SOME OTHER PROPOSED LAWS OUTLINED

Measures Offered in the Senate to Cover Several Points Not Now Touched Upon by the Statutes.

LINCOLN, Jan. 23.—(Special.)-A bill was Introduced in the senate today by Newell of Cass, by request, which authorizes the erganization of mutual insurance companies The bill provides that any number of persons, not less than forty, residing In eight different counties in the state, who collectively shall own animals of not less than \$15,000 in value, which they desire to have insured, may form an incorporated sompany for the purpose of mutual insurance against loss resulting from fire. Hightning, tornado, disease or accident saysing the death of any domestic animal due care has been taken to save its life. Any person owning domestic animals may become a member of the company. which may issue policies only on the lives of domestic animals against fire, lightning. tornado, disease or secident for any length of time, not to extend beyond the duration of the charter. There shall be but two assessments per year, according to the bill, which goes into detail and defines the luties of the officers, provides for the cansellation of pelicies, the publication of an annual statement and the manner in which nembers may withdraw from the com-

An amendment to the road law was introduced by Senator Oleson today, which gives to a person whose land is surrounded by that of others the right to have a road spened, which will give him an outlet to any main road, providing the person demanding such read shall pay all expenses and damages tocurred in its establishment At the request of Omaha parties Senator Liddell today introduced a bill which so tmends the act entitled "Metropolitan Dities" that streets may be paved or repaved upon the presentation of a petition signed by a certain per cent of the prop-

erty owners on said street. Senator Johnson of Clay is the author of a bill introduced today which repeals the law which requires that county boards n awarding contracts shall advertise for sids, and provides for the letting of contracts by county boards without any adrertising whatever. The law which the tenator from Clay would repeal requires they shall cause to be published four consecutive weeks in some newspaper in the founty a bid for the work.

Constructive Contempt.

A bill introduced by Edgar of Gage would contempts that it provides that in all actions for constructive or indirect contempt jurisdiction in such cases, and this act is one which has for its object the protection will be obtained. of persons held in such contempt from the allowing them a trial by jury.

lerritory in which mutual insurance comsurance company organized under the laws of Nebraska to insure property only in the risk, and then the board of directors may determine in what state or states other than the one in which it is incorporated it shall new Memorial half. to business and may apply for admittance to such other states. and substance to the laws of Nebraska may at the University of Montana at Missoula. be permitted to do business in this state spon making a showing that it is legally incorporated under the laws of its own such state shall certify that he believes the existing at the University of Nebraska: company to be solvent and in good standing, and upon such company producing the sities, though both are state and, in an and paying a fee of \$25, provided the insurof this state.

For the purpose of gathering and comsiling statistics relating to wage-earners. warded to the state bureau of labor.

aually in January at such place in the state lusing practical knowledge on subjects permining to the poultry interests of the state by addresses, papers, discussions and such other means as the board of managers may

Penalty for Train Robbery.

Senator Martin of Richardson is the auther of a bill which defines train robbery and provides a penalty therefor. The bill any passenger or mail train with the intent be imprisoned in the penitentiary for life. for any term not less than ten years.

in the first degree. Senator Reuting of Clay has a bill which ings in the premises, which return shall be license is recorded.

vides that the Board of County Commis- being completed. The last legislature, sioners or Supervisors, on presentation of without lobbying and with practical unaclaims properly itemized, sworn to and filed nimity, gave them just what they asked. with the county clerk, are authorized to This will not be legislative year in Iowa. audit and allow on the county general fund the fees which may be fixed by law for services which may hereafter be performed by justices of the peace, county judges constables and sheriffs in the arrest and examination of offenders charged with felony, misdemeanor or arraigned on a peace warrant, where the same cannot be collected as otherwise provided, and when such claims are accordingly allowed it shall be the duty of the county clerk to draw warrants on the county general fund for payment of the same.

Senator Meredith has introduced a bill which provides that coroners, undertakers, Telegram.)-The stockholders of managers of public asylums, hospitals. the bodies of uninterred persons, suitable a team in the field for this for scientific purposes, with the consent of year, S. M. Patterson was elected manager

NEW SPECIES OF NASTURTIUM University of Nebraska Develops One

that Seems to Bloom Continnously. LINCOLN. Neb., Jan. 23 .- (Special.) -- Ex-

periments in the greenhouses the University of Nebraska to develop a new species of nasturtium have proved successful, and the new flower is in full bloom. Its chief quality of excellence is that it is continuously and prousely in flower. The gardener is proud of this new variety and is somewhat perplexed whether to name it after himself or call it the Everbloom.

One of the students in the botany department has finished a series of 100 pictures taken at the farm last summer. They are for special use in the horticultural department, as they illustrate all the varieties of watermelons which can be raised in this part of the state. Views of the fields and growing melons were taken, as well as picures of individual melons showing the whole fruit and meions cut in sections. The pictures will be used as cuts in the annual publication, which the horticultural society will have ready for distribution by early spring.

A valuable machine for use in the determination of intensity of light has recently been constructed by Mr. Hedgecock for use in botanical experiment work. The omparisons of shade and light in greenouses with full sunlight out of doors. The main feature is the use of photographic paper, which, although not a new idea, has ever been used to any extent. It is believed that this is the only machine of as demagogic any reference to, or praise its kind in this country. Like contrivances of, the common people. have been made in Germany, but not so complete in detail as this.

The next meeting of the botanical semand the subject will be a symposium on cabulary of an American patriot and plant physiology, with Dr. Bessey acting as statesman. If we sought its origin we

Lunch Room Starts Well. science department in Mechanic Arts hall the university life, which appeals to a large number of students because of its great practicability. There is a prevailing idea that a full lunch or dinner can be obtained in the lunch room, and it is desired by the management that this idea be corrected. The items for the lunch menu are light dishes prepared by the class in the cooking school, who have not yet attempted anything so elaborate or substantial enough to make up a square meal. The offerings so far are soups, chocolate, light pastry and the usual drinks which help to fill out and warm up the partial lunch which the sture of students because of its large number of students because of its impregnable barriors of prejudice and hate.

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C. E. Chowins, instructor in mechanical mercy of a judge who may be prejudiced by engineering at the University of Nebraska, has made a virbative tachometer. This in Owens of Dawson has a bill defining the strument is used to determine the variations of speed in an engine, and will be panies may do business. The bill provides set up in the steam engineering laboratory. that it shall be lawful for any mutual in- There are but four other such instruments in the United States.

Mr. Cornell, university photographer, has state of Nebraska until such time as such been preparing cuts for a new folder illuscompany shall have at least \$5,000,000 at trating the University of Nebraska campus. It will contain, besides other views, interior and exterior representation of the

J. P. Rowe, 1897, University of Nebraska, Any mutual co- who has been superintendent of the schools operative insurance company organized un- at Butte, Mont., has been elected head of for the laws of any state similar in form the department of geology and mineralogy

Comparison with Iowa

The following statement of the condition state, has \$5,000,000 of insurance in force and equipment of the University of Iowa and the proper insurance commissioner of is interesting as compared with conditions It is difficult to compare the two univer-

request and application for membership of especial sense, the people's universities. 100 persons, citizens of the state, having lows is of a different type from Nebraska. property that they desire to have insured It was founded in 1847 and therefore has not only a longer history, but much more ance commissioner of such state shall ac- of the impress of the classical conditions cord the same privilege to the companies of the earlier colleges. The present gencration in Iowa has not the remotest trace of a preparatory department, which was abolished in 1878. It is, therefore, rela-Lyman of Adams introduces a measure tively easy to maintain the high standards which prevides that it shall be the duty of admission. The institution has no schools of the township and precinct assessors to like the school of agriculture, or of me enroll the names of all farmers, manu- chanic arts, or of music, and, therefore, acturers, wage-earners and the number of with the exception of the small college members in each family visited, together of pharmacy, all students are of at least with the recording of all agricultural and collegiate grade, inasmuch as the profesindustrial and other information to be sional colleges require nothing less than tailed for by the state board of labor, a a high school education. The prominence record to be kept of the same and for- of the professional colleges is especially noticeable to one from Nebraska. There Young of Stanton introduced a bill which is a complete group, namely: The college provides that the Nebraska State Poultry of law, of medicine, of homoeopathic medassociation shall hold a convention and icine, of dentistry and of pharmacy. There is a great department consisting of the as the board of managers may select, for university hospitals, furnishing material for the purpose of gathering statistics and dif- clinics and admirable infirmaries for students who may fall sick. The crown of the university is a graduate college of about 150 students, formally established last year and in a most flourishing condition. The college has just been admitted to the federation of graduate colleges. The college of liberal arts covers, with the ex-

ception of agriculture and mechanic arts the courses in the college of science, liter ature and arts and the industrial college stipulates that any person who shall stop of Nebraska. The college of agriculture and mechanic arts is located at Ames. In to commit robbery shall, upon conviction, comparing the enrollment of Nebraska and lows one should add together the enrollments of these two institutions. Probably and if death shall ensue from or on account this year the enrollment in the university of such act or acts of persons committing would be 1,600 and at Ames 200. The last the same, shall be deemed guilty of murder | legislature extended the one-tenth of a mill tax for building purposes for the university and gave another one-tenth mill for provides that every preacher of the gospel, building purposes at Ames. The permanent authorized by the usages of the church to appropriations for the university were inwhich he belongs, to solemnize marriages, creased by \$50,000 a year, so that the total may perform the marriage ceremony in this permanent income of the university, apart Mr. Will McCune, tenor, of Omaha, with state; and every such person performing from the agricultural college, will not be the marriage ceremony shall enter upon the | jess than \$225,000. The increase in income said license a full return of his proceed- was used this year by the regents in adding some thirty-three to the instructional staff, made to the probate judge of the proper making a total of 130 in the faculties, and county within three months after the cere- in strengthening the equipments in the mony, and which return shall be recorded scientific and professional departments and in the same book where the said marriage in the libraries. A \$46,000 modern central stone heating plant and a \$200,000 renals-Lyman of Adams has a bill which pro- sance stone hall of liberal arts are just

George S. Smith. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Jan. 23.-(Special.) The urn containing the ashes of the late leorge S. Smith, who died in San Jose, Cal. November 26, arrived in this city today. Deceased was a brother of the Plattsmouth postmaster, C. H. Smith, and for two terms was county attorney for Cass county. He was surveyor general for a number of years and later removed from this city to Omaha, where he practiced law,

Arapahoe After More Glory. ARAPAHOE, Neb., Jan. 23.—(Special Arapahoe, Baseball association decided

LIFE INSURANCE FOR ANIMALS or dental colleges within the state for the purpose of scientific medical study. Tanner captain. The Arapahoe VOTE ON SAME BASIS braves last season made the enviable record of twenty-one victories out of thirty games and will put a team in this year that they can bank on. Work will be at

their grounds. BRYAN'S FIRST ISSUE IS OUT

He Goes Into an Explanation of Why He Chooses to Call It the Commoner.

The Commoner, the weekly paper published | the state. by William J. Bryan, was issued this aftercon. The following is the salutatory:

zation of their aspiration. pathetic connection with their fellows, crats." Among the Greeks 'hoi polici' was used to describe the many, while among the Romans the word 'plebs' was employed for the same purpose. These appellations, like 'the common people,' have been assumed purpose of the machine is for making with pride by those to whom they were applied, while they have been used as terms of reproach by those who counted themselves among the aristocratic classes. Within recent years there has been a growing tendency in some quarters to denounce

"One editor in a late issue of his paper takes exception to the phrase and save: 'This expression is an ill-chosen one mar will be held January 24 at 4:30 p. m., and should have no lodgment in the vowould look for it in that specious demagogy which has evolved the professional poli-With the opening of the noon lunch tician, arrayed country against town—the room in the quarters of the domestic farmer and his sons and daughters against the business and professional men and new progressive feature is taken up in their cons and daughters-capital against

common people heard Him gladly." "No higher compliment was ever paid

to any class. "The term, the common people, is properly used to describe the large majority of the people, those who earn their living and give to society'a fair return for the benefits bestowed by society, those who in their daily lives recognize the ties which bind together the mass of the people who have a common lot and a common hope Sometimes they are called 'the middle classes' because paupers and criminals are excluded on the one hand, while on the other hand some exclude themselves because of wealth or position, or pride of birth. The common people form the industrious, intelligent and patrotic element of our population; they produce the nation's wealth in time of peace and fight the nation's battles in time of war. They are selfreliant and independent; they ask of government nothing but justice and will not be satisfied with less. They are not seeking to get their hands into other people's pockets, but are content if they can keep

other people's hands out of their pockets. "The common people do not constitute cclusive society, they are not of the four hundred; anyone can become a member if he is willing to contribute by brain or muscle to the nation's strength and greatness. Only those are parred, and they are barred by their own choice, who imagine themselves made of a superior kind of clay and who deny the equality of all before the law.

"A rich man, who has honestly acquired his wealth and who is not afraid to intrust its care to laws made by his fellows, can count himself among the common people, while a poor man really not one of them if he fawns before a plutocrat and has no higher ambition

than to be a courtier or a sycophant. "The Commoner will be satisfied if by fidelity to the common people it proves its right to the name which it has chosen." It was a busy day for Mr. Bryan, his business manager and clerks. As fast as the four presses printed them the papers were hauled in a dray to the mailing room, two blocks distant, where they were turned over to a small army of clerks for addressing and mailing. The original intention was to print but 30,000 copies, but the subscriptions came in at such a rate yesterday that it was increased to 50,000. The paper is of pages, three columns to a page, slightly larger than the ordinary magazine and of good typographical appearance. The longer editorials start on the first page and continue through to the fourth, which is devoted to short paragraphs on public questions. There are a few contributions and a little reprint, but the greater part of the matter is of Mr. Bryan's own writings.

ORGAN DEDICATION AT BLAIR

Occasion Made Memorable Through Concerted Action of Congregation and Musicians.

BLAIR, Neb., Jan. 23 .- (Special.)-The dedication of the new organ, recently purchased by the Methodist Episcopal church Blair, took place last night at the church. The organ was bought at a cost of nearly \$800 and preparations for the dedication exercises had been going on for some time. Large platforms were built placed on general file. around the organ to accommodate the large number of persons who took part in the program. Mr. J. E. Butler, organist of Trinity cathedral, Omaha, presided at the organ, assisted by Miss Anna Bishop, contralto; Miss Anna Hungate, soprano, and Miss Gertrude Mead, soprano, and Miss Ada Jackson of Blair. These, supported by our home talent chorus of fifty voices, rendered the cantata, "The Holy City," by A. R. Gaul. Part first of the program was composed of selections by the Omaha musicians and Miss Jackson, followed by the Miss Gertrude Mead, Miss Lulu Cameron, reading of bills. Miss Lora Hartsell, Miss Mary Cook, Miss Julia Meservey, Miss Elizabeth Bovel, Mrs. F. M. Castetter and Mrs. F. H. Claride rendered the selection, "List! the Cherubic Host," in connection with the solo, "And Heard the Voice of the Harpers," by Mr. McCune. All arrangements have been under the direction of Mr. Wallace L. Johnson, who is organist of the church here. and who has taken much interest in making the dedication exercises complete. The appreciation of the efforts of the Methodist people in this enterprise was fully shown last night by the large audience, which completely filled the room of the church The minority report is as follows: and both class rooms. The total receipts

were nearly \$150. Gun Wounds Are Killing Him. BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 23,—(Special.)— His physicians report that C. Dobbins, a

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once commenced on refitting and enlarging of his paper aligned absolutely with the the grandstand and otherwise improving party it would be impossible for us to defeat the republican party in this state for ten years.

"What we, as democrats, hope to see is the election of Thompson and Meiklejohn -two railroad representatives. We did hope that it would be Thurston and Thompson, but the former seems to be out of the race entirely and now we hope to see him succeeded by Meiklejohn as the man LINCOLN, Jan. 23.-The first number of who seems to have inherited his place in

"Webster and the other fellows who oppose Rosewater here can bolt the ticket Webster defines a commoner as 'one of and get out and fight, but they can only the common people.' The name has been reach a man once in awhile and cut no selected for this paper because the Com- figure in the general result. With Rosemoner will endeavor to aid the common water turned down and out of the race we people in the protection of their rights, the can hope that he will give us aid at times advancement of their interests and the real- that will amount to something. We would a great deal rather see him in opposition "It is not necessary to apologize for the to the powers that be in the republican use of a term which distinguishes the party in the state than to see him in great body of the population from the com- the United States senate, where his power paratively few, who, for one reason or and his desire would be in harmony and another, withdraw themselves from sym-

Edmisten Says Fusion Continues.

Chairman Edmisten of the populist state committee is in Lincoln "just to see the fun," as he puts it, but really to post up his party followers to make the best of every situation that offers. The fusion machine does not propose to let any one forget that it is playing politics all the year round.

"Will we have fusion again next year?" was asked Mr. Edmisten. "Of course," was the reply. "Any special candidata for supreme

judge?

"Senator Allen or some other good man. We have plenty of them." Edmisten says he is devoting his time to his stock farm now and attending strictly to his own business.

Most of the Leaders in the Senatorial Race Show Up with More

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Edmonson. No pairs. The republican vote was:
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Trompen-D. E. Thompson, Currie.
Tweed-Hinshaw, Meikiejohn.
Uhl-D. E. Thompson, Rosewater.
VanBoskirk-D. E. Thompson, Meikiejohn.

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Whitmore-Hainer, Meiklejohn,
Wilcox-Hinshaw, Rosewater.
Wilkinson Meiklejohn, Currie.
Young-Rosewater, Martin.
Mr. Speaker-D. E. Thompson, Rosewater.

SENATE SORROWS FOR QUEEN

Resolution of Regret at Her Death Adopted by a Unanimous Vote.

LINCOLN, Jan. 23 .- (Special.) -The senate was in session for two hours this morning, the greater time being devoted to bills on first and second reading. Owen of Dawson, chairman of the committee on irrigation, recommended that senate file 51, a bill by Van Boskirk, relating to irrigation, be

Edgar of Gage introduced the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

On motion of Currie of Custer the name of Alva Gaylord was placed on the senate

pay roll as a page. Four new bills were introduced, after cantata. A double quartet, composed of which the senate listened to the second On motion of Steele of Jefferson the re-

ports of committee on privileges and elections in the Bonekemper-Reuting contest case, there being a majority and minority report, was read to the senate, but action on the reports was deferred until 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, at which time the reports are made a special order. The reports were read by the secretary, the majority report having appeared in The Bee this morning, it being a recommendation that neither Bonekemper nor Reuting is entitled to a seat in the senate on account of violations of the corrupt practices act.

To the Honorable Senate of the State of Nebraska: We, the minority of the com-Nebraska mittee on privileges and elections beg leave to submit the following report in the above entitled case. We find by the admission of councel for both parties, that the contestee. Henry

a violation of the law, which is commonly called the "Corrupt Practice Act."

We find that the charge of misconduct of the election officers in Sutton orecinct contained in the notice, which would have affected the result of the election, is entirely unsupported by the evidence. And while we condemn the populist judge and republican cierk of that precinct for betting during the progress of the election, yet there is nothing in this conduct that would warrant us in disfranchising the voters of the precinct, as no fraud to the electors was shown to have followed this conduct.

We find that there was no sufficient proof of any illegal voting at said election in said district.

We further find that there was no proof of the bribery of any voter, or the attempted bribery of any voter, or the attempted bribery of any voter by the contestee. Hon, Henry Reuting, nor was there any proof that anyone who was a voter at said election was ever treated to beer, whisky or cigars, or any other kind of refreshments by money furnished by the contestee; nor was there any proof that anyone who was alleged to have received money from the contestee, Henry Reuting, ever voted at the election held in November, 1900.

We therefore recommend that the sitting member, Hon, Henry Reuting, be declared

we therefore recommend that the sliting member, Hon. Henry Reuting, be declared to be rightly entitled to his seat as a member of this honorable body.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. A. WOOLSTENHOLM.

FRANK CAMPBELL.

Usual Blue Book Motion.

Tromper of Lancaster made a motion that 300 copies of the blue book for 1900-1901 be ordered printed for the use of the senate, but Owens of Dawson thought 300 too many and moved an amendment placing the number at 100. The matter was discounted by a more of the senate posed of by a motion by Currie of Custer. referring the matter to the committee on printing, with instructions to ascertain the cost and report to the senate.

Martin of Richardson, who is acting as chairman of the committee on judiciary during the absence of Baldrige of Douglas, reported on senate bill 79, and recommended that it be indefinitely postponed, for the reason that it is identical with house roll 58, a bill which has for its object the relief of Lancaster county in the matter of drawing juries. The law under which juries have been drawn in Lancaster county provides for the method to be employed in counties having over 70,000 population, but inasmuch as the late census did not give this county that number the bill amends the law so as to include counties having over 60,000 people. The bill is being pushed through as rapidly as possible in order that jurors may be drawn for the coming term ALL BUT TWO MAKE GAINS over 60,000 people. The bill is being pushed through as rapidly as possible in order that jurors may be drawn for the coming term of court. The house bill was favorably restricted to the indictary committee of the local based on the states of the local based on th

the organization of mutual insurance companies.

S. F. 153, by Oleson—An act to amend sections 2 and 5 of chapter ixxviii of the Compiled Statutes of the State of Nebraska, entitled "Roads," and to repeat said sections 2 and 5, whereby persons entirely surrounded by other farms may compel the establishment of a road opening out to a main road.

STARTS FIRE IN HER OWN CELL to amend sections 109, 110 and 111 of an act entitled An act incorporating metro-politan cities and defining, prescribing and regulating their duties, powers and gov-ernment, relating to paving and repav-

HOUSE PASSES THREE BILLS Measures to Relieve Lancaster County Have Right-of-Way

Now. the roll call showing that nearly all mem-

ing committees. On recommendation of the judiciary comitely postponed. The former, introduced by the flames before the latter got beyond Tanner of Nance, provided for reducing the | control.

person hired to feed or care for live stock belligerency. should be entitled to a first lien on the stock for the full contract price, with interest, and declared that any contract or agreement depriving the feeder of this right to be null and void. House roll No. 55, by Fowler, excluding

candidates for township, precinct or school district offices from the provision of the corrupt practices act, which requires the filing of expense accounts, was placed on general file at the recommendation of the committee on privileges and elections.

At the recommendation of the same committee a bill, introduced by Lowe, numbered 93, and requiring election ballots to be delivered to the county clerk within twenty-four hours after the closing of the polls, was also indefinitely postponed.

More Work for Printers.

On motion of Laffin of Gage, the chief clerk was instructed to supply each county and William D. Hill broke out of the county clerk in the state with copies of all bills jail by cutting through the wall under the introduced, but this action was afterwards window and made their escape. Sheriff reconsidered, and on motion of Wilkinson Wise undertook to track them with bounds,

viding for the election of senators by direct | the next term of court. vote of the people, was passed opposition, but a subsequent resolution or the same subject, by Dahlsten, was tabled. The committee on mines and minerals reported that Representative Schinstock had been blessed by the birth of a son and a resolution congratulating him was unanimously passed.

On recommendation of the committee on public schools, house roll 89, by Warner of Lancaster, requiring county superintendents to hold examinations in April of each year for candidates for admission to the State Normal school at Peru, was placed on the general file, but house roll 44, authorizing the state superintendent to issue life certificates to persons who have taught school for six consecutive years and received either a first or a second grade certificate, was indefinitely postponed.

Bills Passed by House. The third reading of bills was next in

posed of several measures. House roll 3, managers of public asylums, hospitals. Arapahoe, Baseball association decided poorhouses, etc., in this state shall deliver the bodies of uninterred persons, suitable for scientific purposes, with the consent of such consent of such consent of public asylums, hospitals. Arapahoe, Baseball association decided farmer living ten miles cast of this city, is drifted for this dying from horrible wounds received last seventy-eight votes, as shown by the official canvass of the district. We find that the notice of connect for population both parties, that the contented for the content of seventy-eight votes, as shown by the official canvass of the district. We find that the notice of connect for population decided farmer living ten miles cast of this city, is district, and the content of seventy-eight votes, as shown by the official canvass of the district. We find that the notice of connect for population decided farmer living ten miles cast of this city, is district. Saturday, when he accidentally discharged the forcities of the contents of a shotgun into his left side.

slight changes in its construc-tion, was also passed. Similar disposition was made of house roll to, by Boulier, giving contractors a first lien on lasting or permanent improvements. The following resolution, introduced by Representative Beisner, was unanimously

adopted:

Whereas. The long and illustrious life of Queen Victoria has come to a close, a life which has spanned more than sixty years

whereas, Queen Victoria has repeatedly shown marked friendship for the United States of America, notably during our civil war and the Spanish-American war; therefore be it.

Resolved, by the legislature of the state of Nebraska. That we extend to the royal family and the people of the British empire our sincere sympathy and conductence in this their greatest bereavement of recent times. He it further

Resolved, That our flag on the representative hall shall be lowered to half-mast for twenty-four hours.

At neon the house adjourned to 2 o'clock

At noon the house adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Bills on First Reading. The following bills were introduced and

read for the first time:

cosed of by a motion by Currie of Custer, referring the matter to the committee on sorinting, with instructions to ascertain the cost and report to the senate.

Martin of Richardson, who is acting as believed to the senate of the senate of

until 10-30 o'clock tomorrow morning. In order to allow the various committees time to work during the afternoon.

At 2:30 p. m. the republican members of the senate went into caucus for the purpose of considering what action would be taken in regard to the reports of the committee on privileges and elections in regard to the Bonekemper-Reuting contest case.

Bills on First Reading.

The following senate files were introduced today:

S. F. 152, by Newell—An act to authorize the organization of mutual insurance companies.

S. F. 153, by Oleson—An act to amend sections 2 and 5 of chapter laxvili of the lower poll 225, by Lingshy To provide for the sense of any village now incorporated under the laws of the state relating to porated or which may hereafter be incorporated or which may hereafter be incorporated. The state relating to villages, to purchase lands, lots or grounds to be used for parks or park purposes and to issue bonds of said village to buy for the same.

House roll 225, by Crissey—Relating to the licensing of persons to operate steam englines, steam hollers and steam generators, and to the establishing of a commissioners, one for Omaha and the other for Lincoln.

House roll 226, by Fowler—To amend "An act for the protection of owners of staillons, lacks and bulls," approved February 27, 1855.

House roll 227, by Hawxby-To provide for

pel the establishment of a road opening out to a main road.

S. F. 155, by Liddell—An set.

Court House and Cremates Her

DAKOTA CITY, Neb., Jan. 23.—(Special.) -Deputy Sheriff Coughtry was obliged to constitute himself a volunteer fire department and rescue service today to save Mrs. Estella Wertzburger, and incidentally the county court house, from a fire which she herself had started in her jail cell. For LINCOLN, Jan. 23 .- (Special.) - The house no reason that anyone else attempts to exwas called to order promptly at 9 o'clock, plain the woman took live coals from the stove and fired the mattress on her cot bers were present, notwithstanding the with them and when the officer detected the After the opening formalities smoke and rushed to her door the blaze was the regular order of business was taken well started and Mrs. Wertzburger was up, beginning with the reports of stand- standing with her face at a hole, which she had broken in the window, gasping for St breath. It required quick and vigorous mittee house rolls 84 and 135 were indefin- action to rescue the woman and extinguish

limit of interest on internal improvement | Mrs. Wertzburger is the one who some bonds for cities of the second class from 6 | weeks ago acquired considerable notoriety to 4 per cent per annum, changing the by shooting promiscuously at those people number of signers required for improve- toward whom she chanced to cherish unment petitions from fifty to a majority in friendly feelings. She was sent to the each district or precinct and requiring a asylum at Norfolk for a while, was later majority instead of two-thirds of the votes released as sane and had recently been cast to carry the bonds. The other bill was again taken in charge by the sheriff besubmitted by Ollis and provided that any cause she had resumed her old attitude of

> Want Budtz for Embezzlement. COLUMBUS, Neb., Jan. 23 .- (Special.)-A. R. Edmiston of Lincoln, special agent for the Union Central Life Insurance company of Cincinnati, filed a complaint in justice court here yesterday charging Christian Budtz with embezzlement. Budtz was a local agent of the company and he is charged with embezzling cash and negotiable paper to the amount of \$158, though his peculations in the aggregate it is said will be much more. The officers of the

company only recently located Budtz a Dubuque, Ia., and Sheriff Byrnes started this morning for Lincoln with the necessary papers for requisition on the governor of lows. Break Jail at Seward SEWARD, Neb., Jan. 23.- (Special.)-

About 8:30 Monday night Joseph Marvin Resolution, which was unanimously adopted:
Resoluted. That in the death of Queen Victoria the world has lost one of its most conscientious, progressive and philanthropic sovereigns, and that the condolence of this senate be hereby extended to her bereaved relatives and people.

Resolved. That in the death of Queen Victoria the world has lost one of its most conscientious, progressive and philanthropic sovereigns, and that the condolence of the cost of distributing the bills and report back to the house.

Resolved that the flag upon the state house be lowered to halfmast for twenty-four hours, beginning at 12 o'clock in today, as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased queen.

On motion of Wilkinson the speaker was authorized to appoint a committee of three members to ascertain trace of them was lost. Marvin was tried furing the last term of district court for breaking into Newt Slonecker's residence, but the jury disagreed and he was awaiting a new trial. Hill was arrested a few their efforts to obtain an amendment to the constitution of the United States providing for the election of senators by direct with the providence of them was lost. Marvin was tried furing the last term of district court for breaking into Newt Slonecker's residence, but the jury disagreed and he was awaiting a new trial. Hill was arrested a few their efforts to obtain an amendment to the constitution of the United States providing for the election of senators by direct with the providence of them was lost. Marvin was tried furing the last term of distributing the bills and report the cost of distributing the bills and report the cost of distributing the bills and report the cost of distributing the bills and report the last term of distributing the bills and report the cost of distributing the bills and report the cost of distributing the bills and report the last term of distributing the bills and report the last term of distributing the bills and report the last term of distributing the bills and report the last term of distri

Dr. Lee Rearrested. BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 23 .- (Special.)

The case of the state against Dr. W. F. Lee was called in county court this afternoon. The charge of shooting with intent to kill William Hurn was dismissed. The doctor was immediately rearrested on two charges, one of shooting with intent to kill and another of shooting with intent

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ble entry and detention law with to wound the said William Hurn. Dr. Lee gave bonds in the sum of \$2,000, and his hearing was continued to January 28.

State House Notes. LINCOLN, Jan. 23.-(Special.)-Governor Dietrich today appointed William Hoch of Omaha to be state weigher of grains. He also announced the appointment of E. G. Davenport of Valentine and H. P. Sutton of

McCook as members of his military staff. The Vera Cruz Coffee company of Omaha was incorporated today. The stock amounts to \$102,000 and the incorporators are: W Orr, W. E. Gratten, A. Agnew, D. M. Haverly, W. O. Henry and R. McClelland.

Confessed Horsethief Sentenced. COLUMBUS, Neb., Jan. 23.—(Special.)— Charles Immick, who was charged with horse stealing, pled guilty in the district court yesterday and was sentenced by Judge Grimison to one year in the penitentiary at Lincoln at hard labor, no part of the time at solitary confinement. He will be taken

Mrs. Van Cleave to Be Matron. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Jan. 23 .- (Special.) Governor Dietrich has appointed Emma Van Cleave, daughter of W. J. Hesser of this city, matron of the industrial

to Lincoln tomorrow.

school at Geneva. Ratifics Burton's Election TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 23.-The legislature today at noon in joint session ratified the

election of J. R. Burton, republican, as United States senator for the term beginning March next. Affgun's Charge in His Face.

OSCEOLA, Neb., Jan. 23.—(Special.)—A 6-year-old son of Nels Christianson has suffered the loss of his left leg, the result of accidental discharge of an air gun. Alliance is Rid of It.

schools and churches are to be reopened FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

ALLIANCE, Neb., Jan. 23 - (Special.) -

The smallpox has been stamped out and

Thursday and Friday Will Be Fair and Colder, with Northwesterly Winds.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23 .- Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

Nebraska, Iowa, South Dakota and Kansas-Fair Thursday and Friday, colder Thursday; northwesterly winds. Illinois-Clearing and colder Thursday; northwesterly winds, fresh to brisk on the

lake. Friday, fair. Missouri-Fair in northwestern, clearing in eastern and southern portion Thursday, colder; northwesterly winds. Friday, fair Colorado-Fair Thursday, colder in eastern portion; northerly winds, becoming variable. Friday, fair.

North Dakota, Wyoming and Montana-Fair Thursday; northerly winds, becoming variable. Friday, probably fair. Arkansas-Clearing and colder Thursday; northwesterly winds. Friday, fair. Western Texas, Oklahoma and Indian

Territory-Fair, colder Thursday; north-

westerly winds. Friday, fair. New Mexico-Fair Thursday and Friday; winds generally northwesterly, Local Record. OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Jan. 23.—Official record of temper-

ature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years

Record of temperature and precipitation Omaha for this day and since March i, Nebraska for the year 1828 Reduces annual levy from 1 mill to three-fourths of 1 Normal temperature 16 mill, making a reduction of \$80,000 in appropriation.

STARTS FIRE IN HER OWN CELL

Mrs. Wertzburger Nearly Burns the Court House and Cremates Her

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M. STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.

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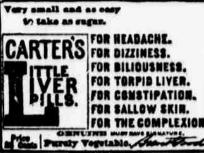
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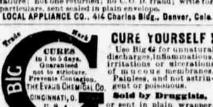
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