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GOVERNOR BOYD'S ENLISTMENT. Mustered In as a Volunteer at Fort

Kearney in 1864. LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 19 .- | Special to THE BEE.] - Adjutant General Vifquain announces a discovery that may have an important bearing on the question of Governor Boyd's citirenship. He learned Saturday evening that Mr. Boyd was mustered into the army at Fort Kearney, Neb., in the latter part of 1864, and enlisted for the campaign.

The Indians of that section had been committing depredations and threatening war, and by order of General Mitchell, commanding general of the Department of the Platte, with headquarters at Omana, settlers were mustered in as volunteers for an Indian cam-Mr. Boyd had a homestead on Wood paign. Mr. Boyd had a homestead on Wood tor, and, like many other settlers, retired to Fort Kearney for safety. He there en-listed as a volunteer, but had the good for-tune not to be called on to take part in an engagement.

The general says Governor Boyd had for-gotten the circumstance until reminded of it. He also says that the officer who mustered the governor into service is now living in Lincoln, while other persons cognizant of the affair are living in the state and availa-ble as witnesses if needed.

COST OF THE MILITIA.

The General Government Expected to Refund Nebraska's Outlay.

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 19 .- [Special to Trin BEE, !- The adjutant general has no bills for expenses incurred in sending the militia to the border, but an estimate puts the aggregate at \$50,000 to \$55,000. General Vifquain thinks the bills of the railroads may aggregate \$40,000. The law allows 32% cents per man per day for rations, but it may be construed liberally on the ground that it would be unmreasonable to expect men to come down from home fare to hard tack sow belly the first day The items of rations will probably run from \$3,000 to \$4,000. The guards are entitled to \$1 a day for the first ten days and at the rate of \$13 a month thereafter. As there were nearly eight hundred and fifty men who were in service twelve days on an average, this item will foot up to about \$9,000. The officers of the militia offered the servrices of the men free, but the adjutant gen-eral will put in an appropriation bill to cover their pay. He maintains that the outlay oc-casioned by the recent Indian outbreak will eventually be refunded by the general gov-ernment and there is no good reason why the Nebraska troops, who-rendered material as-

owing as general order No. 3, under date "The commander-in-chief, in behalf of the people of Nebraska, tenders most grateful thanks to the officers and men of the Nebraska National Guards. They deserve well from the people, and the whole state can be proud of the appreciation of their services by veteran and model soldier as Major General elson A. Miles of the United States army. No Nebraska home will be in mourning for a member of the National guards killed in bittle, thanks to kind Providence. But yet the leaving of home home on a moment's tice, the willingness to defend the bo against an invasion of savages and the conse quent hardships of military duty in the midst of winter, demonstrates fully that the National guards are worthy sons of the men of 1861. The officers and men of the Nebraska National guards who have taken part in this campaign should carry a badge of recognition in commemoration of the event, and Brigadier General L. W. Colby is hereby instructed to take the necessary steps accordingly. A copy of this order shall be forwarded to the colonels commanding and by them promulgated to their respective companies."

sistance, according to General Miles, should not receive payment for their services. Adjutant General Vifquain has issued the

THE SENATE.

Adoption of the Resolution to Recognize Boyd as Governor De Facto. LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 19 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-The first business of the senate this afternoon was the adoption of Senator Collins resolution to recognize Mr. Boyd as governor de facto by a vote of 23 to 6. The nays were Horn, Poynter, Randall, Sanders, Stevens and Williams, all independents.

A resolution to meet at 9 o'clock every morning during the contest was laid on the Among the bills introduced were the fol-

By Hill-For the levy and collection of taxes on mortgages on real estate.

By Hill—To limit telephone charges to \$2
per month for business places and \$1.50 a menth for residences.

By Hill-Providing that there shall be one secretary of the board of transportation from each of the three parties, republican, demorat and independent. By Keiper—Providing for a state examiner

to inspect the accounts of county treasurers and inaugurate a uniform system of keeping By Day-Regulating the eligibility of can didates for district judges.

By Dysart-To amend the usury law. By Turner-Providing that an elector may cast as many votes for one candidate for representative or member of the legislature as there are representatives or members to be elected, or may divide his votes between two

or more candidates.
Mr. Stevens moved that when the senate adjourn it be to 10 o'clock tomorrow morning to go into joint convention to hear and determine the contests, and was adopted after some wrangling by a vote of 16 to 14.

The concurrent resolution fixing the time for the joint session seems to have been lost in the shuffle. If treated as a bill (as it has been in reading it three times) it should have been signed by the presiding officers of the two houses in the presence of their respect-ive bodies and then sent to the governor. It

has not been presented to the lieutenant gov-ernor or the speaker for their signatures and therefore cannot go to the governor before tomorrow's session. Some attribute the fail-ure to ignorance, but it seems to be the pur pose of the independents not to give the governor a chance to throw any doubt upon the validity of the joint convention.

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 19 .- | Special to THE BEE.]-The house met promptly at 4 o'clock with ninety members present.

A message was received from the senate to the effect that the senate has passed the concurrent resolution fixing the hour of the meeting of the joint convention to hear and determine the contest cases at 10 a. m., Tuesday, January 20.
Among the bills introduced and not already

reported were the fallowing:
By Mullen-Empowering county boards to using sinking fund.

By Porter—An Australian ballot bill.
By Gale—Regulating telephone charges.
The bill fixes a rate of \$1.50 per month in private houses and ≳ per month in business houses, and not to exceed 25 cents between any towns in the state for a five minutes' By Mullen-Fixing the penalty for usury

at forfeiture of both principal and interest and a fine for the benefit of the school fund equal to the same.

By Rumell-Relating to water privileges in irrigating districts.

By Parker—Providing that all saloon and

other license fees shall be paid into the general school fund. By Moan-To prohibit free passes to public

By Sternsdorff-To define the powers es and obligations of homestend associa-Bp Moan—Reducing passenger fares to 2

centsper mile.

BpFelker—Providing that all loan agents

shall be licensed who accept chattel mort-gages and shall not receive a greater rate of interest than 12 per cent. The license fee is fixed at from \$5 to \$25.

Mr. Gale (ind) moved that the bill intro-duced by Mr. Moan, prohibiting free passes be indefinitely postponed. Mr. Moan de-fended his bill, and said that no railroad will fended his bill, and said that no ratiroad will give a pass without expecting a return, and that passes given to legislators were intended to influence legislation. The roll call was demanded and the motion lost—22 to 73—and the bill passed to second reading.

A bill was introduced by Falker providing that one-third of the school board of metropolitics will be composed of women.

rate of Interest at 7 per cent, and 10 per On motion of Shrader the house adjourned

Legislative Notes. Everybody is getting ready for the contest. The independents are in favor of a convention to revise the state constitution. Several joint resolutions providing for a convention have already been introduced from that side. The bill to extend the time for enforcing executions against real estate, introduced by Mr. Shrader, does not contemplate making general law. It only applies to existing obli-gations and short time contracts, and will expire by limitation three years after its

Mr. J. M. Monn of Dakota, although not a member of the alliance, is making an cuvia-ble record as an anti-monopolist. He has introduced bills to abolish free passes, to re-duce passenger fare to 2 cents per mile, and to provide for the election of railroad comssioners by the people.

Excitement in Leghorn. PARIS, Jan. 19 .- Special Cablegram to THE BEE. !- Telegrams of a most disturbing nature have been received here from Leghorn by persons in private life, it being understood that for the present, the control of press dis patches has been placed under a censorship According to the communications referred to, a number of dynamite cartridges were almost simultaneously exploded on Saturday in close proximity to various houses of wealthy residents of Leghorn. It is, at the moment, impossible to secure details, but it is reported that the outrages are attributed, by the Italian police, to a well planned anarchist plot. The explosions, it is said, were to have een the signal for the inauguration of a riot during the progress of which a portion of the city, inhabited by the wealthy class, was t have been locted. Great excitement is re-ported to prevail at leghorn. The alarming elegrams here referred to were received by persons who have relatives and friends in the city. These latter are doing everything to obtain particulars.

The Raum Inquiry Resumed.

Washington, Jan. 19.-The Raum investigation was resumed this morning. Assistant Secretary Bussey testified that he did not now have nor never did have any interest in the refrigerator company. Raum once asked him to allow the use of his name in organizing the company, in order to comply with the law, and believing Commissioner Raum a thoroughly reputable man he had no hesita-tion in attending a meeting at Alexandria, at which the company was organized. He did not intend to be a stockholder and, so far as he knew, no stock was ever assigned him Bradley Tanner, the commissioner's private secretary, testified that he was secretary and treasurer of the District of Columbia refrigerator company, of which the Universal re frigerator company was the parent company.

No stock was ever issued. Green B. Raum was asked by Cooper the name of the man who took care of his horse. He replied that his name was O'Donnell, a messenger in the pension office at \$70 a month. O'Donnell did his duty and attended to witless' horse after office hours, for which wit-

ness paid him.

Justice Brown's First Opinions. Washington, Jan. 10.-Justice Brown today rendered his first opinions as a member of the United States supreme court. He delivered two opinions, of which the more important was in the case of George H. Cope vs Janet Cope and Thomas H. Cope, brought here on an appeal from the decision of the supreme court of the territory of Utah. question involved was whether or not a son by a polygamous marriage had the right of inheritance from his father, it being claimed that he was illegitimate. The court holds that he was niegitimate. The court holds that a son by polygamous marriage did have that right and reverses the judgment of the territorial court. The court says the Edmund-Tucker act declared legitimate all children of Mormon parents born within less than twelve months from its passage. Its object, the court says, was to make these unfortunate children an especial object of care and to make parents relinquish polygamy by fixing a period until after which their offspring should be legitimate.

A Severe Storm.

Bosron, Mass., Jan. 19 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. !- Reports from the various sections of New England indicate that the storm of Saturday night was one of the most severe of the winter. At Haverhill the country roads were almost impassable and railroad travel was seriously interfered with. Fall River reports that all communication with Boston was broken for twenty-four hours. A foot of snow has fallen at Lancas-ter, N. H., and it is still snowing. At New Bedford a bridge across the river was dainagen and rendered unsafe. Salem was in darkness last night owing to the mayor ordering the electric light currents off, fearing trouble from the crossing of the wires. In Boston the wires are down in all directions. A heavy snow fell at Rutland, Vt., which

has badly drifted in places.

Suffering in Kansas. Toreka, Kas., Jan. 19 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Governor Humphrey submitted a message to the legislature this afternoon calling attention to a dispatch sent him from Rawlins county, telling him of extreme suffering from cold and hunger, and asking the legislature for assistance. He suggested that an emergency bill be rushed through the legislature authorizing the warden of the state penitentiary to furnish all the coal sary from the mines uear Leavenworth. When the message was submitted the repre-sentative from Rawlins county read a telegram which had just been handed him which tated that many farmers were burning their furniture for fuel and that twelve inches of snow was on the ground. The bill be drawn up tonight and passed at the morning session.

Not the Aeronaut. Chicago, Jan. 19,-[Special Telegram to THEBEE. |- Five curious boxes are lying at the Polk street depot. E. J. Pennington of Mount Carmel, who is at the, Grand Pacific, says they contain his celebrated flying machine and that it will be put together and made to navigate the air in the exposition building in a few days. A meeting of the stockholders in the navigation company is to be held tomorrow at which the members will be asked to contribute 10 per cent of the cap-

ital stock of \$30,000,000.
The Bar correspondent said to the inventor today: "Mr. Pennington, have you ever sailed through the air with your ship?" The inventor looked surprised. "Why, no," he replied, "but than, you know, I'm not an acronaut."

A Remarkable Operation.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-An operation has just been performed here which, if it proves successful, will be a triumph in surgery. John Fuller, an employe at. Armour's packing house, had his left hand almost severed by a cleaver. The radial artery was not divided, although all the flexor and extension tendons, except the extensors of the thumb, as well as the carpal bones, were completely severed. tendons and nerves have been reunited with sutures and the external wound sewed together, requiring about fifteen stitches. Unless blood poisoning should set it, he will in all likelihood regain the use of his hand, the surgeons say, and, in time, even be able to properly control the muscles of his fingers.

More Land Thrown Open. ASHLAND, Wis., Jan. 19 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Instructions were re-

ceived at the local land office this morning giving the descriptions of some two hundred and fifty thousand acres more land restored to the public domain. It is that part of the central grant of 1864 which overlaps the Omaha grant and is nearly all located be-tween An's City and Superior. There will be quite a rush for the lands as they are valuable and hundreds of settlers are pouring in every day.

The lows Law Upheld. VINTON, Ia., Jan. 19.—[Special telegram to THE BEE.]—In the case of the state of Iowa against Hoff, argued and submitted on the agreed statement of facts that Hoff, as agent A bill was introduced by Falker providing that one-third of the school board of metropolitan cities shall be composed of women.

Several bills were introduced fixing legal opinion in the same case.

BIG CRASH IN KANSAS CITY.

The American National Bank is Forced to Close Its Doors.

SENSATION IN BUSINESS CIRCLES.

President Stimson Blames the Clearing House-Climax of a Week's Run-Secretary Blaine a Stockholder.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 19 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The American National bank, capital \$1,250,000, one of the largest institutions in the city, closed its doors this morning. A run is being made on the Kansas City savings bank, a poor man's institu-

tion, and great excitement prevails. No statement of the liabilities or assets can be obtained. During the early part of last week it became known to the members of the Kansas City clearing house association that the bank was in need of assistance. A meeting of the association was called and a reso lution adopted assuring the American that upon a proper showing assistance would be rendered to the amount of \$1,000,000, A committee was appointed to examine the collaterals, and Saturday they reported the paper offered not such as the banks of the association would accept. This decision made the failure of the bank inevitable, and the bank examiner assumed charge of the concern. As a result of the failure a great deal of uncasiness has been created.

The deposits of the bank ars about \$1,200, 000 having fallen to that amount from \$4,000,000 since the first of last October. It is as certained that the bank owes over \$500,000 borrowed money. Gentlemen in a condition to know the condition of the other national banks of this city said this morning they are in an unusually good condition and would not be materially affected by the failure. A big run was made on the Kansas City safe deposit company on account of the

American national bank failure, and the institution was forced to suspend. It is the largest concern of the kind in the state and is situated directly under the American na The failure has created intense excitement here today. Although it has been known in financial circles for several days that the

American was in bad shape the average citi zen had no idea of the crash. There was a run all day long on the Kansas City safe deposit and savings bank in the same building with the American, but it will likely tide over the trouble. There were runs on other banks, but the American has

been the only one to go under so far.

The Birmingham car works failed this morning, thus adding to the general excite-Of the stock of the broken bank Secretary of State James G. Blaine beld \$50,000 worth and many other prominent easterners were

interested President H. P. Stimson was closeted all day, but in the afternoon he made a state-ment in which he practically accused the clearing house with being responsible for the failure. He says that the clearing house met and offered the bank aid before it had asked for it, thus creating a strong feeling distrust. distrust. In less than a week nearly \$2,000,000 of the \$5,000,000 deposits were withdrawn and, Saturday there was another strong demand without any of the excite ment of a run. If the other banks of the ment of a run. If the other banks of the city get over the present trouble there will be good cause for thanks for the situation ! at least alarming. The feeling of unrest is widespread here and it does not require much to put affairs on edge.

While the Kansas City bank failure occa-sioned some comment in this city, it did not cause any surprise in banking circles. The American National bank of Kunsas City has never been regarded in a very favorable light by the Omaha banks, and from recent developments they were rather anticipating its suspension. The bank was organized about four years ago, and from the very first began to antagonize all the old and well established institutions. They, however, me with phenominal success and run their de posits up into the millions, but by the aid of methods not generally considered consistent with sound banking principles. The deposits were largely made up of bankers' ac from such western cities as Denver Sait Lake, Portland, Tacoma, Helena, Spo kane and Seattle. The recent money strin-gency caused western bankers to draw out their funds, and this cut down the deposits at an alarming rate. At the time of the last bank statement—December 19—the deposits had dropped down to \$2,476,544.59. Since then they have fallen off rapidly, and it is ge-ported that at the time of closing they had only about two millions. The failure does not in the slightest manner affect any of the Omaha banks, as they were all fully aware of the true condition of the Kansas City institution and were rather expecting its downfall. Omaha bankers also express an opinion that other Kansas City banks have escaped unharmed and that none of them will be in any way compromised by the

The President's Statement. Mansas City, Mo., Jan. 19.—President Stillson in a public statement says: "The cause of the failure seems to have been the lack of confidence which has pervaded the business world for the past few months. A rumor gained currency three months ago that the bank was not in the best condition. Withdrawal of deposits followed immedi ately, and with the growth of unfavorable reports increased to an alarming extent. On October I the bank's statement showed deposits of \$4,200,000. December 19 they fell off to \$2,500,000, and Saturday night when the clearing house committee made an investigation they aggregaoed only \$1,400,000. The cash available at that time was \$400,000. The increase began with the stringency in eastern money mar-kets and when the bank found itself obliged to negotiate a loan of \$800,000 in the east was compelled to give as collateral gilt-edgesecurities. When these drains upon the bank's resources became generally known confidence was impaired. The members of the clearing house could not agree on any plan of assistance and the bank examiner was no tified by me. The clearing house meeting was first called without our knowledge and other banks voluntarily offered assistance of needed. Unfortunately the meeting became public, causing increased rumors, which re-sulted in a run Friday and Saturday, and applied to the clearing house in but they failed to agree on plan of assistance and we were obliged to close, although in my opinion this ought never to have occurred as the bank has always been solvent. Depositors will be paid in full and if the assets are properly handled the stockholders should get back a large part of the original investment."

The liabilities are estimated at \$2,250,000 the estimates are nominally \$3,500,000.

No Surprise in Unicago. Chicago, Jan. 19.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The business connection of the American national bank of Kansos City with Chicago institutions was very small. Its correspondent, the Merchants' national bank transacting it all. The failure has caused only mild surprise. In fact private information that trouble might be expected was sent from Kansas City on last Saturday night. At the Merchants' national bank scarcely any-

thing could be learned, "For the reason," the cashier explained, "that we know almost nothing. We do what business the American national bank has to do here, but this is small. No, we shall not be affected in the least by it nor will any Chi-

Charles Hutchinson, president of the Corn Exchange national, said that he had received advices from the Kansas City correspondent that there were rumors there Saturday night that trouble this morning was not unex-pected. "Its last reports showed the bank was not in the best condition," said Mr. Comptroller Lacey Notified.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19 .- Lacey, comptroller of the currency, received a telegram this morning from Bahk Examiner Marshall, announcing the suspension of the American National bank at Kansas City. He said there had been a very heavy run on the bank and that the situation looked serious. He adds, thowever, that he did not think the

bank's liabilities, exceeded \$1,000,000. The comptroller said be thought the bank was suffering from efforts to assist its correspond-Kansas, four of which failed recently.

Correspondents Not Affected. New Your, Jan. 19.—The Chemical and Seaboard national banks, correspondents of the American national bank of Kansas City will not be affected by the failure. Cuicaso, Jan 129.—The Merchants, national bank, correspondent of the American national bank of Kansas City, which failed today, will not feet the suspension.

SYMPATRY FROM GERMANY.

Emperor William Expresses Sorrow Over Historian Bancroft's Death. Washington, Jan. 19 .- Mr. J. C. Bancroft has received the following dispatch from the emperor of Germany through the German minister here: "His majesty, the emperor and king, remembering the relations of friendship which for many years existed between his majesty, the late Emperor William, and the late Hon George Bancroft as minister of the United States to Berlin, has directed me to express to you and your family his most sincere sympathy for the great loss which has fallen upon you and your country."

An Ex-Confederate Dinner. YORK Jan. 19 .- The first annual dinner of the Confederate veteran camp of New York tonight brought together many prominent men from all parts of the country. The camp is said to be the first ex-confederate organization north of the Patomic. Miss Winnie Davis, who was an honored guest, was greeted when she entered the hall with the rebel yell, given with a vigor not equaled since the days of 1865. Men-tion of the name of General Grant in different speeches brought forth cheer after cheer. His name was spoken with that after cheer. His name was spoken with that of Lee and Thomas A. Young pledged the energy of every member of the camp to complete the monument to General Grant, His memory was drank in silence, all standing.

The Caucus Nominates Moody. PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 19,- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-At the republican caucus tonight fifty votes were east for Moody, eight for Meliette, one for Melville, one for Me-Cormick, one for Pickler and two for Clark. Three were present, not voting, and fourteen were absent. Moody was then nominated unanimously, and, being brought in, made a speech. Some disposition was shown to bear out the reports that a number of members will not vote for Moody under any circum-

Senator Pettigrew and Representatives Gamble and Pickler are here, actively assist-

At the independent caucus sixty-one mem tion was taken except that every member pledged himself to vote for some independent. It is expected Wadill will lead, with Harden next and Cross third, with a few scattering votes. The solid twenty-five democratic votes will go to Tripp. All parties are doing hard work.

South Dakota Legislature.

PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 19. - [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The house did not consider the contests this afternoon, as expected, but adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. at which time they will be acted upon. The combine expect to seat six additional members. This will be hotly contested by the republicans, who will bring in a minority re port. Whether the matter can be disposed of in time for the vote on United States sen-ator is doubtful. In the senate a bill approprinting \$71,431 for the expenses of this session of the legislature was passed.

The North Dakota Senatorshins BISMARCK, N. D., Jan. 19 .- Tomorrow baloting begins for United States senator. The democrats have caucused and agreed to support ex-Secretary M. S. McCormick. The fight of the field on the republican side against the re-election of Gilbert A. Pierce has been so determined that all efforts to hold has been so determined tone an enterest of the a republican causes thus far have failed. It is probable that a majority of the democrats, after casting a complimentary vote for Mc-Cormick, will throw for a low tariff republican. Pierce's friends are sanguine.

Preparing to Invade the Strip. St. Louis, Jan. 19 .- Advices from the northern border of the Cherokee strip are to the effect that the movement to invade the strip is assuming vast proportions. January 29 is set as the day for a general invasion, but at present boomers are going into the strip every day in large numbers for the purpurpose of picking out their claims. At one point alone 3,000 boomers have assembled and are anxiously waiting the signal to enter.

The Illinois Legislative Contest. Springfield, El., Jan. 19,-The house elections committee today read the affidavits in the Butzow-Hamilton contested election case for three hours. They were generally favorable to Hamilton, the republican incumbent, and upon the evidence presented thus far even the democrats confess that the at-tack against Hamilton's right to the seat is without foundation.

Goes for His Health.

[Copyright 1891 by James Gordon Bennett.] Bentan, Jan. 19 .- [New York Herald Cable -Special to THE BEE. |- White it is true that Dr. Koch is going to Egypt, it is on account of his health, and he leaves Berlin on the best of terms with the government. He goes for rest and recuperation and will return in the spring to take charge of the new laboratory which is to be erected by the state.

A Bellamy Scheme Collapses. EVANSTON, Ill., Jan. 19. - Special Telegram THE BEE.]-The Evanston Co-operative Housekeeping association, formed on plans laid down by Edward Bellamy, assigned today. Henry L. Gram, formerly chef of the Hotel Poicton, Paris, recently left the service of the company and the ladies of the association declare that Gram's extravagan culinary method is responsible for

failure. King Kalakaua at Death's Door. SAN FRANCISCO, Cala., Jan. 19.—King Kalakaua of Hawaii is lying at the point of death at the Palace hotel in this city. He has been suffering from Bright's disease, and this morning his illness took a most alarming He is being attended by Fleet Sur-Wood of the United States steamship Charleston, and Dr. Sawyer. Prominent local physicians have been called in consul-

McGrath's Resignation Desired. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 19 .- A Star To peka special says: "The judiciary committee of the farmers' alliance, which investigated President McGrath's alleged connection with the Turner letter, has decided to request his resignation, and the president has fully de cided that he wift stay there until kicked out, as there is no provision in the alliance consti-tution by which he can be ousted.

Honoring the Great Historian. WASHINGTON, 19an. 19.-The secretary of the navy today Issued general orders officially announcing the death of Mr. Bancroft and directing the the heavy department be draped in mourning for thirty days. The pall bearers at the funeral will be Chief Jus-tice Fuller, Justice Field, Justice Blatchford, Senator Evarts, Mr. Bayard, Admiral Rog-ers, Mr. Spoffard, Mr. George William Curtis and Mr. John A. King.

Baron Wissmin's Journey. Berlin, Jan. 19 .- [Special Cablegram to THE BEE.]-The North German Gazette, in noticing the report of Baron Wissman's Illness adds that private telegams received from Zanzibar contain the information that Baron Wissman, on January 15, started for Kilima-Njaro with ten officers and 500 men.

Baron Wissmann Insanc. Berlin, Jan. 19 .- Lieutenant Liedermann has received from Zanzibar a message to the effect that Baron Wissman has suddenly developed signs of insanity.

Forced to Assign. AURORS, Ill., Jan. 19.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—John A. Hodgman, boot and

shoe dealer, assigned today. A judgment was recently entered up against John H. Hodgman in the circuit court, and a commercial agency, in its report, mistook the name for that of the shoe merchant. Mr. Hodgman's creditors immediately jamped upon him and compelled him to make an assign-

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19 .- In the senate today Mr. Gorman argued against the correctness of a ruling made by the vice president Friday to the effect that an appeal from his decision was not debatable because the question itself on which the decision was made (a motion to lay on the table) was no a debatable

Mr. Edmunds held that the decision was absolutely right. The discussion was kept up for some time, when Mr. Gorman withdrew the motion. It is thought to be some thing in the nature of a flank movement against the closure matter.

The elections bill was taken up and Mr. George spoke. He remarked in the course of his speech that much had been said about the new constitution of Mississippi, which less liable to abuse than those of several other states. He asserted that the constitution of Oregon adopted in 1857 contained provisions prohibiting the immigration of negroes and practically outlawing them. Mr. Dolph said that the constitution was

framed when Oregon was democratic and under the lead of General Joe Lane. It had not since been amended.

Mr. George dwelt on the matter at som length, saying in response to a query of Mr.
Dolph that these provisions may
not be an expression of the not be an expression of the judgment of the people of Oregon at the present day, but they were the expressions at that time and the people of Oregon bave not seen fit to withdraw them.

The vice president laid before the senate message from the president transmitting the sale of the western part of their reservation Mr. Hoar moved that the adjournment

today be until noon tomorrow to give the senators an opportunity to attend the funeral of Mr. Bancroft. Agreed to.
Mr. George resumed his speech, but yielded for an executive session, and the senate soon adjourned.

House. WASHINGTON, Jan. 19 .- The Intentions of the democrats in the house to resort to obstruction tactics until the termination of the senate on the elections bill were manifested this morning when Mr. Bland demanded the reading of Saturday's proceedings in full instead of in abbreviated form.

Then Mr. Mills moved an amendment to the journal relative to the refusal of the chair to reconsider the vote by which Friday's journal was approved.

Mr. Cannon inquired whether It was in order to move the previous question on the approval of the journal. The speaker, after an examination of Mr.
Mills' motion, recognized Mr. Cannon.
Then came a chorus of democratic demands
for the reading of the amendment, which
was: "Which said ruling of the speaker is
disapproved by the house."

disapproved by the house.

The speaker, regarding the amendment as not proper, recognized Mr. Cannon's demand On a standing vote the demand was rejected, but the republicans gathered strength and seconded the demand—yeas, 13; nays, 103, Thereupon Mr. Springer took the floor and for some time the house was entertained by a discussion which went on between himself and Speaker Reed. Mr. Springer said that never before the first session of this congress had a motion to reconsider—a privileged mo-tion—been denied by the presiding officer. He referred to the remarks of the speaker in addresses made in New York state during the last campaign about overturning the precedents of the last 100 years. The verdict of the American people had condemned the rulings of the speaker.

Speaker Reed had read several decisions made by Speaker Randall, showing that the latter refuses to entertain similar appeals McKinley took the floor and said that nobody could deny that the motion made by Mr. Mills was purely dilatory, and it was the duty of the chair to refuse to entertain the appeal. It was manifest to the country that lemocratic side had been to obstruct public business. The whole purpose of fillbuster-ing was that it should be impossible if the senate should pass the elections bill to pass that bill through the house. accept that issue and stand upon it." [Democratic applause].
After further discussion the journal was

approved.

senate bill for the relief of Sarah E Perine was passed. Adjourned. lowa and South Dakota Pensions. Washington, Jan. 19 .- [Special Telegran to THE BEE.] - Pensions were granted today to the following Iowans: Original-William L. McFarland, Tuscola; John H. McDougal, Athens; William C. McMahon, Cissna Park Emerson R. Calkins, Iowa Falls; John A. Hance, Ionia; Gotlieb Gaiser, Etkader; Thomas Harned, Hamburg; Danforth W. Bunce, Des Moines; William H. Leady, Quasquiton; John W. Morgan Detrick; Samuel G. Farmer, Coldfield; James Hickey, Davenport; Elbert Hollingsworth, Arbor

Davenport; Elbert Hollingsworth, Arbor Hill; John Hamilton, Winterset; Sylvester Kimboll, Diagonal; James W. Donovan, Des Moines; Samuel I. Loomis, Paralta; Charles M. Mathews, Laddsdale; Mathias C. Mills; Cedar Falls; Richard David, Excelsior; Henry Collins, Stuart; George Jenkins, Lohrville; Alfred A. Gilbert, Rhodes. Restoration—Ferdinand F. Fox, Lemars: Humphrey West. Corydon: Jacob Rhodes. Restoration—Ferdinand F. Fox, Lemars; Humphrey West, Corydon; Jacob Braider, Scranton City; Amos J. Land, English; Joseph D. Walker, Atlantic; George D. Walker, Atlantic; George W. Hafer, Waterloo; Charles H. Van Epps, Low Moor; Waterloo; Charles H. Van Epps, Low Moor;
James Carr, Garner; David Shine, Calonna;
Burkett C. Jennings, Cedar Falls; James F.
Miller, Liberty; William St. Clair, Mount
Auburn; William R. Kelly, Lancaster;
George W. Ford, New Hampton; Cornelius
Shea, Odebolt; John White, Bentonsport;
William S. Davidson, Volga City. Relssue
and increase—Ole V. Winghard, Decorah;
John A. Clark and K. West, Cedar Rapids.
Original widgows, etc.—Catherine A. wid-Original widows, etc.—Catherine A., widow of Moses Sawyer, Herndon; Francis E. widow of John A. Hance, Ionia; Elizateth,
nfother of William B. Embree, Pomerov;
Lucy A., widow of James W. Simmonds,
Farmington; Ellen, widow of Andrew Donovan, Frederick; Martha E., widow of S. M. Anita. South Dakota: Original—George Baker Mellette. Increase—Richard D. Kennedy Rapid City; Christopher D. Hooker, Rapid

City. A So-Called Strike.

Chicago, Jan. 19 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The so-called strike of station agents and telegraph operators on the Chicaeo, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, seems to day to become more of a fizzle each day. The only new feature is reported in a dispatch which states that two stations on the Councii Bluffs division, in Iowa, have been closed because of boycotts inaugurated by towns people against new agents who took the places of those resigning. At the committee headquarters, half a dozen men were sitting around waiting, as one of them exclaimed, "for developments. We have been giving too much information to the newspapers," he continued, "for our own good and have de-cided to hold off till something definite comes

Is Gould After Sugar?

New York, Jan. 19 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. !- The impression prevails among the stock exchange brokers that Gould will really take an actine part in the management of the new company which takes the place of the old sugar trust. It has been said that Russell Sage is also interested in the same direction. If Gould and Sage are indeed loading with sugar, to the extent that many peo-ple suppose, they must have made the greater portion of purchases through brokers who were instructed to keep secret the names of the buyers. There are no brokers who have 'owned up" to being Gould's or Sage's agents

Burned to Death. Bungin, Ky., Jan. 19 .- Mrs. Cook, aged seventy, wife of Rev. Strater Cook, was burned to death in her house while sitting before an open fire.

ONLY LASTED TWO ROUNDS.

Anders Meets with a Surprise in Attempting to Knock Out Hightower.

PROMPTLY PUT TO SLEEP HIMSELF

Sullivan Signs Articles for a Glove Fight with Slavin-A Rifle Contest-Local Baseball News.

One of the hardest and best fights that has taken place in this balliwick for many moons was that at Germania hall, South Omaha, last night between Jack Hightower of this city and Hi Anders of Kansas City, for the heavyweight championship of Nebraska and \$100 a side. The agreement was that Anders was to stop Hightower in five rounds or forfeit the simoleons at stake, as well as the honors embraced in the championship. In lieu of coming up to these stipulations, however, Mr. Anders was put to sleep himself, end that, too, before the second round had

expired. The men stepped into the ring at 10 o'clock sharp, Hightower being esquired by big Jack McLarned, and Anders by Billy Burk and Billy O'Donnell, with Jack Davis in the ad-

judicator's position.

It was hammer and tongs from the very outset, and just before the first round closed Mr. Anders got in a swinging right on Mr Hightower's jugular that made him witness more astronomical wonders than he ever dreamed of before. In fact, the colored pug took in all the constellations, and had the Missourian followed up his vantage the Omaha man would have taken a nap that would have rivalled Rip Van Winkle's, But he didn't, and the clangor of the gong rave Hightower another show for his white

In the second round the saddle-colored youth sprang at the gangling Kansas City man as if he had been shot from a catapult, and it was biff! smash! bang! and Mr. Anders was on his back as helpless as a babe. He staggered to his feet, only to get it again, this time square on the jaw, and again he was down, his head striking one of the posts with a sound that could only be ikened to the coupting of a brace cars. Yet again he recovered his feet and came up for his medicine, and again he got it. Hightower was like an enraged tiger, and it was smash, right and left, until Anders went down, first on his knees, and then over on his back, as inanimate as a man made of mud.

He was completely knocked out. Then there was an uproar And before Referee Davis could award the fight to the youth of the topaz complexion, the frenzied darkies picked him up bodily and on their shoulders bore him from the

ring. It was a great fight, but witnessed by only a hundred of the dead game.

Sullivan Will Fight Slavin.

Cutcago, Jan 19,-[Special Telegram to THE BEE. I-A well authenticated rumor has it that John L. Sullivan prior to his departure for Grand Rapids this morning, affixed his signature to articles of agreement which had already been signed by Slavia for a fight next summer for the world's heavy weight championship. For the past week Phil Lynch and James Wakeley of New York, have been in the city in the interest of a mili between these two heavy weights endeavoring to get Sullivan to sign. The proposal was made on behalf of New Orleans people, and is understood to be for a purse of \$10,000. The fight will likely take place in the south. It will be with gloves, as Sullivan will not fight any more with bare fists, not wishing to get into any more legal entanglements.

Council Bluffs Goes Down. The shooting match between Fred Fuller of Omaha and John Oliver of Council Bluffs attracted a good sized audience of villemen to the Dunmire & Cross grounds vesterday afternoon. The match was for \$30 a side thirty shots, with a possible 150 points, 200 vards off-hand.

S. G. V. Griswold of THE BEE was cho referee and stakeholder, and promptly at 2 o'clock the firing began. The day was de-lightful, with a gentle south wind, which only enhanced the chances of a big score of both contestants. Fuller, cool as an iceberg, led off and scored nineteen on his first shot, while Oliver succeeded only in counting sixteen. Then Oliver scored nineteen and Fuller but seventeen, and up to the eighth shot Oliver led, when Fuller went to the front and stayed there until the end. The

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Fuller's majority over Oliver, forty-seven points, which was an admirable score, considering the little practice engaged in. After the match a forfeit of \$50 was put up on a bet of \$100 that John Petty would not beat 'uller's score. Sportsmen's Meeting Tonight.

There will be a meeting of sportsmen and citizens generally at Dunmire & Cross' sporting goods house this evening for the purpose of devising ways and means of defeating the bill which is to be introduced in the legislature this winter, providing for a remodeling of the state game taws. This bill provides wild fowl snooting—a nonsensical clause also for the prohibition of live birds at shoot ing tournaments. The sportsmen of th state are considerably worked up over th matter and a large attendance is anticipated

this evening.

Mike Slattery for Third. Manager Shannon writes President Mc-Cormick that he has signed Mike Slattery of last season's New Yorks to play third for the Black Sox this year. Slattery is a good man, and that Shannon is getting a stout team together to represent the Gate City goes without saying. He further stated that he hoped within a few days to be able to give the name of our new first baseman.

The Veteran Firemen.

The annual meeting of the Omaha Veteran Firemen's association was held last evening in the rooms of the police court with a very large attendance. The principal business transacted was the election of officers for the ensuing year, which resulted as follows President, Harry Tagger; first vice president, Albert H. Sander; second vice president, Joe Teabon; recording secretary, James Donnelly, Jr.: financial secretary, F. H. Koesters; treasurer, J. F. Sheeley; trustees, J. H. Butler and C. V. Gallagher. There are four trustees who hold over, namely: Max Meyer, G. Zimmerman, A. J. Simpson and Ed Maurer.

Held Up for His Diamond.

Frank D. Zug, a bookkeeper at the First National bank, met a burglar Monday night and now mourns the loss of a diamond pin of the value of \$50. Zug was going up Douglas street early in the evening, when he was met by two men, one of whom demanded his money. Not having any about his person the other assailant struck Zug in the face and immediately thereafter snatched the pin from his neck scarf. Both of the men ran north on Eighteenth street and were out of sight before their victim came to his senses suffi cient to recognize them.

Superintendent James received a telegram last night stating that the mother of Miss Ella Woodford, who yesterday was in the city visiting the schools, is dying ather nome in lowa.

The temperature as reported by the local signal service office was as follows: At 7 a. m., 26°; at 10 a. m., 21°, and at 1 p. m., 48°.

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Hon, Patrick Ford Talks. Hon. Patrick Ford states that the newspapers were in error in reporting the interview which he had with his son at the fail on Saturday, in which young Pat was quoted as having used profane and abusive language to his father.

"With all the boy's faults," said Mr. Ford, "he always treated me and his mother civilly, What he may have said after I left the jail I don't know, but he did not use any in-

sulting language to me."
Mr. Ford stated further that his son was injured in the Strang building several years ago, and had nover fully recovered from the effects of the accident. When under the influence of liquor he is nearly irresponsible for his doings. "He is a minor," said Mr. Ford, "and I've warned all of the saloon keepers not to sell him liquor. On Friday one of them sold him seven drinks of whisky and a bottle of the stuff. that that man has a warm time of it before he is through with this affair.

The Methodist Hospital.

There was a meeting of Methodist laity vesterday at 1 o'clock in the Young Men's Christian association building, held for the purpose of taking definite action with regard to the opening of a hospital in Omaha. There were about twenty people present, fully half f whom were ladies.

C. R. Ball was elected temporary president.

of the association, with Frank Hills treas-urer and Dr. Toote secretary.

A committee, consisting of Mrs. Shank, Mrs. Haynes, Mrs. Ball and Mr. Winters, were appointed to look after the securing of a suitable site and report to the association at an early day.

The Gamblers' Case ..

The cases against the thirty men arrested Saturday night in a gambling room on Dougas street were called at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in police court. All those arrested as inmates of a gambling nouse and for gambling were discharged, but the cases against Neal Price and Dan Gysor for keeping a gambling house and gambling devices were continued until Monday, January 26. Their bail was fixed at \$400 each and they furnished bondsmen that were satisfactory.

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A Kick from St. Joe. Sr. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 19.—The minority stockholders of the St. Joseph & Grand Island division of the Union Pacific, will at once begin suit to restrain the Union Pacific from removing the general offices from this city to Omaha. There is no canger of a cold resulting in pneumonia when Chamberlain's Cough Rem-edy is used as directed "for a severe cold."

tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia This fact was fully proven in thousands of cases during the epidemic of influenza last winter. For sale by all druggists. Brazil's New Constitution. PARIS, Jan. 19 .- A dispatch from Rio Janiero says the constitutional assembly, acting in accord with the governor, has voted

ectually counteracts and arrests any

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Intense Cold in France. Panis, Jan. 19.-During Saturday and yes, terday the most intense cold of the winter was experienced throughout France, Several people were frozen to death.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for chil-

cents a bottle. Sadullab Pasha Dead. VIENNA, Jan. 19 .- Sadullah Pasha, the Turkish ambassador to Austria who Thursday last attempted to commit suicide in this

city, has died.

dren teething is the family benefactor.

Excelsior Springs, Mo., s the most charming all-year-round Resort in America. An Old Naval Officer Dead. ELIZABETA, N. J., Jan. 19.—Captain Me-Gowan, United States navy, died last night



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