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A reasonable fee. The bill of \$125 made out by Palm should not have been presented.

Gilliam admitted that he knew at the start that being an insurance agent he was not eligible as an examiner. He told George W. Cornell this when he first talked with him.

Reforms Are Needed. The scandal in the office of the state auditor is reasonably sure to result in some needed reforms in the insurance department.

Separate Insurance Department. H. R. 191 calls for a separate insurance department, the clerk in charge of which shall be appointed by the governor.

The examination, so far as it has progressed, has shown that the practice of the auditor has been to issue certificates of authority to the examiners to apply to each individual company.

Need of a Commission. The attention of the legislature having also been called to the fact that there are due the state from insurance companies large sums of money under section 33 of the insurance laws.

Sitting Committee Needed. Suggestions of a "sifting committee" already begin to creep out, although it is likely the idea will assume definite shape.

Committee is Appointed to Give Gilliespie Another Hearing. LANSING, Feb. 24.—(Special.)—The resolution stating that ex-Superintendent Gilliespie of the Deaf and Dumb Institute had been unfairly treated by the legislative committee was known as the "Mutz snuffing committee."

Live Stock Commission. The senate spent the morning today discussing S. F. 159, the bill introduced by Dunn of Colfax to fix commissions for selling live stock in this state.

Scrofulous Humor. "I was in terrible condition from the itching and burning of scrofulous humor. Grew worse under treatment of several doctors. Took Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills. These cured me thoroughly." J. J. LITTLE, Fulton, N. Y.

Pimples. "I have never been well and strong until lately. Hood's Sarsaparilla restored my strength and caused the disappearance of annoying pimples on my forehead. It is a great medicine." ASPETTES MESSERS, 1240 Atlantic St., St. Paul, Minn.

All Cures. "I had no appetite or strength, and had lost sleep of rest, was completely run down. Two bottles Hood's Sarsaparilla cured the tired feeling and I do my own work now." Mrs. A. DICK, Milville, N. J.

Erysipelas. "A scrofulous condition of my blood caused me to suffer from erysipelas for 16 years. Physicians did not even help, but Hood's Sarsaparilla permanently cured this disease." A. E. SMITH, 208 Court Ave., Jeffersonville, Ind.

Vigor. "As a regulator, purifier, and invigorator Hood's Sarsaparilla stands at the head. It takes away that brown taint and gives youthful vigor." J. D. GATES, 320 State Street, Chicago, Ill.

Tired Feeling. "My appetite was capricious, my liver disordered and I was tired. Hood's Sarsaparilla relieved it all. It cured a friend of mine of female weakness." Mrs. J. A. MERRILL, Clayton, Del.

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agent. A commission agent serves the same purpose to the man who has stock to sell as a lawyer does to a man who has a case in court. He wants one learned in the profession to best represent him rather than depend upon his own inexperienced ability to conduct his own case.

Proceedings of the Senate. Indefinite Postponement of Crow's Resolution on Union Pacific Lands. LINCOLN, Feb. 24.—(Special.)—S. F. 277, for the relief of R. F. Loomis of Furnas county, was recommended to pass in the senate this morning.

Senator Crow moved to amend by placing in lieu of the bill a resolution to amend the act of 1885, approved October 14, 1885, all subsequent acts, amendatory, or supplemental thereto, or in conflict with this act.

The discussion on this bill lasted until 5 o'clock, when the committee arose without having finished the consideration of the bill.

The debate against H. R. 310 was led by Sturgess, who held that it was creating a private corporation under state authority and state expense.

Roll call was demanded and the motion to place the bill on general file prevailed by a vote of 17 to 15.

The chair announced the resignation of his page, Edward Gier, and appointed Oscar Lundeen in his place.

In the afternoon S. F. 275, 269, 211, 212 and H. R. 352 and 217 were reported for passage and S. F. 217, relating to the labor tax, was indefinitely postponed.

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OUTVOTE THE HAYWARD MEN

Effort to Secure a Second Ballot for Senator Defeated by Decisive Majority.

NO CHANGE FROM THE THURSDAY VOTE

Fusionists All Present at Joint Session for the First Time Recently—Only Three Absentees When Roll is Called.

Table with columns: Name, Ballots, and Total. Lists names like Allen, Hayward, Thompson, Webster, etc., with their respective vote counts.

LINCOLN, Feb. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—There was no change in the vote on joint ballot for senator today.

Before the commencement of the roll call on senator, Hall of Brown moved that after taking the vote the convention take a recess to 2:30 o'clock.

Van Dusen amended to make it 3 o'clock. Sturgess objected to the motion, as it meant to take up the time of the house for a republican caucus.

The motion was defeated by a standing vote of 53 to 69, the Hayward men all voting in the affirmative.

Individual Vote. The following is the individual vote: Allen—Boulter, Canaday, Carton, Cawthra, Cosgrove, Crockett, Cunningham, Dunn, Dobby, Eastering, Eastman, Elwood, Endicott, Farrell, Flynn, Fritz, Fuller, Grandstaff, Grell, Grosvenor, Hall, Hardy, Howard, Johnson, Klester, Knepper, Lemar, Loomis, McCracken, McGinley, Meminger, Miller, Moran, Morgan, Morrison, Murray, O'Neill, Peck, Schaaf, Smith of Antelope, Smith of Butler, Slocum, Shore, Spohn, Sturgess, Swan, Tamm, Taylor, Custer, Taylor of Fillmore, Thompson of Clay, Vandegrift, Watson, Weaver, Webster, Woodard, Wright, Wheeler, Wyman—58.

Hayward—Alexander, Allen, Arends, Armstrong, Belmont, Brodbeck, Currie, Dillman, Evans, Fowler, Giffert, Halderman, Hall, Hannibal, Harris, Hastings, Hathorn, Hibbert, Hicks, Holbrook, McCarthy, Nesbit, Newell, Owens, Pollard, Prince, Prout, Reynolds, Howe, Sandall, Schable, Smithberger, Steele, Thompson of Merriek, Tucker, Walling, Wilcox, Young, Zellars—39.

Thompson—Anderson of Lancaster, Burns, Clark, Fisher, Grafton, Harkson, Israel, Lane, McCargar, Mann, Roekie, Smith of Saline, Talbot—19.

Wheeler—Beverly, Burman, Cox, Crow, DeWeller, Houck, Myers, Noyes, Olmsted, Van Dusen—10.

Field—Baron, Berlet, Chambers, Haller, Scott, Wendt—6.

Weston—Chittenden—1.

Adams—Milbourn—1.

Hainer—Conwell—1.

Lambertson—Jansen—1.

Sons of Veterans Elect Officers. OSCEOLA, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—The Sons of Veterans have been holding their fifteenth encampment here during the week.

THE GRIP CURE THAT DOES CURE. Laxative Broder's Quinine Tablets remove the cause that produces a grippe.

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No Change in Sugar Bounty. LANSING, Mich., Feb. 24.—The state senate today, by a vote of 7 to 7, adopted a concurrent resolution directing itself to make no change in the existing bounty of 1 cent a pound now paid by the state on beet sugar manufacture.

GRAIN-O BRINGS RELIEF. To the coffee drinker, coffee drinking is a habit that is universally indulged in and almost always indulged in.

National Guard Mustered In. NORFOLK, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Last night, at Mast Hall, Adjutant General Barry of Lincoln mustered in the new company of Nebraska National Guards.

Good Price for a Farm. WYOMING, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—J. Franz sold his farm of 357 acres in Rockford township Wednesday to W. P. Norcross for \$17,000 cash.

High School for Harlan. HARLAN, Ia., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—The citizens of Shelby in the southern part of the county voted in the March school election vote on a new \$5,000 high school.

DEAD MAN WINS BICYCLE RACE. Falls from His Wheel Beyond the Tape and is Picked Up Dead—Heart Failure the Cause.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 24.—Australian advice by the steamship Mowera tell of a remarkable bicycle race in Sydney which was won by a dead man.

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April Bloom. By EUGENIE CANTON. In Gomez's Camp. By THOMAS K. DAWLEY.

Women in Wall Street. By Mrs. FINLEY ANDERSON.

Old Settler Near Stella. STELLA, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—A stranger, living eight miles west of Stella, an early settler of Richardson county, died today at the age of 90 years.

Old Resident of Missouri Valley. MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Samuel M. Graham, an old and highly respected citizen, died at his home in this city at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the effects of a paralytic stroke.

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