## NEBRASKA SCHOOL DISPLAY

Etate Superintendent Jackson Talks About the Teachers' Work,

MUCH INTEREST AMONG ALL CONCERNED

Arrangements in Progress to Make i Wonderful Exhibit in Which All Grades Will be Given Proper Treatment.

LINCOLN, March 14.-(Special.)-State Superintendent Jackson reports that the educational department of the exposition is getting in better shape every day. The enthusiasm among the schools that are to make exhibits is growing and there is a healthy spirit of rivalry among them as to which will make the best showing. This send the very best work that-can be done by their pupils. Of the ninety counties in the state seventy-two will be represented in the school department, while thirty-seven out of the forty-three schools employing ten or more teachers each will make exhibits. The eight state institutions, five private and five denominational schools will be well represented. As is only natural, the most work is being done in Omaha and Lincoln, where the large number of teachers employed entitles the cities to a large amount of space for exhibits. While there are 322 rural schools preparing exhibits they represent only 322 teachers, or less than are employed in the Omaha schools. Lincoln, with 136 teachers, will occupy a large amount of

The superintendent is pleased to be able to announce that the educational depart-ment will be able to do better by the schools than was at first promised. The space of 10,000 feet which was at first reserved for the exhibit has been increased to 14,000 feet, and this will entitle each teacher to a little over a square yard of wall space, besides the exhibits that will be placed in the drawers and on the shelves. Nebraska made a good showing at the World's Fair in 1893. but the exhibit only occupied about 400 square feet, or less than one-thirtleth of the amount of space to be occupied by the schools of the state at the Omaha exposition. This increase in space and the grow-ing enthusiasm of the prospective exhibitors are enthusing those connected with the head of the department, until there is an air of suppressed excitement and a hum of business about the office that increases as the time for the opening of the exposition

PROFIT IN CATTLE FEEDING.

Adjutant General Gage of the Grand Army has just returned from a few days' visit in the Republican valley country. He says that fall grain looks especially fine down there and everything points to the raising of an Immense crop. But General Gage came home particularly enthused over the success of cattle mising in that locality. He says that several of those termed "short feedor who buy cattle, feed them a short time and then put them on the market, have just recently taken advantage of the bulge in the price and sold their cattle at a good profit, making their corn net them over 30 cents per bushel. This in spite of the fact that they purchased the feeders at such a high price that the original owners netted a handsome profit. An instance was given of a man in Franklin county who bought 115 head of steers just two years ago on what he termed a "democratic mar-ket." They cost him \$11 apiece. He hired his feeding and herding done and rented pasturage through the summers. At the present time the cattle will average over up for the June market, when they are expected to reach an average of 1,400 pounds The bunch will bring 5 cents per pound right there at home and will not the owner \$70 a head. During the two seasons each steer has consumed a total of eighty bushels of corn, which cost the feeder 14 cents per bushel. The pasturage cost 22 cents per bushel. The pasturage cost 22 cents per head per month for five months in the summer and 30 cents per month for the balance of the year. The hired help and care of the cattle is figured at \$5 per head, making the total cost of each animal when ready to go on the market in June a trifle less than \$36. The net profit to the owner will be \$34 per head, or about \$4,000 for the bunch. This goes to prove that cattle feeding in the Republican valley is a bonapa. ing in the Republican valley is a bonanza. Of course, yearlings can no longer be bought so cheap. Animals like those that the feeder paid \$11 for two years ago now bring \$23 a head. But even at that price it is apparent that the feeder has a splendid profit, even though he hire all his work done, buy the corn and rent the pasture. General Gage the fact that they bought steers during dem-ocratic times and can sell them during the good times of a republican administration. The "increase in the purchasing power of a dollar" does not worry the cattle feeders now. There are more cattle being fed along the Republican valley than ever before and the people down there feel that prosperity as struck that region sure enough.

Another instance of stock feeding under a

prosperity administration may be mentioned. Ex-State Superintendent A. K. Goudy, who went off with the free silver and free trade crowd in 1896, took advantage of the pro-tective features of the Dingley bill last fall and fed 1,500 head of sheep on a ranch out in Dawson county. He made a nice profit, although he was so slow to see the good features of the new tariff bill that he buy his sheep until they had gone up to

GOSSIP FROM THE CAPITAL State Superintendent Jackson will go Dmaha tomorrow on business connected with the educational department of the exposition C. F. Beck, deputy state superintendent went to Fremont today to see to the printing



Was there ever a women in the wide world who did not yearn to be the mother of a bright faced, happy, healthy, laughing, rol-licking child? If there ever was such a

bright faced, happy, healthy, laughing, rollicking child? If there ever was such a woman, she was a bad one, and while there are many thoroughly bad men, there are very few thoroughly bad women.

It was God's and Nature's intention that every woman should be the mother of healthy children. Tens of thousands of women defeat this beneficent design by their ignorance and neglect. They suffer from weakness and disease in a womanly way, and take no measures, or the wrong measures, to remedy it. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a sure, speedy and permanent cure for all disorders of this description. It acts directly and only on the delicate and important organs that are the threshold of human life. It makes them strong, healthy, vigorous and virile. It heals ulceration, allays inflammation, soothes pain and tones and builds up the nerves. It banishes the trials of the period of impending maternity and makes baby's entry to the world easy and almost painass. It does away with the dangers of motherhood and shortens the period of weakness and lassitude. It insures the little newcomer's health and a bountiful supply of nourishment. It transforms weak, sickly, nervous invalids into happy, healthy wives and mothers. Thousands of women have testified to its marvelous merits. A dealer is not a physician, and has no right to suggest a substitute for the prescription of an eminent specialist like Dr. Pierce. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser sent for 21 one-cent stamps to cover mailing only. Cloth binding 31 stamps. Address Dr. 2. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. V.

of the programs for Arbor day and Bird day

night.

The state treesurer has made a call for \$1,700 warrants of the Institute for the Feeble Minded, to come in March 21.

This city was visited by a hard rainstorm accompanied by a violent wind at 5 o'clock this afternoon. It only lasted a few moments, but so much water fell that serves. moments, but so much water fell that some of the streets were flooded and impassable

for a time. Some damage was done to gloss fronts by the wind.

The Woman's club of Lincoln, which now numbers over 500 members, held a decling at the armory of the University of Nebraska this afternoon and devoted the session to the discussion and exhibition of the methods or physical culture as applied to the training of girls. One of the illustrations during the meeting was a girls' backet ball game be-tween the two midget teams of the univer-

Omaha people at the hotels: At the Lindell-Miss Lucile Wilson, Miss Alma Trumble, J. A. Epenter, Charles McArthur, A. F. Geiffith, C. L. Bauffler, C. H. Breck, Jr., Geiffith. spirit of contest is being encouraged and Reynolds Barnum. At the Lincoin-Charles there is no doubt that each teacher will G. Scott. F. W. Bodie, A. S. Crump, Lee S. Estelle, P. H. Gould,

> NOMINATION OF CITY TICKETS. Nebraska Towns Get Ready for Spring

Elections. BEATRICE, Neb., March 14 .- (Special Telegram.)-The republican city convention held tonight nominated for members of the school board A. H. Kild, L. M. Pemberton and James Edmun. The two first named are now members of the board. Mrs. Alice Minick presented a petition asking for the nomination of Mrs. Dr. Mary B. White and Mrs. A. W. Nickell presented the name of Mrs. O. N. Wheeler. Rev. C. S. Dudley acted as chairman. A call for a citizena' mass meeting has been issued, to be held tomorrow night, to nominate a city ticket. The principal supporters of the movement

re well known populists. TECUMSEH, Neb., March 14.—(Special Telegram.)-Following this the second ticket to make its appearance in Tecumseh for city offices and was named in a nonpartisan convention tonight: William Cummings for mayor; A. N. Coffey, clerk; W. L. Dunlay William Cummings for mayor; A. N. Coffey, clerk; W. L. Dunlay, engineer; L. M. Davis, treasurer; councilmen, First ward, C. M. Shaw; Second ward, J. A. Lawrence; Third ward, Dick McLanahan. Members school board, Dr. P. V. Dafoe, Dr. A. Galser, W. F. Chenoweth and W. J. Jennings. The following candidates for school board were named today to go on the ticket named in the first convention: Dr. A. Gaiser, W. F. Chenoweth, G. D. Bennett and E. H. Grist.

FAIRFIELD, Neb., March 14.—(Special.)— On Saturday evening the anti-license people on Saturday evening the anti-license people held a caucus and made nominations for city officers as follows: For mayor, Rev. G. A. Hobson; clerk, S. C. Thompson; treasurer, M. D. Gates; engineer, C. M. Prickett; police judge, M. Palmer; aldermen, A. J. Riddle and M. L. Byrkit. On the same evening the license people nominated for mayor Dr. A. R. Ray; clerk, D. Mordock; treasurer, Joseph Kyne; engineer, C. M. Prickett; police judge, R. W. Bartrom; aldermen, Simon Jones and Joseph Buldls. This makes three tickets in the field with others to hear from, M'COOK, Neb., March 14.—(Specelal Tele-gram.)—The republicans of McCook held a

harmonious city caucus this evening and unanimously placed in nomination the fol lowing ticket: Mayor, J. E. Kelley; clerk, C. I. Hall; treasurer, E. J. Wilcox; police judge, C. F. Babcock; engineer, C. N. Whittaker; members of the Board of Education E. H. Doan and R. B. Archibald; councilmen First ward, L. W. McConnell, Second ward, W. S. Morlan; committeemen, C. I. Hall, J. A. Wilcon, R. B. Archibald, W. S. Perry, and C. B. Gray.

Columbus Items. COLUMBUS, : .b., March 14.-(Special.)-The remains of W. D. Murphy of Lincoln arrived this evening and will be buried to morrow. Mr. Murphy was well known in this city, having married his wife here about seven years ago. He had for the last ten years been engaged with the Nebraska State Journal in various capacities, the last two years operating a linotype machine. He was 29 years of age and his death was caused by quick consumption and was some-what sudden, as he did his last day's work on Tuesday, March 8. He was a member of the Capital City Typographical union.

A high wind has raged here since this morning, doing some damage to trees, fences, on the engine house of the Elevator Rolling mills fell with a crash, completely demolish

ing it and doing about \$75 worth of damage.
The depot at Benton, eight miles east cu the Union Pacific, was completely destroyed by fire this morning. No particulars.
A high wind has blown here all day from the south and has done some damage to trees and outbuildings. About noon the smokestack at the roller mills fell and was

broken in several pieces. It will necessi-tate the closing down for several days. Damage about \$75. Blissard at Chadron.

CHADRON, Neb., March 14 .- (Special Telegram.)-The worst blizzard of the season has been raging in northwest Nebraska for the last twenty-four hours. Snow has been falling continuously and a heavy wind has drifted it six feet high in places. Railroad truffic is practically suspended, although Superintendent Harris of the Elkhorn is using his utmost endeavor to get all pas-senger and through freight trains over his

division on time. No evil effects are suite

ipated by the stockmen, as the weather is

not severely cold. GORDON, Neb., March 14 .- A flerce snow storm, driven by a flerce northwest wind, has been raging since noon today. This will be very destructive to stock interests, thin range cattle and cows with young calves being in most danger. The snow is very damp and the wind penetrating. Up to this time cattle have come through the winter in remarkably fine condition.

Claims Being Filed.

FAIRBURY, Neb., March 14 .- (Special.)-The claims filed against E. Fittens, who was closed up by his creditors Saturday night, aggregate over \$6,000 and there are a few small ones to come in. The mort-gagess now in possession of the stock and their claims are. Jacob Conrad. \$1,080; M. E. Smith & Co., \$3,346,39; Syms Grocery Co. \$1.043; Beckman & McKnight Co., \$518.56; Swafford Dry Goods Co., \$150.24; Katz. Nevene Co., \$177.60. The stock will probably bring enough to pay all indebtedness in full, as it will invoice considerable more than the

Sunday School Convention.

CEDAR RAPIDS, March 14 .- (Special.)-The arrangements for the annual convention of the Iowa State Sunday School association, which will be held in this city the latter part of June, are being rapidly per-fected. It is expected that not less than 1,500 people will attend. One of the features of the convention will be a great parade on the first day. Governor Shaw of Iowa and Governor Mount of Indiana will lead the parade. A fine silk banner will be pre-sented to the school having the learges number in line in proportion to its enroll-

Foreman Disappears.

ASHLAND, Neb., March 14 .- (Special.)-Clarence D. Krow, foreman of the Journa printing office, decamped auddenly Saturday night, leaving numerous debts unpaid. Krov Francis, Kas., and secured work in the Journal office. It is known here that he made arrangements to go to Goodland, Kas to engage in the newspaper business and it is thought that he went from here to St.

Burglars at Gretna.

GRETNA, Neb., March 10 .- (Special.)-The general merchandise store of Langdon Brothers was broken open last night and a lot of merchandise taken. The safe was unmolested. The work was apparently that of amateurs and local talent is suspected The only clew left by the robbers was an old

Fatal Shot. SIDNEY, Neb., March 14 .- (Special Tel egram.-Henry Eckman, aged 71 years stonemason, residing several miles west of there, was in the act of taking a chotgun from his cart yesterday preparatory to

bunch of wild geese, accidentally discharged the gun and Eckman's right arm was almost shot off and the clothing was ignited. Medical aid was summfoned, but pyemia set in and Eckman died it 5 o'clock this morning. The coroner has taken charge of his effects and two some in Pennsylvania have been noexercises in the public schools of the state.

Governor Holcomb has accepted the invitation to be present and take part in the James Doly meeting at Ocnaha Thursday night.

The

company met Saturday night and elected officers as follows: President, E. A. Tucker; vice president, O. A. Cooper; accretary, T. R. Butterfield; treasurer A. H. Fellers. The board decided on a location for the central office and designated a mon to take charge, but will not decide on a system until to-

A declamatory contest participated in by nine High school pupils took place at the ners to enter a similar contest given by the schools of Ashland, Falls City and this city The contectants were divided into three clarses and the wioners in each class and their selections were as follows: Dramatic, "Parrhasius," Margaret Brocelin; humorous, "How Ruby Played," Ernest Parr; orator-ical, "Regulus to the Carthaginians," John Johnson.

Evangelist J. C. Redding began a series which are just fitting cut at Philadelphia, of revival meetings at the Presbyterian this force will form an excellent nucleus church in this city last night. The avowed intention of the tackers of the meetings is the department decides to form one. to "knock out" the saloons of the city for the ensuing municipal year.

Educational Convention Closes. DAVID CITY, Neb., March 14 .- (Special.) -The educational convention closed Saturday. In the forenoon Prof. Clemmons' address was full of good points. He was followed by a short specifi by J. A. Collins, county superintendent of Dodge county who made the requisites of a good school and a good teacher plain to all. Superintendent Jackson presented exposition matters and urged the teachers to renewed efforts for a prize-taking exhibit. The Fremont Normal school quartet rendered some excellent music, as did others.

Ceptain Zeilinger has received orders to recruit company E, First regiment, to the maximum strength. Several have enrolled their names and there will be no trouble to comply with the order. Bad Cut In the Eye.

BRADSHAW, Neb., March 14 .- (Special.) -Yesterday morning while Agent Horn of the B. & M. station at this place was preparing kindling for a fire a small sliver flew and struck him in the right eye, cuting a gash and making a serious A physician thinks the eye can be saved Creamery for Republican City.

REPUBLICAN CITY, Neb., March 14 .-(Special.)-The agent of the Beatrice Cream. ery company is here putting in a creamery and separator station at this place. It seems an assured success, as over \$1,300 worth of stock has been subscribed out of the \$1,575. New Bridge Opened.

REPUBLICAN CITY, Neb., March 14 .-Special.)-The Canton Bridge Co. of Canton, O., has completed a new iron drawbridge across the river here. It was opened for traffic March 12.

Paper Changes Hands. FALLS CITY, Neb., March 14 .- (Special.) -The populist paper of this place has changed hands, George W. Brewster having sold the plant to W. N. McComas and J. M. VanCamp of Kansas City.

English Ministry Evades Questions Regarding Negotiations.

LONDON, March 14.- In the House of Commons today the parliamentary secretary for the foreign office, Mr. Curzon, replying to Michael Davitt, anti-Parnellite, who asked the government whether Great Britain had offered to lend men-of-war to the United States in the event of a conflict between the United States and an European power said the government had not made such an offer. Answering a series of questions which Mr. Davitt put with the view of eliciting whether there have been any negotiations for an alliance between Great Britain and the United States or whether Great Britain had offered to mediate in the Cuban crisis, Mr. Curzon said these questions were of such a nature that it was inexpedient to reply to

Mr. Curzon's reply that Mr. Davitt's questions were inopportune were received oud cries of "hear," "hear" from the union!s:

Mr. Davitt in an interview on the subject said: "I put the question as to the ships because the subject was not proceeded with because the subject was not proceeded with last week. I wanted to elicit the truth. I know, of course, that the statement that war ships would possibly be loaned was as as City was killed outright, Brakeman Coull was probably fatally injured, and as the rumored alliance and I reknow, of course, that the statement was as war ships would possibly be loaned was as absurd as the rumored alliance and I re-Curzon is too clever a diplomat to give any answer which would dispel the idea that an American alliance is on the tap's, as of course it never will be. Mr. Curzon knows it, but it serves England's purpose to let the continental nation the near future." continental nations think it is possible

KEEPING AN EYE ON WAR SHIPS. United States Gunboats Follow Span-

ish Squadron. LISBON, March 14.—The United States war vessels Helena and Bancroft sailed today, going in a southwesterly direction.

LONDON, March 14 .- A special dispatch from Cadiz, Spain, announces that the Spanish squadron has sailed from that port. It is understood the Spanish war ships are going to Porto Rico, where they will await the orders of Captain General Blanco. Enthusiastic crowds gathered there to bid farewell to the Spanish war vessels.

The departure of the United States war possibly be connected with the seemingly simultaneous departure of the Spanish squadron from Cadiz, which is situated on the southwestern coast of Spain. Rumors have had it that the Bancroft and Helena might follow the Spanish ships across the

WASHINGTON, March 14.-Cablegrame received at the Navy Department today an-nounce that the Bancroft sailed yesterday from Lisbon for Norfolk, and the Helena from Lisbon for Key West to join the squad-ron. This leaves Admiral Howell at Lisbon with his flagship San Francisco as the sole representative of the United States navy in European waters.

EXAMINATION OF MERCHANT SHIPS

Board to Ascertain Which Are Available for Use of Navy. NEW YORK, March 14.-The board auxiliary cruisers of the United States navy, which was appointed to acquire ships of the merchant marine for use in the event of the do here. The new board supersedes the office each side is a circle of silver of a design of United States inspector of merchant vessimilar to that of the buckle. sels, which has been held by Lieutenant Commander J. D. Kelley in this city, since

May of last year. Commander Kelley is a member of the new board. A member of the board said today that it had power to pre-empt any vessel that had been constructed under the subsidy of congress and was en-gaged in carrying the mails. All vessels will be carefully examined and no worn-out bulks

accepted.

The special board organized with the se lection of Captain Frederick Rodgers of the Naval Board of Inspection and Survey as president; Lieutenant Sergeant, recorder of the Board of Inspection, secretary, and Lieutenant Commander Kelley as advisor. It was announced that all meetings of the

Waive Questions of Indemnity. LONDON, March 14.-The Daily News commenting this morning on its Washington correspondent's report that President Mc-Kinley's intimate friends believe him by

Kinley's intimate friends believe him is favor of waiving all questions of indemnity providing Spain will accept America's friendly mediation in Cuba, says:

"Such a solution will be the best for all parties. If Spain is not able to manage her own colories, they must be managed for her. That, and no straining of the Monroe doctrine, is the source of American feeling

PROCTOR REPORTS ON HIS TRIP

Closeted with Secretary Alger for WASHINGTON, March 11. Senator Proc tor called at the War dapartment today to see Secretary Alger. He was given the right of way over a number of persons who were way over a number of persons who were waiting for the secretary in the reception room and for nearly half as hour recited to Secretary Alger the events and observations of his Cuban trip.

Later Senator Proctor called at the White House and had quite an extended conference with the president, to whom he narrated his observations in Cuba.

Brooklyn Reaches Fortress Monroe WASHINGTON, March 14.-The big armored cruiser Brooklyn arrived at Fortress Monroe this morning, direct from LaGuyra, Venezuels. It has made a fine run up, and it is expected will await at Hampton Roads the arrival of the Minneapolls and Columbia,

RESUME THE FACTIONAL CONTEST

Ohio Republicans Prepare for the Coming State Convention. CLEVELAND, O., March 14 .- J. W. Holcolm, one of the republican committee of fifteen in the city and an active lieutenant of Senator Hanna, is authority for the statement that the Bushnell and Kurtz forces are marshaled for another battle.

Delegates to the next republican state con-

vention will soon be chosen. Those from each county will be selected in county convention next Saturday. Mr. Holcolm says he has every evidence to show that Mayor McKisson will try to capture the county convention and the Bushnell and Kurtz mer will do the same thing the state over. With the state convention in their hands the alleged plan is to endorse the action of the republicans who bolted Senator Hanns in the legislature, condemn the election of Senator Hanna as brought about by im-proper means and appoint a state committee which will be not only antagonistic to Sen ley, one of the objects being, it is alleged to embarross the president as much as possible if he comes up for re-election.

ITS WORK IS NEARLY COMPLETED. Nicaragua Canal Commission Will Re-

turn in a Few Days. (Special Correspondence of the Associated Press. COLON, Colombia, March 5.-The work of the United States Canal commission is al most completed. Colonel Hains will leave in a day or two for the United States, but Admiral Walker will remain behind to attend to some routine work.

On the first day's march from Ochoa to the sea Admiral Walker, after three hours' gallant struggle, was forced to abandon the trip and went to Greytown by canoe. Colonel Hains says this part of the work of the commission was most difficult. After tramping thirty-eight miles through the jungle the colonel and his followers reached Greytown exhausted. They had to cut every foo way through the undergrowth with he machete. Engineer Arthur P. Davis, who has re-

MAKES NO OFFER TO LEND SHIPS. signed from the commission, said there was no possible chance of getting in a report this year as the commissioners have not yet obtained sufficient data.

Gold Comes from Australia. SIDNEY, N. S. W., March 14.-The American steamer Alameda salled today for Sar Francisco, having on board \$2,000,000 in gold Adopts the Postal Agreement.

PARIS, March 14 .- The Chamber of Depu ties today adopted the postal arrangements signed at Washington in June last. Torpedo Boats Sall for Cuba.

MADRID March 14.-The Spanish torped squadron sailed from Cadiz at 6 o'clock last night for the Canary islands.

ENGINEER IS KILLED OUTRIGHT.

a Treatle in Missouri. PLATTSBURG, Mo., March 14 .- A freight train on the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf went through a treatle near Trimball this evening. The engine and eighteen cars

HYMENEAL.

General Kearney-Harrison. CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., March 14.-General John Watts Kearney and Miss Elizabeth Montgomery Harrison were married at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Green Payton, near here. General and Mrs. Kearney left on the 5:40 southern train for New York, whence they will sail on Wednesday for a bridal tour of Europe.

The bride is the daughter of the late Colonel Julian Harrison of Elk Hill, on the James. Her mother is a Kentuckian, whose maiden name was Fuoebe Johnson. In the marriage license General Kearney's age is given at 52 years.

NEW THINGS IN JEWELRY.

A very pretty black leather belt is studded with silver gilt boars' heads. The latest buckle for leather belts is gold plated imitation of a leather harness

buckle. A lady's gold watch case finished in maroon French enamel has a hunting scene n enamel.

Five or six rings, with fine wires, each showing a different stone, such as pearls, sapphires and diamonds, are new and beau-

Enormous gold rings, with jewels in the center, are employed for scarf pins, the tur-quoise being in favor especially. Big safety pins of gold have in the center an amethyst surrounded by diamonds.

The backs of watches and the tops of bon-

bonnieres and vinaigrettes are ornamented (?) with insects and animals from which the fair wearers of these creeping things would shrink if they encountered them in life. All sorts of insects, birds and reptiles are seen among the latest fancies in jewelry. Butterflies, bees, flies, ladybugs and spiders vie with lizards, snakes, turtles and winged creatures of all kinds for popular favor. Brooches in the form of silver baskets with bright-tinted flowers springing out of breaking out of war, met for organization to day in the Havemeyer building, where the board has secured temporary quarters. Permanent quarters will be taken later, as the board will have a great amount of work to do here. The new board supersedes the office

> A new design in girdles is composed of two parallel silver chains about an inch apart. They are held in place by wertical bars of sliver at intervals of three or four inches. Diamond shaped and circular pieces of sliver are also used instead of the plain bars, and are enameled and set with precious stones.

Strikers Return to Work. TAUNTON, Mass., March 14.-The operatives of the Whitlendon cotton mills returned to work today after a five weeks' strike. Ten of the loom fixers, who organ-ized the strike, will not be given employ-ment.

Engage More Gold for Import. NEW YORK, March 14.-Additional an-nouncement was made today of \$1,025,000 in gold engaged by Lazard Freeres for import and \$1,300,000 by the National City bank. This makes the total in movement \$20,975,

At New York—Arrived—Georgic, from Liverpool; Mohawk, from London; Spaarndam, from Rotterdam.

At Gibraltar—Arrived—Saale, from New York. Sailed—Fulda, for New York.

At Antwerp—Arrived—Noordland, from New York.

At Southampten—Sailed—Bremen, for New York.

Tale of a Miserable March Day and Omaha's Experience.

HEAVY RAIN BRINGS BLESSED RELIEF

Frisky Zephyr Plays Havoc with All Loose Things, but Finally Succumbs to a Drenching Shower in the Evening.

All day yesterday Omaha had a taste of what the skittish approach of the vernal equinox is like. This giddy forerunner of spring is due in just one week from today and its seems to be a-coming along the right track, judging from the manner in which the wind blew through the city. The Pacific and Atlantic coasts have been getting it the heaviest, for they have been suffering from severe gales during the last few days but Omaha did pretty well for an inland town. At is height the wind blew a good thirty-six miles an hour.

Omahans would have sworn that the zephyr was shooting along at twice the speed. It swept around the corners of the big buildings down town with a force that threatened to blow them off their feet. Around the corner they got another gust and in the vortex at the meeting point the poor mortal was tossed like a ball in a cup lislocated joints in efforts to keep his hat or her skirts in proper and seemly place. On top of it all the wind swept up the dust from the dirty streets in clouds and then ore off chunks and forced it down the

throats of people, willy-nilly.
The wind arose before Omaha awoke and slammed shutters and loose doors and whistled until people believed that winter was back for anothen turn. It increased in velocity steadily all day until late in the afternoon, when it reached its maximum speed of thirty-six miles an hour. Its force was indicated by the fact that it blew in a heavy plate glass window on the Farnam street side of the People's Furniture and Curpet company at Sixteenth and Farnam streets. By this time ruin was falling and it was swept into the opening and thoroughly soaked some of the fine furniture that was on display. A total damage of about \$500 was done. In the morning the wind also broke a relate state of the street was some street was some the street was some street was s broke a plate glass pane in John Jepson's saloon in the Brunswick hotel building and

caused a damage of about \$100. The breeze blew up a storm from the southwest late in the afternoon. At 5 o'clock the black clouds burst and from that time until nearly 7 a heavy rain fell, which at times became almost a deluge. It was the heaviest at the time downtown laborars were going to the late. borers were going to their homes and as a consequence the street car company reaped a harvest, the cars being crowded until they bulged. At 6 o'clock, when the weather bureau took its observation, fourteen-hun-dredths of an inch of water had fallen, and there was a whole lot after that. When the rain ccased the wind fell and the night was

Both wind and rain were in the nature of a godsend for the city treasury. During the day the former picked up and flung about in clouds the desicated filth which has accumulated on the streets to such an extent until some enterprising citizens have een working up a scheme to exhibit block of it at the exposition in competition with Havana harbor water us a disease breeder. The wind was busied all day in lodging this stuff in the internal organs and on the clothes of the people, and there was a lot left. A good portion of the remainder was swept by the rain into the acewers and this morning Omaha citizens will be given the first inkling they have had for months of what Omaha's streets look like. As a con-sequence the cost of cleaning the streets will be much lessened.

SUPREME COURT SYLLABI.

Gaylord against Nebraska Savings and Exchange Bank. Error from Douglas county. Reversed. Ryan, C. 1. An endorsement of a negotiable prom issory note in this language: "Pay to the order of Mary W. Gaylord," held not a they don't think that it's too early to order. general endorsement nor such an endorsenent as would transfer the legal title by 2. A negotiable promissory note may b

transferred by a separate distinct assign-ment thereof, but in such case the trans-feree will not be protected as against in-firmitties or defenses which might be shown as against the assignor.

3. An estoppel in pais, well pleaded, presents a question of fact, which, as such, should be submitted to the jury for determination.

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Maxfield against State. Error from Hamilton county. Reversed. Norval, J.

1. An instruction in a criminal prosecution
is not erroneous which defines a reasonable doubt as being such a doubt as arises
from a candid and impartial consideration
of all the evidence in the case, and which
would cause a reasonable and prudent man
to pause and hesitate in the graver transactions of life, and that a juror is satisfied
beyond a reasonable doubt if, from a consideration of the entire evidence, he has an
abiding conviction of the truth of the
charge.

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3. Mere non-direction by the trial judge affords no ground for the reversal of a criminal cause unless a proper instruction has been tendered and refused.

3. To justify a conviction of rape the proof must reach such a degree of certainty as to exclude a reasonable doubt.

4. A conviction of rape will not be sustained where the testimony of the prosecutrix as to the principal fact relied upon to sustain the charge is not only uncorroborated, but is so contradictory as to be self-destructive.

Hoagland against Green. Appeal from Douglas county. Reversed. Irvine, C.

It cannot be inferred that a mortgage, although left in the custody of the mortgager, was delivered as to one of two joint mortgagors upon the signing and acknowledgment by him, when it was the manifest intention of the parties that it should not take effect until execution by the other mortgagor.

2. The general lien of a deficiency judg-

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2. The general lien of a deficiency judgment rendered not by confession and at a term subsequent to the commencement of the foreclosure suit in which such judgment was rendered, is superior to a mortgage or conveyance of the debtor's land, executed after the commencement of that term, but before the actual rendition of the judgment.

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3. The mere fact that with the proceeds of a later mortgage a prior one was paid, for the purpose of removing the lien thereof, affords no ground for subrogating the junior mortgage to the rights of the former mortgages upon its being discovered that a lien had arisen intermediate between the two mortgages. (Bohn Sash and Door Company against Case, 42 Neb., 281, followed.)

Jarrett against Hoover. Appeal from Madison county. Affirmed. Norval, J.

1. After property has been sold under a decree the appraisement can be assailed only for fraud.

2. The action of appraisers of realty, under an order of sale, in returning the value of

an order of sale, in returning the value of the property, in fixing the amount of prior liens at a greater sum, and in finding de-fendant's interest of no value, is a suffi-cient compliance with the code, (sections 491a, 491c), requiring the interest of de-fendant to be appraised at its real value in money.

money.

3. A decree of foreclosure may be executed without order of sale. If one is issued it cannot limit the power conferred by such it cannot time the power conterred by the decree. Section 610 of the Civil Code, fixing the time within which an execution shall be made returnable, is not applicable to or-ders of sale issued on decrees of foreclo-5. A foreclesure sale will not be set aside

5. A foreclosure sale will not be set aside merely because the order of sale was not returned within sixty days of its date.
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railway Company against Kellogg, Error from Phelps county. Affirmed. Ragan, C.
1. In a suit for damages by a station agent of a railroad company against it for injuries he had sustained while attempting to set a defective brake on one of its cars, the petition does not fail to state a cause of action because it does not aver that the railroad company knew of the defective condition of the brake or that the brake had been out of repair for such a length of time that the railroad company by the exercise of ordinary care could have discovered its defective condition and could not by the exercise of ordinary care have discovered it before the acident, that the railroad company had no knowledgevof its defective condition and could not by the exercise of ordinary care have discovered it before the acident are matters of defense.

3 It is the duties of a master to furnish the servant tools and appliances reasonably safe and fit for the purpose for which they are designed and if the master neglects to do this and the servant is injured without fault on his part the defect in the instru-

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brake was in proper condition and reasonably fit for the purposes for which it was designed.

5. It is not the law, except where made so by statute, that a master is liable to a faceward for an injury which the latter has received through the negligence of a fellow servant.

6. If a car inspector whose duty it is to keep the brakes in repair neglects that duty and his co-servant, for instance a station agent, is injured by that neglect, the railing way company is liable for such injury. But the reason is that the relation existing between the inspector and station agent is that of vice principal and servant; the negligence of the master.

7. A station agent, whose duty it is to set brakes on cars left at his station, but who is not charged with the duty of inspecting or repairing the brakes is not a fellow servant of his co-servant who is a car inspector and charged with the duty of inspecting and repairing the brakes.

8. The rights and duties of counsel employed to conduct litigation considered and stated in the opinion.

9. A litigant, to take advantage of alleged misconduct at the time it occurs, ask the trial court for protection therefrom, proserve in a bill of exceptions the alleged misconduct, with the ruling of the trial court and the exceptions therefo, and present the record of what occurred and the rulings of the trial court as an assignment of error in the proceedings brought here.

Lancaster County against Green. Error

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Lancaster County against Green. Error from Lancaster county. Reversed. Ryan, C.
1. A board of county commissioners, in addition to the powers specially conferred by statute, has such other powers as are incidentally necessary to enable such board to carry into effect the powers granted.
2. The word "necessary" considered, and, in respect to the implied powers of boards of county commissioners, held to mean no more than that the exercise of such are reasonably required by the exigencies of each case as it arises.
3. An instruction which withdrew from a jury the consideration of the necessity 3. An instruction which withdrew from a jury the consideration of the necessity of employing brokers to refund county bonds because in the contract for the performance of which the recovery was sought against the county, its commissioners had assumed to determine the existence of such necessity; held erroneous.

Continental Building and Loan Association against Aulgur. Error from Lancaster county. Affirmed. Ragan C.

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1. The evidence examined and held to sustain the finding of the jury.

2. The ruling of the district court in admitting in evidence a receipt for money, given to the defendant in error by a witness and director of plaintiff in error, which tended to contradict the evidence of the witness that, in his dealings with defendant in error he was acting on his own behalf

ment or appliance not being obvious, the master is liable.

4. It was the duty of a station agent to set the brakes on cars left at his station, but it was not his duy to inspect the brakes on such cars, nor to repair them if he discovered them out of order. Held, that the agent had the right to presume that the car brake was in proper condition and reasonably fit for the purposes for which it was designed.

5. It is not the law, except where made so by statute, that a master is liable to a servant for an injury which the latter has received through the negligence of a fellow servant.

Huys a Hig Herd of Cattle. KANSAS CITY, March 14.—A deal was nade here today by which Mat Murphy of the Murphy Cattle company of St. Paul pur-chased from Ryan Brothers of Leavenworth their entire herd of cattle now on the ranges of eastern Montana. The herd numbers between 12,000 and 15,000 head and the purchase price is said to be \$30 a head.

FORECAST FOR TODAY'S WEATHER.

it Will Be Colder, with Winds Becoming Northwesterly.
WASHINGTON, March 14.—Forecast for For Nebraska and Kansas-Fair in western portion; showers in eastern portion; colder; winds becoming northerly.
For Iowa-Partly cloudy, with thunder-

storms; southerly, shifting to colder, west-erly winds. For South Dakota-Showers; colder; winds For Souri Dakot Showers, colder, which becoming northwesterly,
For Missouri-Partly cloudy, with scattered thunderstorms; southerly, shifting to colder, westerly winds.
For Wyoming-Cloudy weather, with light and scattered snows; northwesterly winds. Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, March 14.—Omaha record of tem-perature and rainfall compared with the corresponding day of the last three years: | 1898, 1897, 1896, 1895, 1896, 1895, 1896, 1895, 1896, 1895, 1896, 1895, 1896 1. 1897: 

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