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GEN. VAN WYCK returns to his Otoe county farm with a rare collection of scalps hanging to his senatorial the new Third district is composed of waistband.

a bill modifying the money order sys. overcrowded docket the necessary retem so as to authorize postmasters to lief. With two judges court can be issue postal notes in denominations of held in nearly continuous session in \$5 and under. This is an important Douglas county and when the dockets . bill, and will greatly facilitate the transmission of small sums through the mails. It authorizes the issue of money orders without corresponding advices of \$5 and less, to be on enbe invalid after three months. but the holder can after that time get the par value of the note by applying to the postoffice department at Washington. For issuing a postal note a fee of three cents shall be charged. This bill authorizes the issue of cancy in the sixth district. We under money orders in denominations of stand this vacancy and all the new \$100 or less, but none for more than judicial appointments will be filled \$100 can be issued. The following fees are fixed to be charged for money orders: For orders not exceeding \$10, eight cents: from \$10 to \$15, 10 cents; \$15 to \$30, 15 cents; \$30 to \$40, 20 cents; \$40 to \$50, 25 cents; by the legislature, and has sent the \$50 to \$60, 30 cents; \$60 to \$70, 35 secretary of state his reasons for recents; \$70 to \$80, 40 cents; \$80 to \$100, 45 cents.

tion in New York. The chief ground of the veto is that reduction would be an attack on the rights of property, the railroads as yet having failed to pay ten per cent on their invested capital. How Governor Cleve
Third: Another act providing for the election of county attorneys.

Fourth: An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy and the sale of poison; also a notary public bill, there being twe alike.

The governor objects to the county attorney and and Burnside, have been replaced by such men as Frye and Philetus Sawyer and Angus Cambon. The governor objects to the county attorney bill on substantially the grounds are not and Sabin. Of the old sention. In these tactios France had an able lieutenant in the great democratic frame Dakota county. Gen. was actually invested in the roads. The stock has been enormously waterhad already been stocked at twice ings. their market value, and subsequent manipulations of the stock has been in the direction of still further inflation. If the people of New York must pay yearly dividends of ten per cent on this monster monopoly before they no additional executive officer shall be can expect any relief from its exaction, the present generation will not live long enough to see the fares reduced.

The plea about wronging "innocent investors" by depreciating the value of their investments is the merest twaddle. Gamblers are not innocent investors. They take all the chances of gain or loss. The dabblers state must go to the use and support in watered railroad stocks invest with of the common schools. their eyes open. If it is fully underthe stock jugglers will not be the issuing of precinct bonds and to protected by the courts and legislatures on account of interests of "innocent inventors," sale of these doctored securities upon the people. The entire measure to interest. But just so long as our laws permit fraudulent capitalization to go legalization proviso. Governor Dawes unchecked the same old worn out plea very properly refuses his approval on of "assailing investors" will be tirged the ground that the legislation is too against every movement directed sweeping to be safe and that in its towards compelling corporate monopo-lies to deal fairly and justly with their it is more than suspicious.

The plea that the Legislature of New York had no right to put a stop to change in the mail locks used by the extortion by reducing the car fare from postoffice department, and new keys ten to five cents, on account of vested rights acquired by virtue of their charter, is decidedly lame when it is borne to five cents, and new acycles are now being issued to postmasters, employes of the railway mail service and other authorized persons. This is a work of great magnitude, as more a mind that the elevated railroads than 50,000 keys must be tested, distrampled under foot property rights, computed by millions upon millions. Not only did they absolutely destroy property values along the pub-He thoroughfares which they traverse without paying a dollar of damages, bu, they have violated nearly every obligation imposed on them by their

No wonder that the people and papers of New York bitterly denounce Governor Cleveland for interposing toms at Memphis, Nash D, Smith, has his executive authority to sustain iehis executive authority to sustain ie-

THE NEW DISTRICTS.

Under the new judicial redistricting braska was increased from six to ten. These districts are as follows:

1. Gage, Johnson, Nemaha, Paw-nee and Richardson. 1. Cass, Lancaster, Otoe.
2. Douglas, Sarpy, Burt and Washington; two judges.
4. Butler, Colfax, Dodge, Platte, Saunders, Merrick, Nance.

5. Adams, Clay, Fillmore, Jefferson, Saline, Nuckolls, Thayer. 6. Hamilton, Hall, Howard, 8ard, York, Polk. 7. Cedar, Com

All Community Stanton, Knox, Wayne, and and Editorial the Omaha and Winnebago reservations and unorganized territory west

9. Antelope, Boone, Greeley, Pierce, Holt, Valley, Wheeler, and the unor-ganized territory north of Custer and west of Holt countles, comprising the

Loup. 10. Buffalo, Sherman, Dawson, Custer, Keith, Cheyenne, Lincoln, Sloux. It will be seen that under the law the same counties as the old Third district The creation of an additional In its closing hours congress passed judgeship will, however, give our have been cleared in the other counies both judges can sit in Omaha and

rapidly dispose of cases and motions. As an emergency clause was attached to the bill the new law goes into opgraved paper, and known as postal eration from the date of its approval notes, payable to bearer, such notes to by the governor. The appeintment of an additional judge for the third district has now been made and Judge Wakely will enter upon his duties at

> Judge Post's appointment as collector of internal revenue makes a va during the present week.

GOOD REASONS.

Governor Dawes has returned with out his approval four bills passed fusing his sanction to the measures: First: An act for the election of

county attorneys and to abolish dis-

cost of building and equipping the views of the majority of the people. road. Jay Gould added \$17,000,000 On the other hand he cannot sanction of water at one sprinkling after both the repeal of law that has proved en-

> Approval of the pharmacy law is refused because the duties of the ecutive nature, are in violation of the constitution which provides that created. The governor also points out that the section, which provides that the fines and penalties for yiolation of the act shall be held by the board and applied to expenses and salaries, is contrary to the provisions of the constitution which expressly directs that all fines and penalties arising under the general laws of the

The governor is to be commended stood that the thieving chicanery of for his veto of the act to authorize legalize illegally issued bonds. This bill was forced through in the interest of the holders of these repudiated there will soon be no market for the securities and against the interests of which the public is compelled to pay which it was tacked was framed with

> SECOND ASSISSANT POSTMASTER GEN-ERAL ELMER is making a complete tributed under many precautions and receipted for. When the distribution is completed the new locks will be sub-stituted for those now in use. They are models of neatness and security, and about 150,000 will be required to supply the service. - Washington Tele-

Like the periodic change in text books this is a work of magnitude There's millions in it.

funds. In Omaha or Lincoln the embezzlement of public funds is classified law enacted by the legislature, the as a trifling irregularity. A deputy number of judicial districts in Ne- collector of custom, indicted as an embezzler in Omaha, was never brought

lowering of the standard of ability and reputation necessary for entry into the public service. Journals of all classes complain, and with good ment of a just law. It is also true that reason, that the statesmen are one by a number of democrats and republicans one making way for the office brokers, the great debaters for the claim pushers, and the watch dogs attorneys in the lobby abjected to, of the treasury for leeches upon the public strong box, of the anti-morops, who would have while the better classes of the com- their own notions embodied in a bill

munity, the men who by education or nothing, in suming up the causes and ability and integrity and sound which defeated all railroad legislation. It is, however, a cause of congratula new counties, of Brown, Cherry and judgment are best fitted to represent the people with honor to themselves a law on this spoject is not due to any and credit to their constituents are dereliction of duty on the part of either quietly remaining at home and refus-ing to be drawn into political life or all stood shoulder to shoulder on this, as on most other questions. pushed saide by others less fitted to perform the duties of popular representatives. That much of feeling is due to a habit of glorifying the past at the expense of the present may perhaps be admitted. Events which seemed of trifling importance to those who took part in them are magnified by posterity. Men who were traduced by their contemporaries are often the the last moment a conference commitheroes of later ages. But a comparison of any of our public bodies with those of ten years ago will show that there are good grounds for the charge that the standard of our legislatures and especially of congress has steadily declined in the calibre of their representatives and that the most distinpuished of our senators and congressmen have left the public service to give way to successors of more mod-

erate abilities. n the United States senate. Of the seventy-six senators of that body scarcely twenty are known outside of their own states except through the pages of the Congressional Record as Governor Cleveland's veto of the bill reducing the rates of fare on the elevated railroads from ten to five cents, has aroused a storm of indignative cents, and to legalize bonds allowed to abolish district autorneys.

Second: An act to authorize precipitation was called up aristocracy of wealth. Within aix become more or less an aristocracy of wealth. Within aix become more or less an aristocracy of wealth. Within aix being about 100 in all, will be of or or namental design and a credit to his first duty is to the public. Mr. Franse evidently regarded the matter in a different light. For, whenever works will have a capacity of working up the control of design and a credit to his first duty is to the public. Mr. Franse evidently regarded the matter in a different light. For, whenever working up the control of design and a credit to his first duty is to the public. Mr. Franse evidently regarded the matter in a different light. For, whenever working up the control of the contro fact is a mystery. No investigation has as yet succeeded in
discovering what amount of capital

taken by The Ban some day ago. He
fails to see any necessity for the prostitutional questions arising from the
rebellion, scarcely a handful remain.

tion. In these tactics France had an
able lieutenant in the great democratic
anti-monop from Dakota county, Gen.
Hollman. would increase the efficiency of our Edmunds and Bayard are still in their courts, while it certaintly would great- places, Jones of Nevada, and Sherman York Times. ed, and the bonded debt so inflated by increase the expense. Further he is convinced that it would be difficult for even a director to discover the actual be in the best interest of or meet the Nebraska do something more than attention to the bill for the relief of vital issues which was characteristic of the New York and Manhattan roads tirely satisfactory in its practical work- the body ten years ago is lacking. decline of the senate is doubtless due in part to a decrease of popular interest in politics. The war closed eighlack of public interest in political plat- him. forms and principles. To this as much as anything else is due the indifference of voters to the quality of the men who represent them at home and at the national capital. But there is an issue which is forcing itself to the front which will require the ablest of

Frye's and Hale's and Plumb's and its masters. As a party it is recking Jonases' must give way to men with with rottenness and corruption. It is honesty enough to voice the popular tion in Nebraska, and a libel upon jus-demand, and with brains enough to make that demand heard in the halls of congress. There is no lack of material for statesmen in the country. background ready to answer to the call whenever it is made on the part

consideration by the efforts of char-

of the public. Old Kaintuck

In the last caucus held by the republicans of the house, Speakes Humphrey made a speech, opposing all railroad legislation, saying he did not believe the people desired anything of the kind. Then Grinstead, from Richardson county, who had faced the rebel of his native state when The fact that members of the legisla they tried to take "Old Kaintuck" ture were constantly consulting with out of the Union, fairly peeled the hide ciff the gentleman from Pawnee. He reminded the speaker that he never would have been a member of the legislature had be not made he never would have been a member of the legislature had he not made anti-monopoly professions during the campaign; nor would he have been elected speaker but for a repetition of those same professions. And every member present knew that Grimstead told the truth,

VOICE OF STATE PRESS. tol bill may feel all right over it, but

A Matter of Sincere Regret. The Register sincerely regret; that bezzler in Omaha, was never brought the representatives of the people in to trial, and the late custodian at Lin-THE DECLINE OF THE SENATE

There is more truth than fiction in the charge that the caubre of our public men is a control of the control of the charge that the caubre of our public men is a control of the charge that the caubre of our public men is a control of the charge that the caubre of our public men is a control of the charge that the caubre of our public men is a control of the charge that the caubre of our public men is a control of the charge that the caubre of our public men is a control of the caubre of t public men is "ceadily declining. In substantially the same platform with reference to this subject. But there seems to have been a decided in the house the democrats made all

were to all intents and purposes, it the these influences must be added some

Extravagance and Jobbery. Pairbury Gazette. The legislature adjourned Monday night, having been in session several days after the pay of members stop-ped. No measures of general public benefit have been passed so far as we have observed. A large number of railroad bills were introduced, the conelderation of which consumed a good share of the time of the session and at tee was appointed which reported a bill but the Senate laid it on the table. Appropriations however have been made a liberality unprecedented. The capital bill got through with votes to Cennard and Pearman which heretofore have been rejected were allowed; provisions were made for a few more politicians by incressing the number of judicial districts, for which, as is well known, there was no necessity, as testified to by some of the present judges. In fact in place of the economy and reform promised at the open-The most notable example is found ing of the session, extravagance and printed form, and Secretary Gibson the United States senate. Of the jobbery seem to have prevailed.

The Gentleman from Cuming.

utton Register,

The Relief Mill,

weight down seats, but the solidity and Uncle Pearman, the squatter governor braininess and ability to grapple with bill for the relief of Patrick O'Bannon O'Shannon O'Hades O'Hawes, the body ten years ago is lacking. member of congress contingent, Great issues call out great men. The \$1,100, which, we suppose, is to reimburse him for money sunk in his Washington peanut stand enterprise. A bill for the relief of Tom P. Kenteen years ago and the issues which what for. Neither does anybody else. grew out of it have been settled. The And so the relief bills go in the great lack of defined differences between the ness of their vast greatness until a bill political parties is accountable for the barnacle in the state is thrust upon

Can any honest republican in Ne bracka say that he feels proud of the gang?

Kearney Press. champions at Washington. Congress teel to-day. Every pledge made by appointed to lay the same before the the republican party in the last camconsideration by the efforts of charserfs, and fit only to toll and earn money for the aristocrats of corporate be redeemed from railroad control before there is any hope of national regulation of the railroads. The majority, and it did the bidding of the state controlled the republican avenue with its tracks. The railroads are supported by the state controlled the republican avenue with its tracks.

Knox County News, Val's Official, We notice in one of our eastern ex-We notice in one of our eastern exchanges that the students of a certain college "larded" the seats of the chair occupied by the faculty and were suspended. It is currently reported that Judge Valentine or some other influential politician at Washington has played the same trick on Vac Randa—"larded" the receiver's chair of the Niobrara land office, slid Vac out and slid Sanford Parker in.

Will Settle With Them.

The Nebraska legislature could have easily passed a railroad bill had there been a desire to do that kind of work.

Better Had Stayed at Home.

The Nebraska legislature had

their constituents don't, and that half the voters in the future to severely let those fellows alone.

Those Little Games.

The railroad bill failed, but the apitol appropriation bill went through in spite of a blundering engrossing clerk. Such little games cannot defeat the ways of a Lincoln lobby.

A Lamentable Want.

What the republican party of Ne-braska lacks to day is the cohesion of ideas, the inspiration of common high purpose and a moral, instead of a bitter fight for leadership. Its stock of old principles is not used up.

A RAILROAD FIGHT.

The Claims of the Oil Works for a Side Track.

Opposition from the Citizens of North Omaha,

At the last mesting of the city coun

cil an ordinance was presented granting the right of way to any railroad company to lay a railway track across Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, through the alley between Cuming and Nicholas streets, to connect with the Woodman linseed oil works, the ordinance being referred to the committee on streets and grades. The route chosen follows the line of North Omaha creek almost its entire length, and the principal features of the ordinance have already been published in THE BEE. It has since been somewhat amended, one of the clauses added being that no cars shall be moved or operated thereon between the hours of 5 p. m. and 12 p. m. This spare, and old claims like those of is intended for the protection of the popular boulevard, Sixteenth street, across which it passes at its junction with Sherman avenue

Monday a special meeting of the board of trade was held to consider the proposed ordinance. Vice President Clark, who presided stated the object of the meeting. The amended ordinance was presented in

which were unanimously approved by

the board. These resolutions recite the fact that The most absolute tool and hireling the Woodman Linseed Oil Works de of the railroads in the legislature was sire to secure railroad connection with pages of the Congressional Record as the gentleman (?) from Cuming, Mr. their works; that they are now build-answering to roll calls or announcing Franse, a dyed in the wool democrat. It is just as honorable to work for a of the kind in the United States,

> cocca nuts every day, the value of the product of which will be about \$12,000 for each day the works are operated or nearly \$4,000,000 per year, and giving employment to over 100 men. It will make Omaha a market for 900,000 bushels of flaxseed every year, all of which will be grown in the State and for 15,000 tons of cocca nuts, which will be imported from the South Sea

Some of the stockholders of the company are wealthy San Francisco and St. Louis merchants and have invested largely in these works because of their faith in the future of this city Believing in the encouragment of outside capital to invest in such enter-

prises and believing that the route of the proposed track, lying as it does, almost its entire length along the bed of North Omaha Creek, and believing that the ordinance affords ample protection to the interests, both of the city and the property holders, the Board therefore resolves: That the reamble and resolutions be presented to the city council with the request that they grant the right of way as set forth in the proposed ordinance with as little delay as possible.

THE OPPOSITION. The proposed track has developed considerable opposition from the citi-zens of North Omaha and particularly of Sixteenth street, and a meeting was Monday held at the store of Henry Bolin, presided over by that gentle-man. Mr. Peter McDermott acted as

secretary.

Petitions previously circulated and The citizens of Nebraska never be-fore felt so outraged on account of the action of their representatives, as they



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