# GAVE MERELY THE MOTIONS

Ballot for Senator in Joint Session Only Shows How it Works.

PADDOCK AND POWERS STILL LEADING

Question of Who Shall Preside Over the Joint Sessions Finally Settled by a Conclusive Vote - Routine Work of the Legislature.

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 18 .- Special telegram to Tue Bee !- The two houses met at noon today to east the first joint ballot for United States senator. The vote of the senate was the same as yesterday, while the only changes in the house were following: Beal, from Edgerton to Powers: Goss of Douglas, from Paddock to C. J. Greene; Lockner, from Crounse to Paddock; Dobson, from Powers to McKeighan: Elder, from Powers to Stark; Fulton, from Powers to Hinman; Speaker Gaffin, from Powers to Edgerton; Suter, from Poynter to W. L. Greene; Johnson of Hall, from Gaffin to Powers; Sheridan, from Hinman to McKeighan.

The following are the totals on joint band	
Paddock	37 .oyd
McKe'ghan Hinman Martin Beese Deeh	1 Andrews

#### Who Shall Preside?

No sooner had the joint convention bee called to order and the clerks concluded the calling of the two rells, than Porter claimed the attention of the chair to ask if the convention was understood to be operating un-

The chair replied that he understood that the senate had adopted the joint rules of 1891, and that the house had concurred in

"I think all the old members will bear me out in the statement that there were no joint rules adopted in 1891," said Mr. Porter, "therefore, there can be no such rules in existence. If a majority of the members of the house were of the impression that there were such rules when they voted to concur in the action of the senate, I think it would be well for them to rectify their action right here. My sole reason for raising this point is that there may be no illegality attached to the action that may be

taken by this joint convention."

The chair was of the opinion that the statement of the gentleman from Merrick was in a degree correct, but as it had been understood that the lieutenant governor should preside in the absence of a specific rule, he would certainly hold that the lieu-tenant governor should preside in this case. Porter said he wanted to make a motion

to settle the whole question in a business-like way, and suggested that the proper question to put before the convention was whether or not the joint rules of 1889 should be adopted as they stood or as amended in

### Had Been Settled Once. Scnator Tefft wanted to make a statement efore the chair ruled on the point. He took

it that the house had voted understandingly to concur in the action of the senate, and that it was out of order to raise a technical question after the matter had been settled in both houses. Porter insisted that it might be true that

the senate had acted with a full understand-ing of the situation, but it was not so in the use. What he wanted was not so much to change the situation in this case, but to settle it so as to avoid technicalities in the future. He was certain that a single ballot future. He was certain that a single ballot would tell the story, and every one would then be satisfied.

Jensen called the attention of the gentle-man fron Merrick to a statement that the latter had made on the floor a few days be-fore, when the matter was first under dison, in which he said that if the resolu ution was adopted the joint convention would be operating under the rules of the blue book. The resolution had passed, and the speaker had maintained that the con-vention certainly had rules, and it was useless for the gentlemen to maintain that such was not the case.

Porter was sorry that any one should en-tertain hard feelings, and he would like to have the chair rule as to whether or not he would entertain a motion. The chair con-cluded that he would not be able to rule until the question was submitted.

#### Motion Entertained and Carried. Porter then moved that it be the sense of

e convention that it was not operating under toint rules at this time The chair said that he was placed in a delicate position. He wanted every member to understand that he wanted the question

settled fairly and squarely. If a major had misunderstood the situation they If a majority had misunderstood the situation they cer-tainly had a right to make rules as they de-sired, and he would entertain a motion to that effect. The ruling was applauded, but the chair

Watson moved as an amendment that the convention accept the rules as laid down in the manual of 1891.

Woods hebbed to the surface with his stereotyped demand for the previous question, but the presiding officer overlooked him Porter accepted the amendment as the main question and the roll was called. It resulted in favor of the motion by a vote

to 58, and the lieutenant governor's grip

on the chair was clinched. There was another ebullition of joyfulness from the crowd and from the victorious mem-

bers as well, but it did not last long, as the chair remembered his former ruling, and the gavel sounded sharply. Still Voted for P. O'Bannon Hawes.

#### When Kyner's name was uttered by the lerk during the calling of the rule, that member recollected the demand of the clerion the previous day that he send up the parreled name of his choice in ing, and without calling the name of Patrick O Bannon Hawes he said he would write it out and send it up. Jensen objected that this would not do, as

the vote must be viva voce. Kyner fell into line and the echos of Patrick O'Bannon Hawes' name went rollicking up among the cobwebs in the state house dome.

# IN THE SENATE.

Kicks on the Committee List-Darner's Revenue Revision Resolution Tabled. LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 18 .- [Special to THE BEE. ]-In his prayer at the opening of the senate Chaplain Johnson admonished the members that prayers were going up from more than 200,000 homes for healthy legislation. The journal was read and corrected, after which the day's proceedings com menced in carnest, with President Correll in

the chair for the first time in the session. The house sent a message to the effect that that body had concurred in the joint resolution adopting the joint rules of the session of 1891 for the use of this session. Senators Lobeck and Graham called at-ention to numerous inaccuracies in the printed list of standing committees. Senator Lobeck's name had been left from one or two committees, while Senator Graham's name was omitted from the judiciary com He is also chairman of the committee on deaf, dumb and blind, whereas the printer has accorded that honor to Senator Pack-

Senator Stewart called up his resolution introduced yesterday directing the state treasurer to deduct the cost of newspapers. wrappers and stamps from the per diem of the members, but on motion of Eggleston the resolution was laid on the table.

Tabled Darner's Revenue Commission Senator Darner's resolution of yesterday for a commission consisting of a lawyer, a business man and a farmer, to re-vise the revenue laws of the state came up for consideration, and an interesting little talk ensued before it was finally disposed of Senator Tefft stated that inasmuch as the state was paying the members of the sen-ate a liberal salary for their services, he

would like to see them exercise their brains. He was not in favor of appointing a commission to serve for an indefinite length of time at an indefinite salary to revise the revenue laws when a committee of the senate was perfectly competent to do the work. He didn't want outsiders to furnish brains for the senate. the senate

Senator Dysart was of the opinion that the senate was perfectly competent to handle the matter and he moved to lay the resolution on the table. The motion was agreed to and the cold wave already blowing between Senators Dysart and Darner grew per-

Senator North's resolution referring Governor Boyd's message to the standing com-mittees of the senate was agreed to. The Platte county senator also moved the delivery of the contest papers to the com-mittee of privileges and elections; agreed to. Senator Everett offered the following, which was adopted:

Whereas, The people of the state are urgent a their demand for the reform of our laws re-ating to roads and public highways; therefore, be it
Resolved, That the standing committee on
highways, bridges and ferries be requested to
frame such a bill as in its judgment is necessary to correct the evils complained of, and
submit the same to the legislature for action.

Small Hope for Economy. The report of Senator Babcock from the committee on employes provoked a lively dis-cussion in which public faith was shaken in the pretentions of some of the members to re-form and economy. The report recommended the appointment of another variegated assort-ment of janitors and a clerk for most of the standing committees of the senate.

An effort was made to have the report laid on the table, but it failed. Then Senator Tefft suggested that the clerks for the several committees should not be appointed until the committees reported to the senate that their services were needed, and offered an amendment to that effect. In support of his amendment Senator Tefft asserted that a great many of the committees would have nothing to do for some time yet, some of them for several weeks, and there could be no inconvenience or injustice done if the ap-pointment of the clerks was deferred until their services were required.
Senator Eggleston stated for the informa-

tion of the senate that two years ago several committees employed clerks for the entire session, and yet the committees were never called together Finally Senator Dale objected to the fur-

ther consideration of the matter, and it went over under the rules.

By motion of Senator Moore, amended by Senator Tefft, the secretary of the senate was directed to prepare and have printed 300 copies of the legislative manual.

Bills on First Reading.

The following bills were then read for the first time: By McDenald, for an act to regulate stock yards and fixing a commission for selling live stock; by Moore, to provide that all persons shall be entitled to the same civil rights; by Pope, re-quiring foreign corporations to file their articles of incorporation with the secretary of state; by Babcock, to make dogs personal property; by Gray, to amend section 3157, chapter xxxix, of the consolidated statutes of Nebraska of 1891; by Eggleston, to regulate sleeping and drawing room cars and to fix charges for transportation of passengers therein; by Johnson, to provide for the appointment of three commissioners to be known as commissioners of the supreme court.

The senate then adjourned to join the house in joint convention and after the joint convention the senate adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

#### IN THE HOUSE.

Two Investigating Committees Named and a Number of Bills Introduced.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 18 .- [Special to The Ber. ]-Ninety-three members were present when the house was called to order this morning.

A committee consisting of Oakley, Leidigh and Stevens was appointed to distribute among the proper committees the recommendations embodied in the governor's mes-

Horst, Keyes and Nelson were named as the committee to investigate the permanent school fund matter and see why a large amount of that fund is uninvested. The speaker named the following commit-tee to conduct the various state institutions: Keckiev, Gifford, Beal, Smith and Gerdes

The following additional enrolling and enrossing clerks were appointed: C. Phelps, A. S. White, J. B. Anderson, Wil-liam Morris, J. F. Beard, H. T. Talmage, Minnie Smith, Sadie Stryker, Nellie Morgan, Edith Rissen. Oakley's resolution providing for the ap-

pointment of a committee of nine, to be com-posed of three members of each party, to consider all proposed World's fair legislation was adopted by a vote of 68 to 26.

McCutchen, Casper and Schappel were appointed a committee to confer with a like committee from the senate relative to the issuance of admission tickets to the joint sessions, and to make arrangements for the sessions for senatorial balloting.

Bills on First Reading.

The following bills were introduced: By Ames, making dogs personal property; by Scott appropriating ₹55,000 for a new building the state industrial school at Kearney; Smith of Holt, making it unlawful for at the any state, county, judicial, municipal or township officer to receive any free pass, transportation or mileage, and requiring him to pay full fare, under penalty of a fine of from \$10 to \$500, or thirty days in jail, or both; by Ames, requiring railroad and tele graph companies to list in each county a sworn statement of total miles and amount of property in state; by Ames, requiring rail road companies to construct crossings at all public roads, the grade not to exceed 7 per cent and to be twenty feet wide at the top, by Watson, providing for the appointment by Watson, providing for the app of a supreme court commission; b fixing the rate for telegraphing me the state at 20 cents for ten words and 1 cent for each word additional; by Kyner, provid ing for compulsory education and requiring teachers in private and parochial schools to pass the same examination as teachers of the same grade in the public schools; by Johnston, making district judges ineligible for any other office during the term for which they are elected or appointed. The senate then sent in a message an

nouncing the appointment of a conference committee, and it was decided to allow the use of the rolls of the two houses at the oint session today, and make arrangements ubsequently. On motion of Casper, who reported that

the ways and means committee favored that the ways and means committee favored the engrossing of house roll No. 93, appropriat-ing \$85,000 for the expenses of the house, the bill was ordered engrossed for the third reading. A recess was taken until 11:50 o'clock, and

the house adjourned immediately after the joint convention until 10 o'clock tomorrow

#### CHANCES FOR ANOTHER STATE. Meeting of the Cherokee Strip and Oklahoma

Convention. GUTHRIE, Okl., Jan. 18.-The Cherokee strip and the Oklahoma convention here today was attended by 5,000 delegates from St. Louis, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Atchison, Leavenworth, Topeka, Wichita, Omaha, Des Moines, Fort Worth, Denver and every city and county on the southern Kansas border and in Oklahoma and Indian territory.

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It was 4 o'clock when the convention was called to order. The party from Kansas City and neighborhood, who were brought here on the Kansas City Times' special train, were conspicious members of the conve Witten McDonald, proprietor of the Kansas City Times, was made chairman of the convention. Governor Campbell of St. Louis, ex-Governor Crittenden of Kansas City, Mayor Clements of Wichita, Governor Scay of Oklahoma, United States District Attorney Speed and fifteen other citizens of southwest were chosen vice presidents. A. C. Scott of Okiahoma City was made sec

A committee, including prominent men of six states, was chosen on resolutions, Sena-tor Caldwell of Leavenworth being chair-man. Speeches were made by Witten Me-Donald, Governor Crittenden, Horace Speed and others.

The resolutions demand the immediate opening of the strip and other Indian lands, aggregating 18,000,000 acres; the abolishment of all tribal governments; the compelling of the Indians to adopt the ways of civilization. and the admission of Oklahama and Indian territories as one grand state without delay.

Not excelled by any high priced liniment,

Salvation Oil, twenty-live cents a bottle.

Kansas Obstructionists Now Think That They Might Be in the Wrong.

ANXIOUS FOR IT TO BE DECIDED IN COURT

Lewelling Gives at Length His Reasons for Recognizing the Populist House-How the Case Will He Brought Into the Supreme Court.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 18.-The populists have finally decided to submit the question of the legality of the populist house organization to the supreme court. They now begin to see that the question will land there anyway, and they are in a hurry to have it done with. To this end the senate passed and submitted to the Louse the legislative bill. The house will pass it and the governor will sign it. Then the republicans will enjoin the treasurer from making any payments under it on the ground that the bill was not passed by the legally constituted house. Thus the matter will finally get into

court. The republican senators met with the republican house today in joint session to electa state printer, but two of the senators who were present vesterday absented themselves teday and there was no quorum present.
The two houses, still meeting on opposite

sides of representative hall, transacted con-siderable routine business today without interfering with each other, and late in the afternoon adjourned until tomorrow.

Business in the senate is practically at a standstill and no business of importance will be transacted until the legality of one or the other of the Louses is finally decided.

Lewelling's Reason. Governor Lewelling this evening handed to the Associated press representative a long statement giving his reason for recognizing the populist house. In a nutshell his state ment of the reason is that he believed the populist house to be legally organized and the republican house to be illegally organized. The statement quotes precedent for his action. In conclusion the statement says:

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"The republican contingent has proceeded iu defiance of law and the legally constituted authorities of the state. If it were for a moment granted that their claims are valid, the only authority competent under the law to pass upon them has decided against them. As law-abiding citizens, therefore, it is their duty to submit to the decision, and if they believe an injustice has been done them, to appeal to the high court, the properties of the state. Any other course places them in open rebellion against the legally constituted authorities of the state and renders that to the benalties in such cases them tiable to the penalties in such cases provided. It is my desire that there may be no further complications growing out of this unfortunate affair. At the same time it is my duty to see that the authority of the state is respected by all citizens, and it must not longer be disregarded by those who are now engaged in the illegal proceedings in

The republican members of the legislature met in caucus tonight. A ballot was taken for United States senator and resulted: Bishop W. Perkins, present incumbent, 32; Joseph W. Ady, 30; Lucien Baker, state senator from Leavenworth county, 11; no choice. Another caucus will be held tomorrow night.

#### ILLINOIS' LEGISLATURE.

Action Taken in Regard to the Opening of the World's Fair on Sundays. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 18 .- Governor Altgeld this morning sent the following nominations to the senate: Railroad and warehouse commissioners, W. S. Cantrell of Benton, Thomas Gahan of Chicago, and C. F. Lape of Springfield. Commissioners of the state penitentiary, Levi Waterman of Geneseo, B. K. Durfee of Decatur, and D. Keenan of Streator. Laid over under the

The resolution memoralizing congress to repeal the World's fair Sunday closing law came up as a special order. After considerable debate and the voting down of one or two amendments, the resolution was adopted by a vote of 29 to 19.

The resolution calling on congress to pass the anti-option bill came up as a special order, but was referred to the committee on federal relations by a vote of 27 to 21—a strict party vote—the democrats voting in the affirmative. The bills introduced were: Appropriating

\$400,000 for an asylum for the insune; to promote the health of persons engaged in man-ual labor; prohibiting the employment of aliens as deputy sheriffs, special policemen or special constables; to prevent the employnt of armed forces. After other unimportant business the sen-

ate adjourned. In the house bills were presented for the appointment of a state board of road com-missioners and to provide for the construction of hard roads; for the regulation of stock yards' charges and commissions; for a commission to report on the most humane method of capital punishment, and whether the death penalty is necessary for the security of society.

### ACCUSED OF BUYING HIS ELECTION. Exciting Scene in the California Legislature

During the Election of Senator.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 18 .- The two houses met in joint session shortly after noon. After the conclusion of the nominating speeches it was discovered that McGowan, republican assemblyman from San Francisco, was missing. The republicans tried to delay proceeding until McGowan could be found and brought in, but they were unsuccessful. and the vote proceeded without his absence being explained. The democrats, who had a total of fifty-nine votes, voted solidly for White, as did Burke, nonpartisan, and Kearns, populist. This gave the necessary sixty-one votes, but Bretz, populist, from Alameda, interrupted the count and created great eexitement by charging that Kearn's vote for White had been bought, and that Marion Cannon, populist-democrat congress-man from the Sixth district, had bought it. Cannon, who was present, hotly denied the charge and called Bretz a liar. Great confusion ensued, but after a time the result of was officially announced as follows: Total ballots cast, 119; necessary to a enoice White, democrat, 61; Perkins, can, 12; Felton, republican, 11; Bard, repub lican, 9; Widner, republican, 6; Cantor, popu

Bretz was called before the bar of the ouse and his charges taken down in writing by the chairman. White was declared United States senator and escorted to the platform, from where he made a speech. He referred to the charge made by Bretz, and said, so far as it referred to himself, it was an unmitigated falsehood. He endorsed Kearns and Cannon as men of

list, 7; Franks, republican, 3; Estee, republican, 1; Reed, republican, 8; Preston, republi

#### probity. WORLD'S FAIR QUESTIONS.

Legislature of South Dakota Not Inclined to Be Very Generous. PIERRE, S. D., Jan. 18. - Special Telegram

to THE BEE. |-- What will be done for the

World's fair is the great question here just at present. The commission has labored hard and long with the legislature, but its efforts have apparently been wasted. The house committee has reported unanimously for \$50,000, and while the senate committee, under the potent influence of Sol Starr, brought in a majority report for \$70,000, the more economically inclined oppose the idea.

The first important debate of the session occurred in the senate yesterday on this matter. Sol Starr opened the ball with a strong speech in which he declared that the legislature of two years ago immortalized itself in shame by omitting to provide for this exhibit. Mr. Thornby also of the Hills made an earnest plea in the same line and was supported by Measrs. Dollard, Brocka-way, Bevitt and others. Advocates of the bill were considerably encouraged by the de-cision of the supreme court stating that the legislature may, by a two-thirds vote, levy an emergency tax, but it is the general opinion that neither house will pass the bill

# POPULISTS ARE WEAKENING for more than \$50,000, the report favoring \$70,000 being rejected by a vote of 23 to 20.

CONTESTS IMPENDING. Some Discussion May Yet Be Precipitated

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 18.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-There is likely to be somerwalscordant music in the house before the end of this session over contested elections in spite of the efforts of the majority of the committee on elections to avert all disgussion in that direction. The Fourth congressional district of Alabama has been a field of Agree contention for twelve years. Not a man has received a certificate of election to congress from that district in that time without allegations of the grossest fraud and injustice. The district covers the "black beit" of that state and is beyond "black beit" of that state and is beyond question largely republican, yet a democrat is seated every time the democrats have con-trol of the lower branch of congress. The plan is to intimidate voters, then throw out ballots, stuff ballot boxes and use every other means of presenting a prima facie case for a

Louis W. Turpin, the democrat who occupies the seat at present, claims to have been elected by a majority of 4,000 over J. V. Mc-Duffle, republican. McDuffle contested, but Duffle, republican. McDuffle contested, but the committee on elections, after investigation, stood off the report and waived a contest on the floor of the house. The majority reported in favor of the sitting member, of course. Representative Henry U. Johnson of Indiana reported for the minority in favor of scating McDuffle. A day is to be fixed for the consideration of the subject in the house and it is understood that Mr. Johnson will make a speech for the minority report, and it will no doubt be an uncomfortable one for the majority.

There is a similar case from the Seventh district of South Carolina, known as "Bob Small's district." It is also a "black beit" and with a fair election and honest returns is republican by several thousand majority. The returns gave William Elliott, democrat, the election by a vote of 3,792 against 3,315 for Thomas E. Miller, colored republican. So palpable and many were the frauds and crimes in this district that the committee on elections, controlled by the bourbons, refused to take up Miller's contest, knowing that investigation would scandalize the democratic party in South Carolina. Miller's majority should have been several thousand over Elliott. The committee refuses to take up the case, but it is probable that it will come formally before the house upon its merits. Mr. Johnson, it is hinted, may have something to say upon this case as well as the one from Alabama, which will be of a senatorial nature

#### SENATORIAL ELECTIONS.

Results in Various States-Many Senators

Returned. ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 18.-The legislature in joint session today formally elected Edwar ! Murphy, jr., United States senator. Boston, Mass., Jan. 18.—The legislature in oint session today formally elected H. C. Lodge United States senator. Dover, Del., Jan. 18.—George Gray was

today formally chosen United States sena-Hartford, Conu., Jan. 18 .- In joint session

today the legislature confirmed the election of Joseph R. Hawley to the United States sennte. AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 18.—The election of Eugene Hale to the United States senate was confirmed in joint session of the legisla-

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 18-The two branches of the legislature, in joint session today, formally declared the election of Senator Quay to succeed himself from March 4

St. P. H. Minn Jan. 18. Senator C. K. Davis was re-elected in the joint session of legislature today. Davis secured the place by a bare majority, having 85 votes out of the 168 cast. hawier, democrat, had 49; Owen, populist, 23; the others scattering. Helena, Mont, Jan. 18.—There has been no change in the senatorial yote today. OLYMPIA, Wash. Jan. 18.—The legislature

met in joint session today and cast three ballots for United States senator. The vote stood: Allen, 34; Turner, 26; Grimm, 37; Teats, 9. Necessary to choice, 57.

BISMARCK, N. D., Jan. 18.—The joint ballot United States senator resulted: Woorst 13; Casey, 11; Kingman, 8; Smith, 3; Anderson, 9; Roche, 23; Muir, 17; Satterland, 3; Oliver, 1. The third ballot resulted: Woerst, 12; Casey, 12; Kingman, 7; Smith, 8; Anderson, 10; Roche, 23; Muir, 23; Satter-

#### lund, 3; Oliver, 1. Adjourned. PERMITTED TO SERVE

Senator Tisdale Sworn in After Being Vigor-

ously Denounced. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Jan. 18 .- [Special Telegram to The Bee.]-There was a lively time in the senate today. Senator Tisdale, the invader now on trial, presented himself to the president and asked to be sworn in as a member. He was a hold over and under the ruling of the members was compelled to take the oath at this session. Holiday, Hurt and Kabis opposed his admission on the ground that his seat was contested and that evi-dence existed that he had sworn that he was a resident of another county than which he proposed to represent. The was very bitter for a time and the memb were frequently called to order. Finally the president ruled that as his credentials appeared correct he had to be admitted. He

was accordingly sworn in.

In the house nothing of interest occurred excepting a discussion of a free silver memorial, which is in committee of the whole, was unanimously adopted

To Repeal the Miner Election Law. LANSING, Mich., Jan. 18 .- Among the important measures introduced in the house was a bill providing for the election of presidential electors and to repeal the Miner

election law.

A joint resolution was adopted by both houses authorizing the appointment of a committee of three from each body to draft resolutions upon the death of ex-President Hayes. The flags on the capitol building were ordered at half-mast for ten days as a mark of respect to ex-President Hayes and ex-Governor Baldwin.

Populists Present a Candidate. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Jan. 18 .- In the senator al contest another combination against the aspirations of Senator Warren and George W. Baxter, one of the democratic candidates. has been formed. The five populists now have a senatorial candidate of their own. The man is William Brown of Sheridan county. Brown is an out and out democrat and a man of considerable ability. CHINESE VENGEANCE.

# Bloody Work of a Highbinder in Chicago

His Victim Morribly Mutilated.
Chicago, Ill., Jac. 18.—The body of Jung Din Kan, a Chinese laundryman, horribly chopped and lying in a pool of blood, was found in his place of business this morning. A bloodelotted cleaver, hatchet and dagger. A bloodclotted cleaver, hatchet and dagger, which had been used to slay him, were found near by. Jung Jack Sin, who arrived from Kansas City last evening, was coolly washing this hands in the place when the police entered. He was bespattered with blood from head to foot. He was arrested and denied all knowledge of the crime, saying he had found the dead body on returning after an nour's absence. It is he returning after an nour's absence. It is be lieved he is a high-inder who came here specially to kill the murdered man.

The wealthier local Chinamen profess to be lieve that the murder was committed simply for purposes of robbery. The fact that the victim's trunk was broken open is about the only evidence to support this theory. Against it is the fact that the murdered man was desperately poor. He was in bed asleep when dealt the blow. A feature of the case is that the murderer and victim belong to the same organization, the Kwong Chow com-pany. The belief is general that the dead man failed to live up to his oathbound oblirations and that the stranger was sent here to kill hlm.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 18.—Jung Jack Sin, the Chinaman arrested for the murder of Jung Din Kan in a laundry in Chicago this morning, was in Kansas City on January 6 and attempted to murder Martin Layfield clerk in a Union avenue restaurant. reached Kansas City from Tucson, Ariz, the night before. In the morning he went into the restaurant, and, having some words with the cierk, drew a huge knife and attacked Layfield with it. Layfield, however, was too quick for him, and stretched him senseless with a blow from a heavy cane. Chinamen here said Jung Jack Sin was crazy

# HE LOVED A PRINTER'S WIFE

Why City Preight Agent Brooks of Sioux City is Now a Fugitive.

DEFAULTER IN AN UNKNOWN AMOUNT

Thought to Be at Least Six Thousand Dollars Behind in His Accounts-Discovered the Detective and Made His Escape Easily.

Stoux City, Ia., Jan. 18.-[Special Telegram to Tue Bee. |-W. H. Brooks, city freight agent of the Sioux City & Northern company, is a defaulter in the sum of nearly \$6,000. The railroad officials ascertained that he had been unduly intimate with Mrs. W. H. Duncan, a printer's wife, and set a detective to watch him, suspecting only that he had been furnishing her with transportation to go to various points. Brooks evidently discovered that a detective was watching him, and last night retired to bed at a hotel at 10 o'clock. Half an hour afterward he arose, disappeared, and since then has not

been seen.
Today the railroad officials took possession of his office and at once discovered his short-age, the exact amount of which has not yet been determined. The woman is in St. Jo-seph, and it is thought Brooks went there. Brooks was also a heavy faro player. The railroad company is protected by a \$10,000 bond in the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Trust company

Premiums Went to Mills County. DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 18.-[Special Telegram to Tue Ber. | The State Horticultural society continued its annual meeting today. Several important papers were read on apple, grape and blackberry culture. These papers were read by experts in the business. Most of the morning session was taken up in discussing the question of spraying fruit trees. Paris green and London purple were considered best substances that could be used for spraying purposes. The committee on premium awards then made its report. For the best collection of fruit, grown by exhibi-tor, the first premium was awarded to C. M. Follet of Mills county and second to C. H. Dyer of Mills county. J. W. Murphy of Mills county also got first premium on a large number of varieties of apples and was awarded first premium for the best collection of fruit grown in any one county in southern Iowa. The first premium for the best collec-tion by individual exhibitors from central districts was awarded to A. Bronson.

The following officers were elected: A. F. omeman, Corning, president: J. C. Ferris, Comeman, Corning, president; J. C. Ferris, Hampton, vice president; J. L. Budd, Ames, secretary; Silas Wilson, Atlantic, treasurer; Ed Wright, Des Moines, custodian. Directors, First district, Samuel Park, Ottumwa; Third district, Dr. Powell, Glenwood; Fifth district, D. A. Porterfield; Grader; Seventh district, B. S. Schantz, Correctionville; Ninth district, B. F. Ferris, Hampton: Eleventh district Elmes Reves Western ton; Eleventh district, Elmer Reves, Way

Musin Sulng the Northwestern Company, DES MOINES, In., Jan. 18.-[Special Telegram to The Ber. |- Ovide Musin, the violinist, has commenced in the federal court a suit for \$30,000 damages against the Chicago & Northwestern Railway company for injuries received by himself and wife in the recent wreck near Story City. The injuries received by himself consisted of two frozen ears and a smashed finger, which incapaci-tates him from playing. His violin was also broken and ruined. It was a very valuable instrument. In addition to these personal and immediate injuries he suffered the loss of a two weeks' engagement, which he was forced to cancel, although he paid his company salaries for the full time and reim bursed the persons in the various towns where he was to appear if they were out anything on account of his not appearing. He also enters suit for \$5,000 on behalf of his wife, who suffered a severe nervous shock from the wreck and because of injury to her spine has been compelled to remain in bed ever since the accident.

Millers in Session DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 18.-[Special Tele-

gram to THE BEE. ]-The nineteenth annual meeting of the Iowa Millers association met here today, among those present being: A. E. Consigney of Avoca, J. D. Lenon of Panora, Ira Shambaugh of Shambaugh, H. D. St. John of Cedar Rapids, James Taggart of Knoxville, M. M. Snider, H. C. Murphy and J. G. Sharp of Des Moines, Mr. Beebe of Modale, H. H. Hamond of Le Grande, H. J. Modale, H. H. Hamond of Le Grande, H. J. Benson of Union, J. T. Sharp of Des Moines, Jed Lake of Independence, C. H. Brown of Dakota City, J. Kahn of Des Moines, Mr. Tisselling of Pella, J. G. Jones of Algona, J. S. Lord of Elysian, Minn., and Ed Sitz of Peterson. A number of interesting speeches from different millers on wheat raising were made, the general drift of them being that made, the general drift of them being wheat can be made profitable to both the farmers and millers by united effort on the part of both. These officers were elected:

A. E. Consigney, president; James Taggart, vice averaging. vice president; James T. Sharp, secretary

#### and treasurer. Will Stand No Trifling.

Beatrice, Neb. Jan. 18 .- [Special Telegram to The Bee. ]-Mayor O. H. Phillips was brought before Judge Babcock of the district court this morning for contempt for failing to certify to the governor of the state relative to the population of the city of Beatrice under the census of 1890 as commanded by the court everal days ago. Phillips claimed that he and made the requisite certificate and had left it with his attorney to be forwarded and supposed it had been. Phillips was given until 2 p. m. tomorrow to file the certificate or suffer the consequences. Juage Babcock does not intend to tolerate any further

trifling in the matter. Propose Another Road. Marshalltown, Ia., Jan. 18.—Prominent capitalists and business men of Marshalltown have organized the Winona, Marshalltown & Southern Railway company. Articles of incorporation were filed today. It is proposed to extend the Winona & Southwestern from Osage through Marshalltown and Chariton to the great coal fields in south Iowa and connect with the leading lines of the southwest. Intense interest is already manifested in the towns along the proposed line, and a mass meeting to take steps to forward the work has been called for the 26th last, in this city. The incorporators are N. S. Ketchum, G. F. Kirby, C. C. Gilman and A. G. Glick.

Retail Coal Dealers Organize.

Sioux Cirr, Ia., Jan. 18.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE. ]-About fifty retail lumber and coal dealers of South Dakota and northwestern Iowa met here today and formed an association for mutual protection. The primary object is to give organized oppo sition to the enforcement of the forty-eigh hour demurrage rule now in force by a roads, and to oppose the handling of coal by middle men to them at mine weights, which, they claim, are invariably short from 1,000 pounds to several tons per car. They pro-pose to refuse to pay demurrage and fight its collection in the courts, and to refuse to pay for coal except at track weights upon ceipt.

For His Wife's Love. CEDAR RAPIDS, fa., Jan. 18 .- [Special to THE BEE. ]-George Carbeiner has commenced suit in the Butler county district court against Henry Montgomery for \$10,000 for allenating the affections of his wife. The ase comes up at the February term and bids fair to cause a big sensation. Some time ago, at the solicitation of Montgomery's wife

of the property. Stole His Employer's Cash. CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Jan. 18.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]-Chris Metzger, who has been working for Richard Swartz, a farmer near Oelwein, stole \$200 from his employer which he had hid in a box in the house and skipped out. Officers are on his track.

Soesbe of Greene was appointed guardian

Grand Army Encampment Date Fixed. KROKUK, In. Jan. 15 .- Tonight Department Commander Steadman and the local committee selected April 25, 26 and 27 as dates

for the Iowa Grand Army of the Republic encampment in Reckuk. The grand parade encampment in Reckuk. 'was fixed for the first day.

Freak of a Demented Woman.

Table Rock, Neb., Jan. 18 - Special to THE BEE. ]-The case of Mrs. Isanc Cook of Pawnee City, who starved herself to death near here, was a most peculiar one. She and not tasted food for more than a menth, while for ten weeks she had eaten nothing of consequence. Ten weeks ago she and her ausband went to Mr. G. S. Miller's, who were old friends, for a visit, about one and a half miles from Table Rock, Mrs. Cook had been feeling melancholy, and it was thought a little relaxation would do her good. But she was taken worse and suffered with her head a great deal. She formed an idea that there was a conspiracy to carry her off and kill her, and would not ermit any one to enter the room except he usband, and would not eat anything fo fear it was poisoned, though she drank water at times. How she could live so long in her wasted condition was a mystery to all. She was 64 years of age and had been a resi-

dent of Pawnee City for thirty years. Nebraska Firemen in Session.

Keaunhy, Neb., Jan. 18.-[Special Telegram to The Bee |-Kearney is decorated in honor of the volunteer firemen who are now here attending the eleventh annual state convention. The meeting was called to order last night by W. H. Haven, state presi dent. The roll was called by Secretary George Corcoran and ninety-eight delegates responded, the largest number ever present at first roll call. The address of welcome was delivered by Mayor Brady. This morning the time was largely consumed in dis-cussing insurance laws, and this afternoon the delegates were taken to the cotion mill. ndustrial school and other places by the

The election of officers takes place tomorrow and a grand banquet will be given in the evening. There are now 104 visiting delegates present and the convention is the largest of the kind ever held in Nebraska. The first president, J. C. Cleland of Fremont,

Demands of Holt County People. AMELIA, Neb., Jan. 18.- Special to THE BRE. ]-A meeting was held at this place January 14, over 100 farmers being present. for the purpose of devising ways and means of securing the construction and operation of a railroad through this county. All present expressed themselves as willing to vote bonds and right of way to any railroad cor-poration that would construct and have in operation the desired road not less than

three miles to be in this township within two years from date. Other townships in this locality are preparing to follow suit. committee of three was appointed to confer with the railroad officials in regard to the matter. The names of the committeemen are O. C. Sammens, W. N. Hawkins and Thomas Higgins. Holt county is a rich disrict and will soon be traversed by a railroad.

Enthusiastic Farmers. McCook, Neb., Jan. 18.—[Special Telegram to The Bee. ] -An enthusiastic convention of the farmers of southwestern Nebraska was held here today for the purpose of perfecting plans for the proper representation of the products and advantages of this part of the state at the World's fair. Action was taken and the necessary committees appointed to collect and arrange the exhibit. Resolutions were adopted asking the legislature now in session to appropriate \$100,000 for the pur-pose of defraying the expenses of collecting the exhibits and the expenses of one man from each county in the state at Chicago during the fair that the advantages of each county and the state in general may be properly presented.

Resolutions favoring the International railroad, a bill for which is now pending in congress, were also adopted.

Captured Two Crooks. FAIRMONT, Neb., Jan. 18 .- | Special Telegram to The Bee. ] -On the arrival at Me-Cook of the B. & M. fast express from Denver this afternoon two officers appeared and were introduced by Conductor Kenton to a pair of slick crooks and a gentlemarily old farmer who was \$75 poorer as the result of a friendly game of cards played during the afternoon run. The conductor's attention was called to the game during its progress in the smoking car, and at the first station he telegraphed to the city marshal at Mc Cook to meet his train, that he had some When the buncoers were business for him. bagged they made a desperate attempt to cs-

too much for them and the precious pair were successfully secured, locked up and the farmer held as a witness.

cape, but the vigilance of the officers was

Favor of a Bounty on Sugar Beets. MILLARD, Neb., Jan. 18.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-A very enthusiastic meeting was held at this place this evening by the farmers and citizens for the purpose of taking action to urge the passage of the bill offering a bounty of \$1 per ton for sugar beets, which is now before the house of rep-resentatives. A petition was drafted, prayng for the passage of said bill, and Messra H. Kelsey, J. F. McCardle and J. F. Wey bright were appointed a committee to at tend a similar meeting to be held in Omahi

# next Saturday.

Knox County Lands Sold. Niobrana, Neb., Jan. 18.-[Special Tele gran to THE BEE. |-The Erwin Davis lands in Knox county, which have been many years in dispute and in which A S Pareick is interested, were sold today for \$21,000. mostly to Omaha parties. Kansas City parties were represented, who offered \$30,000 if sold in a body, but they were parceled off in quarter sections. It is reported that the attorney for the Kansas City firm will ask

#### that the sale be set aside. STARVED TO DEATH.

Terrible Story of Suffering and Privation

from Virginia. HUNTINGTON, Va., Jan. 18.-Word just received by the authorities from Haynesville aalley, a remote region of this county, reveals a terrible condition of destitution in the family of Benjamin Lear, in which two deaths have occurred from starvation.

Two months ago Lear abandoned his family, consisting of a wife and two children. the elder of which was but 19 months oil. His wife, a young woman of weak intellect, was unable to provide for the children, not did she bring their condition to the atten-tion of the proper authorities. A month ago the elder child died of starvation, and in its dreadful sufferings for food it had bitten deeply into the flesh on its arms and hands Last week a baby of 6 months died of starys tion, and when a neighbor who called exammed its body it was found that the babe, in its desperation for nourishment, had sucked the flesh from the fingers on both, bands until the bones were exposed. Kindly dis-posed neighbors are now attending to the wants of the abandoned wife.

# RICHES BUINED HIM.

John Laning, Who Inherited Several Million Bollars, Hopelessly Insanc in Paris. San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 18.—A cablegram from Paris announces that John Luning, son of the late m. lionaire, Nicholas Luning, is hopelessly insane and is confined in a French institution.
Young Luning, with his brother, inherited

fortune of several million deliars from his ather. The latter was noted for closeflatedness in money matters and, although enormously rich, would allow his sen John no support. John worked as an elevator boy in Chicago and New York, but ceased work in the latter city and commenced borrowin money on notes to be paid after his father death. He fived a wild life in New York until he could raise no more money, and then came to San Francisco and repeated the per-formance. After his father's death young Luning paid his debts and started on a trip around the world in the yacht Alert, which he purchased in Boston. With half a dozen he purchased in Boston. With half a dozen friends Luning sailed from New York for Europe just before the winter storms set in, and nothing has been heard from everal weeks. He will remain in Paris for

the present. Denies the Report.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 18 .- At the general offices of the company in this city the report is absolutely denied that the Pennsylvania is seeking to secure control of the Columbus & riceking Valley and Tolodo rail-

# IN GRATEFUL REMEMBRANCE

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will especially feel his loss, for he was their comrade to the last."

In the Supreme Court. In the supreme court of the United States, Attorney General Miller said; "It is my painful duty to announce to the court the death of Rutherford B. Hayes, ex-president of the United States. At his home in Fremont, Ø., after a oried libress, at the ripe age of 70 years, this eminent public servant last night passed from the life that is now into the life hervafter. This is not the time for collegy, yet I am constrained to say that in eulogy, yet I am constrained to say that in his death the country has lost one who was good citizen, a good president and, above all, a good man.

The chief justice responded: "The court receives the announcement of the death of ex-President Hayes with the sensibility due to his emir out public services and his private virtue, and as a mark of respect to his memory will now adjourn until tomorrow."

#### Ohio Mourns for Him.

Conumnus, O., Jan. 18.-All work was sus-Columnus, O., Jan. 18.—All work was suspended at the Ohio State university on account of the death of ex-President Hayes. He was president of the board of trustees. The faculty adopted resolutions to the effect that while he was eminent in war, he was pre-eminent in his services in the time of peace. A committee was appointed to attend the funeral. The manual training building at the school was manual attention.

tend the funeral. The manual training bullating at the school was aimed after him. By action of the legislature and state officers, the state house is to be draped, and arrangements were concluded to secure transportation for these officials to the funeral. State troops, if desirable by the family, will be ordered out to participate. Governor McKinley, speaking of the death of the ex-president, said: "It is in the nature of a personal bereavement. When a boy I joined his regiment, was promoted to a licutenant, then to major, and went through the joiner his regiment, was promoted our tenant, then to major, and went through the war with him. In 1876, when he was elected president. I was elected to congress at the same time. I have a wonderful admiration

#### for him, both as a man and a citizen." His Old Regiment.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 18 .- A score of members of General Hayes regiment, the Twenty-third Ohlo, who live in this city, will be present at the funeral Friday. One company of the regiment was recruited in this city, and James P. McGirath was the first captain. The members of the regiment always held him in high esteem. The mem-bers have arranged for bers have arranged for a floral tribute to be sent to Fremont. The city council decided today to attend the funeral of General Hayes in a body.

### Sketch of His Life,

Rutherford B. Hayes was born in Delaware, O., October 4, 1822. He was educated at Kenyon college and studied law in the office of Thomas Sparrow at Columbus. In 1849 he moved to Cincinnati where he built up a good practice and gained considerable up a good practice and gained considerable reputation in several sensational murder trials. In 1850 he was made city solicitor, He entered the army as a major of the He entered the army as a major of the Twerty-third Ohio infantry June 7, 1861. A few months later he was lieutenant colonel, and he came out of the army with the rank of brovet major general, a rank conferred upon him for gallant and distinguished services during the campaign of 1864 in West Viscous and Colonel (1864 in Wes Virginia and particularly at the battles of Fishers Hill and Cedar Creek, Va. August 6, 1864, while he was in the field,

he was elected to congress and took his seat December 4, 1865. He was elected to the next congress but resigned to make a race for the governorship, to which he was elected In 1869 he was renominated by acclamation

and was elected by about the usual Ohio majority.

In 1872 he accepted a renomination to congress, but was defeated by General H. B. Baming. The republican state convention in 1875 nominated Hayes a third time for the office of governor. A campaign that excited the country resulten in his election. It was this important canvass that suggested Hayes as a possible dark horse in 1876.

He was nominated at the convention of the republican party at Cincinnati. After an election that probably surpassed in general interest any ever held in this country Mr. Hayes was elected by one electoral vote. The contest with all its attendant features is well remembered by the public. Since his retirement from the presidency Mr. Hayes has lived quietly at his old home in Fremont, devoting most of his time to the

#### promotion of prison reform and the education of the southern freedmen. His wife died at Fremont, June 24, 1889.

PERS NAL PARAGRAPHS.

J. W. Kellogg of Elgin is at the Murray. Mr. Ed Wessel left for New York yester-B. G. Spencer of Kansas City is at the Barker

is at the Paxton. John Murrer, a hardware merchant of Nor folk, is at the Dellone. George W. Cherrington, a Gibbon sto k dealer is at the Paxton.

J. C. White, the Lincoln implement dealer,

J. T: O'Brien of the Kearney of the elecrical works is at the Paxton. Messrs. H. C. Freeman and B. P. Egan of Nebraska City are at the Dellone. Frank Conroy of Fairmont and John Mc-Bride of O'Neill are stopping at the Dellone

J. H. Haldeman of Weeping Water and Charles Neidhart of Beatrice are at the George H. Frank, president of the Frank mplement company of Kearney is at the Paxton.

Messrs, J. P. McCullough and James Woods, well known stockmen of Schuyler, are at the Paxton. Miss Eugenie Ulrich, chief clerk of the Sioux City Jobbers and Manufacturers as-sociation, is visiting friends in the city.

C. B. Halcomb of Kansas City, Oliver W. Mink of Boston and S. H. H. Clark, officials of the Union Pacific, registered at the Millard yesterday. "Zach" Taylor, cb'af clerk at the Paxton, came down to the notel yesterday for the first time in several weeks. His health is

At the Mercer: C. Kirk Boston;
E. A. Kruckman, P. A. Gerberich, Chicago;
A. C. Calton, Rock Island; S. C. Haller,
Denver; A. L. Richmond, George P.
Bissell, Cheyenne; F. Wolcott, Valentine;
F. W. Jewel, Tekamah; Cyrus S. Roberts,
U. S. A.; W. E. Serits, Cedar Rapids, Ia.;
W. H. Wilkins, Springerfuld, Mo. W. H. Wilkins, Springfield, Mo.

CHICAGO, III., Jan. 18 - Special Telegram to The Bes. |—Nebraska arrivals: Brevoort —Ad Miller and wife, A. T. Root, Omaha. Grand Pacific —J. J. Johnson, Omaha. Great Northern—Ceorge A. Joshyn, Omaha. Le-land—Fred 1k Smith and wife, Neoraska City. Auditorium—Charles Shejperd, Omaha: J. Moriand, Lincoln; William Gyger, Omaha. Palmer—L. R. Robertson. Kearney. Tremont—Joseph B. Glenn, R. C. Fuller, E. J. Miller, O. L. Robbins, C. C. Culver, B. G. Green, L. C. Kellogy, Omaha. Sherman—F. J. Switz, Kearney.

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