently issued the charges made in connection with a similar order directing suits against the entry of coal lands owned by the a large number of roads. Union Pacific Railway company. Sea ator Warren said:

"If Myendorff made such an affide vit he must have been indulging in pipe dreams. I am informed that port of Commissioner of Internal Rev-Senator Clark never saw the man and enue John W. Yerkes for the next fanever had any communication with cal year shows total receipts of \$2914-

him oral or written." Ruef and Chief Dinan Indicted. San Francisco. — Abraham Rue.

Man and Child Freeze to Death. New Rockford, N. D.-Vincent Spilner and wife and two children, of groes shot, 3 of whom will die is the Eastern Wells county, lost their way result of a general row and shooting while driving home from a neighbor's, affair on Sunday growing out of an building. One hundred pupils in the freight train and seriously injuring with hundreds of excursionists aboard, and Mr. Spilner and one child were old feud at Mariette, seven miles from frozen to death.

Miners to Get More Pay.

KEARNEY-Dr. Mansford Mott, a & Lang Co., of York, who won prem- day announced that he had received Shanklin, of Upper Iowa university, at Long Island City escaped from 13 mines in the Bingham district, em- of each armed themselves and the war veterinary surgeon, was fined \$100 and iums at Nebraska State fair, expect to a check from Augustus Heinze for that Andrew Carnegie has given the that institution Friday by sawing out ploying about 2,000 men, would ad began. The jawbone of one of the costs in police court this afternoon exhibit Angus cattle at the next inter- \$100,000. Mr. Heinse formerly was university \$30,000 contingent upon the bars of their cells, and are still vance the wages of their employes es negroes was shattered and his tongue December 1.

> Eugene Debe' Father Dies. Terre Haute, Ind. - Jean Daniel Washburn. The bride is a cousin of Mr. Debs was a native of Alsace, and Butchers' association met today to decide what could be done to appears was 85 years old.

> Girl Student Goes to Prison. manded by Admiral Touchard left year-old college student of Mount to pay increased prices at wholesale.

APPROPRIATION BILLS WILL BE

WASHINGTON-The massage Such, in brief, is the forecast for the short session of the Fifty-sinth conons, which will begin at high noo

There has not yet been time for as leaders before expressing their views, dent's account of his trip to Panama but all seem to regard the present sitand Porto Rico. His special message unties as so simple as to need com-on the Panama canal, it is expected, paratively little intercourse to arrive will be sent to congress probably at an understanding. It is evident about a week after it convenes Mon- that for various reasons it will not day. The document will give a be possible to do much on the appro-graphic and detailed description of printion bills before the holidays, and commendations for the betterment of sideration of the fourteen large supconditions which suggested themselves ply measures into two months. Considering that the aggregate of the ap-All the members were present at the propriations to be, will be approxi-

cates of the bill believe that they will and they hope for its consideration very materially helping the subsidy is the recent speech of Secretary Root

The fact that the speech was delivered at Kansas City is helpful, as Lownes & Redwood, a guest of Presi- tion of the work in progress there. the bill has found its principal opposident Spencer; Gen. Philip Schuyler, One of the exceptions, the president tion in the interior of the country. New York, director of the Southern told his callers, related to the sanitary There have been some significant railway and trustee of New York Life feature of the quarters for bachelos conferences on the bill among the Insurance company, a guest of Presi- negro laborers, and this, he pointed most influential members of the two

The senate has on its calendar two and of the way in which it is being of both. There is still intense opposition to the Philippine bill especially, and it is not believed that it can posduring a short session.

PANAMA IS PLEASED.

People on the Isthmus Taken by Storm by President Roosevelt.

NEW YORK - "President Roose velt took the Panamans by storm." at Central police station, together with C. S. Cameron, president of the Tube City Railroad company. Later arrived on the Panama line steamer they were released on \$10,000 ball Colon, from Colon, Sunday. Mr. Shonts spoke enthusiastically of the recent A number of members of both visit of the chief executive, and debranches of councils are reported to clared that work on the canal was probe under surveillance by detectives gressing under satisfactory conditions. During his talk with the newsit is said, be followed by immediate paper men Mr. Shonts took occasion to deny that his daughter. Theodora. It was alleged that \$40,000 of the had become engaged to a titled for-

SUITS AGAINST RAILROADS.

Charged With Violation of the Safety

Appliance Law. WASHINGTON - Acting on re-Washington.—Senator Warren, whe ports submitted by the Interstate

Uncle Sam's Strong Box.

WASHINGTON - The annual re-762 over the preceding year, while the receipts for the first thre months of the current year show an increase im collections of \$4,661,131 over the corresponding months last year. Commischarge of conspiracy in connection will aggregate \$260,000,000. During the with the alleged protection of a house of ill fame. Chief Dinan was also of ill fame. Chief Dinan was also on distilled spirits \$136,965,911; on fer-separately indicted on a charge of per mented liquors \$54,651,636; on tobacco

Fatal Row Among Negroes. JACKSONVILLE, Fla.-Seven no this city. Seven negroes charged with joing the shooting have been arrested and are in jail here. The climax Salt Lake City.—Announcement was came through one negro striking anshot off.

To Fight the Beef Trust. NEW YORK - Following recent semonstrations by their customers. their patrons. Speakers declared they were helpless to lower the prices Peoria, III.—Eiste Jacobs, the 18 asked of them as they were obliged