MORE BILLS AGAINST MOORE

Lancaster County Grand Jury Gives Him Another Turn.

THREE MEW INDICTMENTS HANDED IN

Charged with Embersling Money Belenging to Insurance Companies and Given Until Monday to Frenish Ball.

LINCOLN, March 19.-(Special Telegram.) - The grand jury today returned three more indictments against Eugene Moore, charging him with the embezzlement of money from insurance companies. Moore was excused from giving bail until Monday.

An indictment was also returned against C. M. Crawford, late cashler of the defunct Merchants' bank, charging him with fraudulent practices in conducting the bank. Crawfore appeared pefore the court this aftertroop and furnished a bond in the sum of

J. J. Lamborn of Indianola was in the city todry and had a glowing story to tell of the prosperous times in Red Willow county. He said toat the merchants are doing a better business than they had for years, that the farmers are getting out of debt and are all looking forward to valuable improvements during the year. The cattle feeders in that section are all making money, especially those who bought young cattle two years ago, a large number of fat steers going on the market this month. Mr. Lamborn said that so many mortgages are being paid in that section that there is great difficulty in finding places to lean the money again, and that he himself as agent for an eastern loan company has been obliged lately to send a considerable amount of money back east that had been paid in during the last six months and could not again be loaned out.

GOSSIP FROM THE STATE HOUSE. Requisitions are being issued from the office of the adjutant general for 1,500 new style caps and cap ornaments for the Ne-braska National Guard.

braska National Guard.

Notice has been mailed to all the officers of the National Guard of the state calling a meeting to be held at Lincoln on March 29 for the purpose of reorganizing the National Guard association. The occasion will be taken as a fitting time to pass resolutions o. good will toward Major E. G. Fechet, who will soon leave his position as special aid here to join his regiment.

The Cuban Relief commission has received a donation of two sacks of flour from W. C. Foster of Staplehurst, which have been forwarded to Omaha. Another cash donation has been received from Anna F. Goodyear of Boston, who sends \$1.47 to be used in buying corn. This woman has sent a fumber of resultances. number of remittances of this sort and also had much to do with the securing of free transportation of the supplies to the sea-

B. E. Wilson, one of the state bank examiners, delivered an address before the class of the Lincoln Business college yesterday afternoon on the subject, "Governmen Examination of Banks and Its Value."

State Superintendent Jackson is in Denver attending to business relating to the educational exhibit at the exposition, his prin-cipal work in Denver being to consult with the superintendents of Colorado and induce them to make an extensive state exhibit in the educational department. Mr. Jackson ic

the educational department. Mr. Jackson keexpected home Monday.

The Carroll Co-operative Creamery company of Carroll, Neb., filed articles of incorporation today. The capital stock is \$10,000, and the incorporators are: Robert H. Jones, J. B. Francis, J. R. Washburn, O. Lobberg and H. C. Paulson, The Union Creamery company of Madison incorporated today, with a capital stock of

\$20,000. The articles are signed by Peter Rubendall, president, and M. C. Garrett, secretary. The company will operate a num-ber of skimming stations in Madison and adjoining counties, with a central factory at LINCOLN LOCAL NOTES.

Councilman Stewart, who has been suffer-

The second contest preliminary to the gold dal oratorical contest next term was held at Lincoln Normal last night, Miss Lenore Cassell, with the subject, "What is Woman's won first place. There were four

Sunday evening Rev. H. N. Dunning of the Second Presbyterian church will begin a series of illustrated sermons on the well known book, "Pilgrim's Progress." Mr. Duning has secured appropriate slides for both

the sermons and hymne, The grand jury, which has been in sesion for several weeks, adjourned today Before closing its labors the jury inspected the county jail, and reported that a new fall ought to be built with double th apacity of the present building.

The celebration of St. Patrick's day will be held at the Oliver theater tomorrow even-ing. The opening speech will be by General Patrick Barry. Other features of the program are: Piano solo, Miss Sutton; address. "St. Patrick," by Rev. Father Nugent; voca; solo, "Hay and Shamrock," N. Lawlor; address. "Th. Day of Partick," N. Lawlor; address." dress, "The Day of Persecution," D. J. Flaherty; vocal solo, "Just for Love," Miss Barnaby; address, "The Spirit of '98," James Manahan; vocal solo, "The Harp that Once Through Tara's Hall," Miss Stella Smith; address, "the Irish Race," J. B. Doyle; vocal solo, "Come Back to Eria," Prof. Clemens Movius; address, Hon. A. J. Lowry; chorus, "God Save Ireland," St. Cecilia choir; chorus

A matinee musicale will be given at the

Omaha People at the hotels: At the Lindell-F. L. Lewis, George Heimrod, D. M. Haverly, F. L. Crane. At the Lincoln-O.

ASHLAND, Neb., March 19.-(Special.)-James H. Snell, acting as receiver for the store of W. P. Snell, has been settling up the old accounts and closing out the stock for the benefit of the creditors. An invoice taken by Deputy Sheriff M. H. Collins of Wahoo, Receiver Snell and John W. Moon of this city as appraisers, showed the value of the stock to be \$5,000. Liabilities and incumbrances upon the real estate leave W merchants in Nebraska, without a dollar A smooth confidence game upon the farm-

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mend it to everybody with a clear conscience. Julius Beltin, Lanona, N. D., Oct. 20, 1896."
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ers of this vicinity has been worked recently by men claiming to represent Omaha whole-mile grocery houses. The plan was to offer double the market price for farm produce that the local dealers pay, but always re-quiring cash for the first purchase. When the time came for the second purchase, the confidence men would be miles away working the first purchase ket on the unsus-

PUTTING UP MUNICIPAL TICKETS. Little Attention Paid to Politics in Their Makeup.

FALLS CITY, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-At the citizens' caucus held at the court house Friday night the following city ticket was nominated: Mayor, H. C. Barton; trensurer, V. W. Jenne; clerk, J. L. Beautieu; engineer, A. E. Gantt: members of school board, C. L. Metz, W. L. White; councilman, First ward, J. M. Dewald; Second ward, I. C. Mauat; Third ward, Ed Glines, Frank Clegg, J. L. Cleaver and P. H. Jusssen were elected as committee to fill any vacancies that might

MEAD. Neb. March 19 .- (Special.)-The MEAD. Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—The citizens held their primary last evening and nominated C. T. Condit, Gust Oakson, I. G. Stone, J. G. Fleming and Charles Beeman for trustees. All the persons nominated are now members of the board.

The Anti-Salocn league held a caucus and nominated T. L. Adams, H. Ostenberg, N. Anderson, Emil Udel and Gust Monteen for trustees. This is the first time two tickets

trustees. This is the first time two tickets have been placed in the field for several years and a hot time is promised.

DAVID CITY, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—At the republican convention held last even-

ing George P. Shurley was nominated for mayor; W. A. Russell, city treasurer; W. S. McCoy, city clerk; D. C. Reynolds, police judge; O. A. Koth was elected chairman of the central committee, L. J. Blowars com-mitteeman of the First, W. F. Downing of the Second and S. Clingman of the Third

ORD, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—The auti-license party held its caucus yesterday afternoon and the following nominations were made: F. E. Lloyd for mayor; E. M. Williams, clerk, and J. L. Claffin, treasurer. KEARNEY, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-

What was termed a citizens caucus was held at the city hall last night, but it held at the city hall last night, but it was nothing more nor less than an antirepublican caucus, gotten up for the purpose of defeating the republican city ticket
nominated a week ago. It was composed
of democrats, popocrats, mugwumps and
the floating element generally. George W.
Hulbert, the present incumbent, was nominated for mayor; T. Hull, clerk; D. C.
Showers, trasurer; John Hoge, police
judge, and C. F. Bedinson and L. N. Mowery, members of school board. Rice Eaton
was selected for councilman from the was selected for councilman from the First ward; G. E. Haase, Second ward; George McGill, Third ward, and Robert Schenk, Fourth ward. A motion was made to appoint a committee on platform, but it was promptly voted down, as the candidates did not wish to be tied down to enything. As the republicans carried the city by about 70 kast year, and no republicans took part in the caucus last night, it is

quite probable that the entire republican city ticket will be elected.

SCHUYLER, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—
The republicans of Schuyler met in city caucus last night and placed in nominative following persons for city offices: the following persons for city offices: George H. Dunham, mayor; C. S. F. Payne, city clerk; Herbert Wells, city treasurer; G. H. Wells, police judge, and E. E. Greenman, city engineer. Councilmen—First ward, T. W. Whitman; Second ward, J. F. Nieman; Third ward, Allan Cameron. After the city and ward caucuses were held the repub-licans reconvened as a school district caucus, placing in comination as members of the school board Messrs. Thomas Bryant and

E. H. Phelps. FREMONT, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)— Both republicans and democrats held their caucuses for the election of delegates to the city convention and for the nomination of cty convention and for the nomination of councilmen last evening. The republicans made the following nominations: Councilmen—First ward, E. G. Brugh; Second ward, A. P. Shephard; Third ward, J. T. Smith; Fourth ward, W. P. Foote, The democrats nominated Wallace Wilson in the First ward, R. A. Twirs in the Second, Nathaniel Pascoe in the third and Hugo Forster in the Fourth. The cancuses were not very well attended and not much interest is being taken in the coming election. SUPERIOR, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—

submitted to the amputation of the hand and a part of the forearm, in the hope of checking the spread of the disease.

SUPERIOR, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—The following citizens' ticket was nominated at the caucus last evening: For mayor, William N. Hunter; city clerk, W. Hopper; treasurer, W. W. Kendail; councilmen. Fred Fanning W. C. Councilmen. Southard; school board, J. H. Kesterson, B.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)— The citizens met in caucus at the opera house last evening and after adopting a resolution asking the mayor and council to submit the license question to the people separate from the rest of the ticket proceeded to nominate the following ticket for the coming municipal election: Mayor, E. A. Tucker; councilmen, M. W. Truxaw and C. A. Gore; treasurer, F. R. Butterfield; clerk, W. J. Davis; engineer, S. M. Chaffin. The anti-license people will put up ticket this evening and it is understood

they will oppose the idea of submitting the question to a vote.

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The following municipal cickets have been nominated in Central City Anti-license—Mayor, T. L. Hansen; clerk M. G. Merrill; treasurer, F. Dye; council T. C. Smith, J. R. Ratcliff and P. Hednen, T. C. Smith, J. R. Rateria and Thomp-und; members of school board, W. T. Thomp-und; members of school board, W. T. Thomp-und; members of school board, W. T. Thompson and E. L. Robinson. Citizens—Mayor, W. C. Kerr; clerk, J. W. Hutchinson; treas-

urer, W. E. Letcher; councilmen, M. A. Chandler, O. T. Bishop and J. B. White: nembers of school board, G. W. Ayres and M'COOL JUNCTION, Neb., March 19 .-

(Special.)—The voters of the village met in caucus last evening and placed in nomination the following ticket for village trusteen. Thomas Henahan, E. E. Lincoln, William McFadden, Charles C. Gregg and W. W.

HAY SPRINGS, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.) -The republicans of this place held a meeting last evening. Having heard of the death of Mrs. J. M. Thurston they adopted the following resolution and ordered a copy of the same to be sent to The Omaha Bee: of the same to be sent to The Omaha Bee;
Whereas, The distressing intelligence of
the death of Mrs. John M. Thurston has
come to the people of this vicinity; and
Whereas, Mrs. Thurston has been held
in high esteem here as elsewhere throughout the state of Nebraska, both for individual worth and as the wife of our distinguished junior senator; therefore, be it
Resolved, That in the death of Mrs. Thurston the state of Nebraska has lost one of
the most noble and helpful women and that
the people of this community hereby exthe most hobe and helpful women and that the people of this community hereby ex-press their deep sense of the loss to Sena-tor Thurston, as well as to the state and nation, in all good and philanthropic work and convey to Senator Thurston and family this heartfelt token of love and sympathy in this the hour of their great affliction.

Hastings Happenings. HASTINGS, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-The city council at its last meeting voted to give the public library \$100. This makes the second donation the city council fias made to the library fund within the last year.

The Lepin hotel has passed under new management. Messrs. George Mcfarlan and

Work on the new cold storage plant is being pushed with great rapidity. During the last week the contractors have had a double force of men on every day, and they intend to push it this way until the plant

s completed.

The Tanner divorce case has been post-About fifteen people from this part of Nebraska have started for Klondike within

WAHOO, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-Judge Sedgwick of the district court and a jury have been engaged all week on the McCoy-Conrad will case. The contestants have finished their evidence and the proponants have examined five of their wit-nesses. There are sixty witnesses in all. Dr. Abbott of Lincoln, Dr. Davis of Fra-mont, and Dr. Bush of this city were ex-amined as experts on senile dementia. The contestants are represented by J. R. Gilk-eson of Lincoln and G. W. Simpson of this city, the proponents by Good & Good and H. Gilkeson of this city. The battle is being stubbornly fought on both sides.

Think Partley Has Had a Fair Trial and Should Pe Satisfied.

SHOULD NOT ESCAPE ON TECHNICALITY

Custom of Court to Grant Rehearing If Any Judge Asks It Adhered to for the Benefit of Judge Sullivan.

LINCOLN, March 19 .- (Special.)-The order of the supreme court granting a reargument in the Bartley case, while it was unexpected, has provoked no discussion here. Since it is known that Judge Sullivan favored the reargument in order to satisfy himself regarding certain points of law the popocrats have nothing to say except to admit that there must be good reasons for the reopening of the case. The local populist papers have made no comment on the matter. A number of leading republicans were interviewed today as to their opinion of the order of the court. There was very little difference in the expressions obtained, the following being a few of those received: Judge M. B. Reese-"I do not know what reasons were given for the granting of a new argument and have nothing upon which to base an opinion. There is nothing remarkable in the ordering of a reargument in a case where a number of law points are involved, some of which may have been overlooked in the previous argument. I have not consid-ered the question as to whether the matter

ered the question as to whether the matter will have any effect politically."

Ed R. Sizer—"I have heard no comment on the action of the court and suppose that it desires to take up some point in law and hear it more fully discussed. I do not understand how this could have any political bearing."

C. A. Robins—"The court probably had good grounds in allowing a reargument. It does not necessarily imply that the former decision will be reversed and I do not consider it extraordinary that the court should desire to hear a new argument on any or all of the points involved. I have heard very little about the matter." LIKELY TO BE MISCONSTRUED.

DAVID CITY, Neb., March 19.-(Special.)-Below are some opinions on the Bartley re-

hearing:

J. G. Ross-"The order for a rehearing will injure the republican party, as it will be generally understood that it is to lead to an acquittal on legal technicalities. Some time must elapse before the termination of the must elapse before the termination of the case, an acquittal will be presumed and commented upon as if such was a fact."

C. H. Aldrich—"If the matter of granting rehearings is thoroughly understood it will have no effect whatever on the coming campaign. Should the original findings be sustained, the effect will be to the advantage of the republican party."

tained, the effect will be to the advantage of the republican party."

S. H. Steele—"The rehearing having been asked for by Judge Sullivan, who was not on the bench at the time the case was before the court, the granting of the order was not unusual and should not create any excitement in political circles. It is one of the

ment in political circles. It is one of the usual routines of law cases."

E. G. Hall—"I see nothing political in this move. The practice of the court and courtesy to Judge Sullivan both were in favor of granting the request. The fact of the order being granted does indicate anything. as it is usual to grant a rehearing at the request of a single member of the supreme court. I do not think the rehearing will change the result. Should it result in an acquittal, it would be a blow to the republican party."

lican party."

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—Judge B. S. Ramsey of the Second district said: "I am simply surprised at the decision of the court in ordering a new trial. I have examined thoroughly into the evidence of the case and carnot find even a possible. of the case and cannot find even a possible flaw on which the order could be issued." DESERVES ALL HE GOT.

SCHUYLER, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)— In the matter of the rehearing of the Bart-In the matter of the rehearing of the Bart-ley case, the consensus of opinion among republicans of Schuyler seems to be de-cidedly strong that the sentence should re-main as it is and that if Bartley appro-priated the state's funds or was led into permitting their misuse and final loss by other parties, he ought to suffer therefor. A few of the republicans can about as follows:

about as follows:

W. S. Jenkins, ex-mayor: "I have not read the opinion, but think Bartley ought for the shortage or suffer." to have to put up for the shortage or suffer."

D. McLeod, representative: "I think is D. McLeod, representative: "I think if Bartley is guilty he ought to be punished to the full extent of the law."

M. D. Cameron. "I am oposed to it. Bart-ley deserves punishment for his crime, and

Eugene Moore ought not to have escaped as COLUMBUS, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-

Carl Krame. "It may be very good law, but I thinks ary poor policy." C. E. Pollock: "Don't think Bartley is deserving of a rehearing." C. C. Gray: "I think it is very bad to

grant a rehearing. He has been convicted after a fair trial." I. Sibbernsen: "I believe that the jury found a just verdict. No rehearing should

J. H. Galley: "I think the order is a good one. I think the rehearing should Henry Ragatz: "I think both the verdict

and sentence were just. Do not understand on what point the rehearing could be granted. Don't think Bartley or anyone else should escape punishment on a techni-George A. Scott: "I think the question of his guilt has been clearly defined. I don't

his guilt has been clearly defined. I uon't favor a rehearing."
FREMONT, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)
—The republicans of this city express much surprise at the rehearing of the Bartley case. Many of them do not care to say anything for publication.
Some who are willing talk as follows: R. J. Stinson, Lawyer: "It is certainly no benefit to the republican party. I have not examined the question to see whether there to any merit in it. If there is any question

in the case which was not passed upon by the supreme court it would be its duty to grant a rehearing."
C. H. May, Wholesale Grocer: "I don't believe in the principle of commenting un-favorably on the opinions of our higher courts. Their decisions are based upon what they believe to be a correct application of the rules of law and should be respected."

J. W. Hyatt, City Clerk: "I don't like it, I think Bartley should 'have it' to the full

extent of the law." J. M. Shiveley, Clerk District Court: "I was very much surprised. I followed the evidence as it appeared in The Bee and

thought the state made a case beyond E. W. Hooker, Farmer, Maple Township:

"I am very much surprised. Our courts are making some wonderful decisions lately. The people are likely to lose confidence in W. H. Haven, Chairman City Committee: "I think it a very unwise thing. I cannot understand, after reading the evidence and the opinion of the court, why it was done."

George Marshall: "I don't think it of much mportance. It is the custom or rule of the court to grant a rehearing if one judge arks for it. I understand Judge Sullivan wanted

a reargument, and in accordance with this

McCabe Found Guilty. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-The jury in the case of the state of Nebraska against James McCabe, charged with shooting with intent to kill Frank Rauth at Mynard on April 5 of last year. after being out sixteen hours, returned a verdict of "guilty of shooting with intent to wound," recommending a light sentence. Rauth has a farm near Mynard and had Mc-Comb employed as his right band man. Trouble arose cover Rauth's use of profane language toward McComb, who imagined himself insulted and demanded that the names be taken back. Rauth refused and

McComb shot him through the side. School Teacher in Trouble. HUMBOLDT, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.) Prof. H. M. Brayton, principal of the Pawnee city schools, was called up on the carpe a short time since by the school board and discharged from his position because of cer-tain actions toward a female pupil. He not

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only left school, but it is asserted he also left the city rather suddenly, as the feeling ian pretty high against him for a time. He was known to a number of Pawnee people who were shocked to learn of the cir-cumstances, as he was held by them to have been a most honorable and upright man.

Gets a Long Sentence. LYONS, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-Mrs. Milton Thomlinson and "two children of Seattle, Wash., are here visiting relatives. Walter Everett returned from his trip to

E. H. Morris and family left Tuesday for their old home in Illinois. George W. Little has been in attendance Lumber Dealers' Association convention held at Omaha last week. Bert Clark, who was arrested a few weeks ago on a warrant sworn out by one of his neighbors charging him with incest with his two daughters, pleaded guilty before Judge Baker Tuesday, and was sentenced to seven-

teen years at hard labor.

While attending a dance at the opera house Friday evening the Neary boys, who live west of town, tied their team and saddle pony under a shed nearby and when they came to go home they found their harness and saddle gone. The next day the harness was found in the Logan creek, cut in small

Kenrney Notes. KEARNEY, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-

The declamatory contest for the purpose of selecting a delegate to represent the Kearney schools in the interstate oratorical contest this year was held at the High school building lest night. There were eight con-testants, and the first place was awarded to Miss Belle Eldridge, who had for her sele-tion, "How the La Rue Stakes Were Lost. The second choice was Miss Josie McNee who had for her selection, "The Day o Judgment." The judges were: Roy Rhone E. E. Squires and W. D. Oldham. At a meeting of the Buffalo County Poul-try association, held a few days ago, officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, J. H. Snaveley; vice president C. E. Barber; secretary, Mrs. Barber; and

itor, J. D. Scott; executive committee, W. Barney, Mrs. S. S. Rogers, C. E. Huster and J. L. Brown. The next meeting will be held April 9, and arrangements are being made to have a large poultry exhibit at Declamatory Contests. CLAY CENTER, Neb., March 19 - (Spe cial.)—The High school declamatory contest was held last evening. There were eight

contestants. Eli Clark, who spoke "The Gladiator," was given first place, and Stella Lyons, who spoke "Putting Up o' the Store," received second.
YORK, Neb., March 19.—(Special.)—The
High school home declamatory contest was
held here last night. Of the eight contestants, one was chosen to represent York at the district contest to be held at Kearney April 1. Arthur Wray was the winner. There were no classes and no second prizes The other contestants were: Kate Keckley Clara Foster, Howard Bell, Alice Blood

George Shidler, Anna Newman and Leonard HARVARD, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-The Harvard High school declamatory con-test, to select a representative and alternate to the central Nebraska contest at Kearney April 1, has been held. Mass Nellie Spicer won first place and Mass Fighback second.

Collision at Nebraska City. NEBRASKA CITY, March 19 .- (Special Telegram.)-This afternoon the Kansas City train from across the river ran through an open switch and into the Beatrice freight that was standing on the sidetrack in the B. & M. yards. The two spgines came together with a crish. Conductor Williams escaped with a slight cut and the brakemen and express messenger were thrown to the

Surprise Their Pastor. OSCEOLA, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-The friends and parishioners of Rev. L. Z. Smith of the Methodist church gave him a pleasant surprise last evening. Rev. Mr. Smith has been conducting a series of re-vival meetings for almost four months, during which many additions have been made to the church. To show their appreciation of his labors his congregation assembled bring-ing in money and a large supply of the necessities of life.

Boy Horribly Mangled. FRANKLIN, Neb., March 19 .- (Special Telegram.)-A boy 10 years old, the son of Ben

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Reams, met with a horrible accident late York Times, is at the head of the new ven-this afternoon, which took his life. He had ture, been cutting cornstalks all day and was just finishing up cutting a large field when in some way the horses becoming unmanage able, he was thrown to the ground in front of the stalk cutter, which passed over his entire body. He was dead in a few minutes and borribly mangled. Mr. Reams lives about five miles southeast of this place.

Geneva News. GENEVA, Neb., March 19.-(Special.)-This morning Glen Carson, the 14-year-old son of W. I. Carson, loaded his little gun heavily, it bursted and carried away about half of his right hand. Last night the members of the Daughters of Rebekah lodge met at the home of Mr. and

District court adjourned yesterday. Chancellor MacLean of the State univer sity gave the fifth lecture in the High A slight rain fell yesterday.

To Ald the Cubans. FREMONT, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-Arthur Truesdell has opened a subscription for the purpose of raising money and collecting supplies for the relief of the starv ing reconcentrados in Cuba. The list was started late last evening and up to noor today, without any solicitation whatever \$36 had been subscribed and paid in and other subscriptions promised. A short time ago, through the efforts of N. S. Short, a carload of corn was donated to the Cubana

HUMBOLDT, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.) A domestic employed in the hotel at Salem suffered a hard fall a day or two ago. In descending a stairway she slipped and feli down five or six steps. She was picked unconscious and the physician reported severe injury to the spine. The victim had N. Y., and ordered to Fort Leavenworth several spasms and at times it required two persons to hold her on the bed. The victory geon, relieved from duty at Fort Leaven. persons to hold her on the bed. The vic-tim is the daughter of John Frieburghouse, living fifteen miles southwest of the city.

Accidentally Shot. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 19 .- (Spe cial.)-John Barhaus, a carpenter, living at 410 North Fifteenth street, Omaha, while hunting ducks at the mouth of the Platte met with a very painful accident this While entering his boat off a small island near the Sarpy county side his shot-gun was accidentally discharged, the full oad entering his left arm near the shoulder. Barbaus died at 9:10 tonight, mainly from oss of blood.

Work of Lightning. CENTRAL CITY, Neb., March 19 .- (Spe ial Telegram.)-Yesterday morning lightning struck the chimney on the residence of W N. Allerton and passed into a bedroom where two small boys were sleeping, break-ing one of the legs off from the bedstead The boys were uninjured. No damage was

done to the house. W. C. T. U. Convention. HARVARD, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-Clay County Women's Christian Temperance union on Thursday evening closed a very interesting two days' session, held in the Methodist Episcopal church at Harvard, Mrs. Walton, district president, from Fairbury, was present, as were many leading workers from over the county.

Surprise at Falls City. FALLS CITY, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-Major Keeling was tendered a surprise Friday evening and about fifty of his gentlemen friends were in attendance. The surprise was planned by Mrs. Keeling and all present were highly entertained. Children Must Stay In.

FALLS CITY, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)-The curfew ordinance has passed the city council and went into effect Friday night. Hereafter no child under 15 years of age will be allowed on the streets after 9 o'clock. Business Change.

WEST POINT, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.) -August Kleine, postmester of West Point, has purchased the stock of goods of Brazda Brothers, and will commence business in the old Cejda stand.

York Has Another Paper. YORK, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.) - The Evening Herald is York's latest paper. It is issued every evening and Sunday morning. BAY CITY, Mich., March 19.—The long LeRoy L. Smith, formerly city editor of the factional trouble in St. Stanislaus Polish

Sonking Rain. HUMBOLDT, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.)a soaking rain visited this section Thursday night and yesterday, and puts the ground and roads in better shape and brightens up the wheat and pastures.

MAKE A FIGHT ON MAIL SUBSIDIES. House Passes the Postoffice Appropri-

day passed the postoffice appropriation bill, which has been under consideration since Wednesday. The main points of attack today were the appropriations of \$30,000,000 for railway transportation of mails and \$171,-000 for special facilities between New York and New Orleans, and \$25,000 for special facilities from Kansas City to Newton, Kan. These items annually attract more or of a contest. This year the opposition seemed to be less intense. All efforts to reduce the appropriation for railroad transportation signally failed, and the vote on the southern mail subsidy was 77 to 98 against striking out. By parliamentary maneuvering the opponents of the subsidy were prevented from getting a direct vote

on a motion to recommit with instructions

WASHINGTON, March 19 .- (Special Tele gram.)-The following changes in stations and duties of officers of the medical department are ordered: Major Henry McElderry, geon, relieved from duty at Fort Leaver worth, Kan., and ordered to Omaha, Neb. for assignment as chief surgeon of the De partment of the Missouri; Major George H Torney, surgeon, relieved from duty at the United States Military academy, West Point worth, Kan., and ordered to the United State Military academy, West Point, N. Y., for duty; First Lieutenant John H. Stone, assisteant surgeon, relieved from duty at For Riley, Kan., and ordered to Fort Leaven worth, Kan., for duty; Captain Jefferson D Poindexter, assistant surgeon, is relieved from duty et Willett's Point, N. Y., and from temporary duty at Fort Hamilton, N. Y., and will report to Captain William C. Gorgas, assistant surgeon, in New York City, to as sist him in examination of recruits.

The following transfers have been madin the Tenth cavalry: Captain Charles L. Cooper, from troop E to troop G; Captain Charles G. Ayres, from troop G to troop E.

WASHINGTON, March 19 .- A statement prepared at the pension office shows that the amount of money legally paid by pensioners to attorneys for prosecuting their claims during the last seven years was as follows: 1891, \$2,169,200; 1892, \$3,112,321; 1893, \$1,872,-178; 1894, \$622,775; 1895, \$581,648; 1896, \$557,-721; 1897, \$594,346.

Mrs. Burnett Seeks a Divorce. WASHINGTON, March 19 .- Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, the well known novelist, today instituted suit for divorce from her in the case are withheld from publication

Chillan Minister is Transferred. WASHINGTON, March 19 .- Senor Gona the Chilian minister, who has been transferred to London, presented his letters of transfer to the president today and took his

WASHINGTON, March 19.-Today's state

ment of the condition of the treasury shows

Available cash balance, \$223,093,424; gold reserve, \$171,054,826. FIRE RECORD.

Club House and Stable. GREAT BARRINGTON, Mass., March 19 -The club house, cottage and stable on Mount Washington, owned by Leonard D. Hosford and other New York men, were burned today with their contents. Loss,

Schiller Plano Factory. ROCKFORD, III., March 19.—The Schiller piano factory at Oregon was burned today. Loss, \$90,000; partially insured.

Polish Catholics Harmonize.

Catholic parish was settled tonight by the unanamous adoption of a resolution at a mass meeting of the anti-bishop faction asking Bishop Richter to take possession of the church property and send a pastor here.

ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN CONFER-Discuss the Advisability of Gerrye

mandering the State. ST. LOUIS, March 19. - Forty prominent republicans of Illinois, headed by Governor John R. Tanner, held a caucus Clede hotel tonight. It was learned that the burden of the discussion covered three points: One of them was whether Governor Tanner should be advised to reconvene the legislature to gerrymander the congressional districts of Illinois; the second object was to launch the boom of Colonel Thomas W. Scott for state treasurer, and the third object contemplated the location of the next republican convention of the Twenty-first district and the candidacy of William A. Rodenberg

for the nomination.

The whole gathering was composed of Governor Tanner's personal and political friends in the western part of the state. Houston Street Cars Tied Up. HOUSTON, Tex., March 19.-The street car company whose line has been tied up for four days on account of a strike of employes, endeavored to get a car out this morning. H. V. Chase, superintendent, acting as a conductor, was hit on the head by some one in a mob which rushed up to stop the car. He is seriously wounded. No cars are now being run. One arrest was made.

FORECAST FOR TODAY'S WEATHER.

Fair, with Variable Winds, Becoming Southeasterly.
WASHINGTON, March 19.-Forecast for Sunday; For Nebraska and South Dakota—Sunday

fair; variable winds, becoming southwest-For Iowa-Fair weather; west to southwest winds.
For Kansas-Fair and slightly colder; variable winds.
For Wyoming-Partly cloudy weather;

For Wyoming-Party cloudy southers winds.
For Missouri-Fair; slightly colder in southern portion; westerly winds.

Local Record. OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, March 19.—Omaha record of tem-perature and rainfall compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

Maximum temperature. 51 59 36 45
Minimum temperature. 34 39 14 35
Average temperature. 42 49 25 40
Rainfall ... 01 .35 T .00 Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1897:

ROOF FELL IN

Man Had a Fortune in His Hill but Didn't Take It. A farmer in Kentucky had a six-foot vein of coal cropping out of a hill on his farm and used to take out a little for his own use, but when he tunneled in a short ways it

caved and he abandoned it because "the roof wouldn't stay up."

The man who bought the farm cleaned out the mouth of the tunnel, put strong timbers in so that the roof remained in place and he took out over \$200,000 worth

of coal.

The first owner had a good and valuable thing in his hand, but failed to get the good because of his inattention and lack of application. The good things of this world come to those who use their reason and common sense to develop what they have. Many a man who reeds the strong nourishment contained in Postum Food Coffee, has been driven from it because the Postum was served weak and unpalatable and he quickly concluded it was the fault of the Postum.

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In families where it is aillowed to continue boiling full 15 minutes, not after it has been placed on the stove, but after actual boiling commences, it will be found a black, rich beverage with a ripe coffee-like flavor, and a powerful food for adult of