THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1902.

I Will Cure You of NEBRASKA NAME UNCHANGED Rheumatism

After 2,000 experiments, I have learned how to cure Rheumstiam. Not to turn bony joints into fissh again; that is impossible. But I can cure the disease always at any tage, and forever.

I ask for no money. Simply write me a postal and i will send you an order on your hearest druggist for six bottles of Dr. pop's Rheumatic Cure, for every druggist keeps it. Use it for a month, and if it for a what I claim pay your druggist \$5.50 for it. If it doesn't, I will pay him myself. I have no samples. Any medicine that can affect Rhoumatism with but a few doses must be drugged to the verge of danger. I use no such drugs. It is folly to take them. You must get the disease out of the blood. My remedy does that, even in the most difficult, obstinate cases. No matter how Impossible this seems to you. I know it and I take this risk. I have cured tens of thousands of cases in this way, and my records show that 39 out of 40 who get those siz bottles pay, and gladly. I have learned Abat people in general are honest with a physician who cures them. That is all I If I fail I don't expect a penny from msk.

Simply write me a postal card or letter Let me send you an order for the medicine; also a book. Take it for a month, for it won't harm you anyway. If it curse, pay \$5.50. I leave that entirely to you. Ad-dress Dr. Shoop, Box 661, Racine, Wis. Mild cases, not obronic, are often oured by one or two bottles. At all druggists.



Central Conference.

ALL PROFESS IGNORANCE OF OBJECT

Plans for Continuation of Amalgamation Will Be Discussed, but Those on the Inside Are Not Spreading Information Broadcast.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) -LINCOLN, March 18. - (Special.) - A straggling few of the members of the democratic and populist state central committees arrived in Lincoln tonight and all profess ignorance as to the object of the fu- and fair." sion conferences in this city tomorrow. From all indications it is presumed the attendance will be light and thus far there are leased on the Winnebago reservation are no prospects of any sensational pro- and who made a speech four weeks ago ceedings in either camp. Plans for the against the present mode of leasing, is recontinuation of the fusion agreement will beiving many letters from prominent inbe discussed and efforts will be made by dians and lessees of lands, as well as from the populists to have both committees agree | many citizens throughout Thurston county, to have the nominating convention held approving the stand he has taken against simultaneously in the same city, but there the continuance of the present policy and will be some opposition, from the demo- expressing the wish that he may be able to crats at least, to any attempt that may be bring about a new condition of affairs on made to fix definitely the date for the meet-

than August 1.

publicans. They say they were not con- after the interests of their railroad in sevsulted and insist further that they know eral departments.

nothing of the questions to be submitted for discussion. W. H. Thompson of Grand I Island was in the city this atternoon conferring with Lee Herdman and both main-tained they were wholly in the dark as to M. Treynor, present postmaster and who,

Robert Smart's Fame Stays Undiminished in Johnson County. NO PAY UNTIL YOU KNOW IT, COUNCIL BLUFFS POSTOFFICE FIGHT

> John R. Webster Renews Argument on East Omaha Bridge-Senator Dietrich Argues in Favor of Partitioning Nebraska.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) . WASHINGTON, March 18.-(Special Telegram.)-Smartville is to retain its name. Some years ago Robert Smart, a resident of Johnson county, appropriated land and dedicated streets and alloys to the new town, and the citizens, in view of Smart's & Eikhorn Valley tracks and the Missouri philanthropy, called the place Smartville. Pacific tracks, also to connect at or in the Last fall Judge Stell of the district court made an order changing the name from Smartville to Helena. The railroads refused to accept the change and the citizens of Smartville appealed to the postoffice au- scheme presented was a railroad enterthorities in Washington asking for the substitution of the name Helena for Smartville Large petitions were placed on file and extended arguments were made for the new name. The postoffice people, after review-

change, on the ground that the new name would be confusing to rallway postal clerks. who would undoubtedly get the name mixed with Helena, Mont. Smartville will get along with its present name until something else is suggester for adoption. Representative Burkett, who has just returned from Adpian, Mich., with a reputation

ing the case, today decided against any

as an orator, secured an order for \$400 worth of new furniture for the Lincoln postoffice and obtained the issuance of an order providing for the employment of Nebraska State university.

Denies Report is Suppressed.

In reply to the statement in an interview with Inspector McComas, who recently reported upon the conditions on the Omaha and Winnebago reservation, that certain features of the report were being suppressed by the commissioners, Mr. Jones says: "It is absolutely untrue that any portion of McComas' report is being suppressed. Just as soon as the secretary of the interior has had an opportunity to review the report its contents will be made known. The secretary is absent from Washington at present and nothing can be done until he has personally considered the report. There is no intention whatever of

doing anything but what is absolutely just Representative Robison, who has taken great interest in the manner in which lands

ings, unless the date so arranged falls later Gerrit Fort of Omaha, assistant general passenger agent of the Union Pacific, is None of the leaders who are in the city in Washington, with the eastern agent of tonight will vouchsafe any explanation of the road, Richard Tenbroeck of New York the action of the-chairman in calling their City, and John T. Hendricks, general agent committees to meet the day before the re- at Philadelphia. They are here looking

> Council Bluffs Postoffice Fight. Council Bluffs has a postoffice fight ou,

ing the act to reconstruct and change the bridge over the Missouri river near Council Bluffs, has prepared an elaborate brief, which he will submit in a day or two to

Colonel Hepbura's committee, having the bill in charge. Mr. Webster flatly denies many of the contentions of the opponents of the bill, and says the records of the bridge company show that in the eight years during which the bridge has been in opera-

tion there has not been a single year in which the receipts at the East Omaha bridge were enough to pay the wages of the toll collectors. In support of the bill to make the present bridge exclusively a railroad structure, Mr. Webster recites the original contract, which was to make connection on the east side of the Missouri river with the Rock Island and Milwaukee

railroads, also on the west side of the river to connect the tracks now on the East Omaha Land company's ground with the Omaha & Minneapolis railroad tracks, the Union Pacific railroad tracks, Fremont vicinity of Nicholas street with certain industries having considerable traffic, all for a cost not exceeding \$100,000. In view of this exhibit, Mr. Webster asserts, the whole prise and has not been changed.

Dietrich Favors Partition Bill. Senator Dietrich, in discussing the bill to divide Nebraska into two judicial districts

with the Platte river as the divisional line, which is now pending in the house, having hassed the senate, said: "The most potent argument favoring such a division is found in the figures taken from the annual report of the United States at-

torney general, wherein is set forth the comparative amount of business in the United States court of Nebraska in contrast with all other districts in the United States. "This report shows that the district of Nebraska has almost twice as many cases on its docket as both districts of Iowa; that messenger to carry mail from the Lincoln it has more than all three districts of Alapostoffice to station A in Lincoln, which is bama; that it has as much as the two districts of Arkansas; twice as much as both

districts of Florida; twice as much as the two districts in Kentucky, in Louisiana, in Missouri and in Virginia, respectively, and more than all three districts of Tennessee. Compared with Other Districts,

> "Further, if the number of cases on the locket in Nebraska, up to a recent date, were divided in two, each districts would have more cases than the following districts: Alabama, middle; Alabama, southern; Alaska, Arizona, western Arkansas, southern California, Georgia, Southern Idaho, northern Iowa, southern Iowa, Kan-

sas, eastern Kentucky, western Kentucky western Louislana, Maine, Manyland, eastern Missouri, western Missouri, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Carolina, South Dakota, eastern Tennessee, middle Tennessee, western Tennessee, Utah, Vermont, eastern Virginia and

Wyomlng. "Also the following districts exceed very slightly the amount of one-half of the Nebraska business: Southern Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, southern Ohio, Oregon, western Pennsylvania, northern Texas, eastern Texas, western Texas, Washington and

eastern Wisconsin. In the face of these figures, impartially computed, it would seem no more than just to divide Nebraska as desired. "The division as proposed in this bill sub-

stantially makes the Platte river the dividing line. The railroads in Nebraska are built across the state from east to west practically on parallel lines with said river. None of the railroads runs north or south except those along the eastern border of the state, where they run north and south along the Missouri river from Omaha, and

north and south from the city of Lincoln. There are no north and south lines in any other cities in the state.

"Some short time ago the circuit court

Considers Division Equable.

OMAHA MANDAMUS CASES AFTER - EFFECTS OF LA GRIPPE. Argument on Fire and Police Commission

Postponed Till Today. MODIFICATION ASKED IN TAX MATTER

John F. MeIntosh Files Motion to Have

City Council Act Otherwise Than **Raise Values of Corporation** Property Alone.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, March 18 .- (Special.)-Argunent on the application of C. C. Wright for peremptory writ of mandamus to compel he governor to appoint fire and police commissioners for Omaha will be heard by the supreme court tomorrow morning. The case was on call for this afternoon, but because of other business preceding it was laid over one day. Attorney General Prout will appear for the governor, while the relator, Mr. Wright, will be represented by Frank T. Ransom and W. F. Gurley. Ed P. Smith will probably argue in favor of the governor's contention that he has no right to make the appointments.

Omaha Tax Mandamus.

John F. McIntosh this afternoon filed a motion for a modification of the original writ of mandamus in the Omaha tax case, a

review of which has been printed in The Bee. He would have the city council of Omaha, instead of raising the values of corporation property to 40 per cent of their cash value, do as set forth in the following:

ing: That from the evidence before you you determine the fair cash value as of the date of such 1962 assessment for taxation for the ofty of Omaha of all the personal property and franchises of each of said corporations within said city of Omaha, and subject to taxation therein for said 1962 city taxes, and that you also ascertain the standard of valuation adopted and employed by the tax commissioner. This deputies and the assessment of all taxable property within said city for said 1962 tin making the assessment of all taxable property within said city for said 1962 taxes, and bring the personal property and franchises of the paid subject to taxation therein for said 1952 taxes to said standard, and certify the respective amounts so ascertained to the tax commissioner of said city as the corrected and equalized assessment.

Seeks to Enforce Child Labor Law.

Deputy Labor Commissioner Watson is making persistent efforts to enforce the provision's of the child labor law. Today he directed to each known employer of child labor in the state a copy of the law on the subject, together with a brief communication asking them not to shirk their responsibility. The law requires that all working children of or less than 14 years shall attend school at least twenty weeks in each year. Mr. Watson says: "It is

the duty of the state to provide education for the humblest child within its territory and I fervently hope that employers will co-operate with the bureau to the end and that the letter and the spirit of the law may be duly respected."

Effort to Equalize Water Rates. The Lincoln city council is engaged in the

seemingly difficult task of equalizing water rates. The objection to the various propositions so far advanced is that they discriminate against the small consumers by providing a lower rate for those who use more than a stipulated amount of water each year. There is a general public demand for a flat rate regardless of the amount of water consumed and it is likely that an ordinance making this kind of a provision will soon be passed as a compromise. The present rate for city is 20 cents per thousand galarist

THREE ALARMS IN HASTINGS

Pe-ru-na a Specific Restorative That Has Stood The Test of Time.



NOTABLE RECOVERIES REPORTED HERE.

have been cured of the after-affects of grip are the following: .

Congressman Howard, of Alabama, says: "I hava taken Peruna for the grip and recommend it as an excellent remedy to all fellow sufferers."

M. W. Howard, Congressman from Alabama.

Gongressman White, of North Carolina, says: "I find Peruna to be an excellent remedy for the grip. I have used it in my family and they all join me in recommending it."-George H. White, Congressman from North Carolina.

Mrs. Harriet A. S. Marsh, President of the Woman's Benevolent Association, of Chicago, writes: "I suffered with grip seven weeks. Nothing helped me. Tried Peruna and within three weeks I was fully restored. Shall never be without it again."

The following letter was received from Mrs. M. Wright, Secretary Good Templars Lodge No. 47, and Lady of the Maccabees: 2514 Fillmore street, N. E., Minneapolis, Minn.

"I suffered this winter with an attack of the la grippe and having heard of Peruna in such cases I decided to try it. I am still using Peruna and find that it helps me greatly.

"I have influenced several friends afflicted with chronic catarrh to take Peruna and they all show wonderful improvement. I believe it to be the best medicine before the public." MRS. M. WRIGHT.



Every person who has had la grippe of grip people should stay indoors and take during the last year should take a course Peruna in small doses (teaspoonful every of Peruna. No one need expect perfect re- hour) until the symptoms disappear. " Th's Gentlemen-"I am 68 years old, covery unless they do so. The grip has will prevent a long, disastrous sickness and am hale and hearty, and Peruna produced catarrhal inflammation of the perhaps fatal results.

Peruna is the acknowledged catarrh rem

If you do not derive prompt and satisago I had la grippe-my life was despaired of. Peruna saved me. J. R. GUILL. is impossible until these are restored to a great many remodies have been suggested for this condition from time to time, but be pleased to give you his valuable ad-

lowing is his letter:

for trial.

Avery.

Ferrer.

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STIFFNESS

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THE GREAT REMEDY

25 and 50 Cents.

SPRAINS

ages for Steinkamp.

There is no remedy in the world that strengthens as it renovates, soothes while it stimulates, heals as it expurgates. Pe-

weeks without obtaining relief until I took Peruna. Three bot-

tles not only cured me completely, but it left my system in a fine

condition, and I feel better than I have for years. You have a

Omaha, Neb., January 25, 1900, The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

host of friends in Memphis!"

Without raising the discussion as to Peruha appears to be the only remedy vice gratis.

Hon. James R. Guill is one of the old- | able, digestion capricions, and just about est and most esteemed men of Omaha, Neb., cmpties life of all meaning or desirability coming to that city in its early days, when it little dreamed of being a metropolis. He meets the conditions produced by la grippe has done much to make it what it is, serv- better than the remedy, Peruna. Peruna ing on public boards a number of times.

A recent letter written by him to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, runa is not a purgative or cathartic, or endorsing their remedy, Peruna, for ca- sedative, or stimulant, uor a vegetable or tarrh, consequently carries with it con- mineral poison. It reaches the source of siderable weight and importance. The fol- all diseases of the mucous membranes by its action on the vaso-motor system of nerves.

has helped me attain it. Two years whole mucous membrane, and good health

the program. M. F. Harrington of O'Neill according to some of the officials here, has that he did not intend to be in the conferance tomorrow.

Inside Information is Scarce.

"The chairman of the committees may have a surprise to apring on us tomorrow, but if so they certainly have given us no intimation of the fact," said a former offleer of the democratic committee this afternoon. "The first I knew of the meeting pretty confident that nothing will be done further than to discuss the fusion proposition and perhaps reach some kind of an agreement as to where the conventions shall be held. The democrats will not favor a convention earlier than August and it is hardly likely that a date will be fixed at this meeting.

"I think the real object of the conferyear. ences is to attempt to bring about an agreement that will result in a prolongation of the fusion arrangement. There will undoubtedly be some friction when this question is suggested and it may be that when the committees get it settled they will not care about tackling anything cise."

V. J. Bryan returned this afternoon and will likely attend the democratic meeting tomorrow. Chairman Hall of the democratic committee and De France of the pied in going to and returning from the in arrears. populist committee were busy with the early arrivals today and both expressed themselves to the reporters as being con-fident that fusion would be continued. Mr. Hall said: "I think there is no question that there will be an alliance of democrats this fall." Mr. De France was still more emphatic, saying: "I regard fusion as a foregone conclusion. The fusion arrangement will undoubtedly prevail with our forces in the forthcoming campaign."

CHARGE GOES THROUGH HEART

Frank Hich of North Loup Grabs Gun by Mussle with Customary

/ Result.

NORTH LOUP, Neb., March 18 .- (Special Telegram.) + Frank Rich, 22 years old, whose home was one mile north of here, was accidentally killed today while working in the timber with his father and brother. He saw ducks flying. His gun lay on the brush near him. He sizzed it by the mussle, pulled it toward him and it was discharged. The entire charge passed through eral manager of the Omaha Bridge and Terhis heart, killing him instantly. He was minal Railroad company, owing to the wide

a member of the Modern Woodmen of range which the oral arguments covered America. during the consideration of the bill amend-America.

Crescent Clother for Boys Lave graceful outlines. Ityle is written all over them. We add our guarantee to that of the seller. Ask for the red Crevent. Cane McCaptarco Brankon My. makers.

Crescent made Boys' Clothes are to be had in Omaha only of Hayden Bros.

With the Platte river as the dividing also was in the city this afternoon, but left made an enviable record, desires a reap- line, there will be in the South Platte on an evening train for home, declaring pointment, but is antagonized by State Sen- division in the neighborhood of 600,000 peoator Hazelton. Treynor has made a most ple and practically the same, or a few more earnest effort to secure an extension of his people in the North Platte division. So hold on the office, but Hazelton is said to there can be no claim successfully estab-

stand next to the appointment just now, al- lished to the effect that the division as proposed favors one district as against anthough Representative Smith is averse to saying anything shout the postoffice fight other. "Figures furnished by attorneys in both in view of his candidacy for a re-nominadistricts unanimously agree that the amount

Congressman Mercer today introduced a of business required done by the present bill providing an appropriation of \$75,000 court is daily on the inrease. To quote was when I saw the call in the newspapers. for the srection of a quartermaster's ware- Mr. C. C. Flansburg, a leading attorney I have no inside information, but I am house at Omaha. The proposal is to use of Lincoln: 'Is not my client practically the warehouse for the storage of quarter- denied the right to be heard in this court? master's supplies and a general depot for Judge Munger (the present United States their distribution. The plan is to build district judge) is greatly overworked, and upon ground now owned by the government the strenuous duties devolving on him are in Omsha

Mr. Mercer also introduced a bill pro- is his work cannot be of as high an order viding that the collector of customs at as it would if he had more time to devote Omaha shall hereafter be paid \$1,000 a to it.'

Fees for Jurors in Wyoming.

the Nebraska United States docket, assigned the latter fire James Lawless, who was Senator Warren's bill fixing the fees of two judges, Judge McPherson of Iowa, and asleep in the room where the fire broke urors in the United States courts in Wyo- Judge Carland of South Dakota, to assist ming was today favorably reported to the Judge Munger as much as possible. And say his chances of recovery are slim. senate. The bill provides that jurors and then with all three judges holding court witnesses in the district and circuit-courts at one time, the docket was nowhere near for.

of the United States in Wyoming shall be cleared. The law docket, of course, is entitled to \$3 a day for actual attendance given more attention than the equity DUCK HUNT ENDS FATALLY at any court and for time necessarily occu- docket, so that the latter is always sadly same, and 15 cents for each mile neces-Matter of Transportation. sarily traveled over any stage line or by private conveyance and 10 cents for each

"Another strong point favoring this di mile on any railway in going to and re- vision is found in the matter of transportaturning from said, courts, provided' that tion with regard to litigants. The state no constructive or double mileage fees shall of Nebraska is about 200 miles wide and gram.)-While shooting ducks from a boat be allowed by reason of any person's being | 400 miles long. At the present time persummoned both as a witness and juror, or sons with business in the United States this place shot and killed himself. His gun as witness in two or more cases pending district court are obliged, if they live in was lying by his side, and in attempting to to the same court and triable at the same the extreme western part, to travel hun- arise Proproski brought the muszle of his dreds of miles in order to reach the tribunal gun past his head, when it was discharged, Argument in the case of Daniel H. Tal- wherein they are to appear. Such travel blowing off the entire top of his head.

bot against the First National Bank of involves heavy, and not to say, needless Sloux City was concluded today in the su- expenses. With the state divided and with here with the body last evening. preme court of the United States. Francis places for holding sessions of the two F. Oldham and Ass F. Call of Sloux City courts properly distributed over the same, represented the bank before the court, this question of expensive travel would while the plaintiff was represented by J. in a way be solved. K. Reddington and A. A. Hoehling, jr. Wants Justice Done Litigants.

The South Dakota delegation has agreed to recommend the following presidential "Finally, it is the object of all courts Sinamark. The democrats have nominated to determine controversies as speedily as Emil Folds, O. A. Hoffman and A. A. postmaster: R. Z. Bennett, Beresford, possible and when they fail in this feature Hayek. Union county; John P. Cotton, Parker, Tura great injustice is done the litigants. Long ner county; J. C. Stroughton, Geddes delays are a denial of justice, and the Charles Mix county. court that is obliged through lack of facil-

Argues on East Omaha Bridge.

guilty of a wrong that sooner or later must John R. Webster, vice president and genbring it into contempt. "Necessity demands that Nebraska be diided. This should be done in justice to

the people of that state and likewise in accord with the letter and spirit of the federal constitution." Edwin B. Craig, a postoffice inspector with headquarters at Council Bluffs, is in Washington on matters connected with his de-

partment. Department Notes. The Citizens' National bank of Tecumseh, Neb., has been authorized to begin business with \$30,000 capital. The postoffices at Armour, Gosper, Myrtle and St. James, Neb., Sperry, Ia., Rob-

ities to be guilty of such delays, is equally

ertson and Tisch, Wyo., become domestic money order offices April 1. M. B. Steele is appointed postmaster at Grabie, Pottawattamle county, Ia.

Pension examining surgeons appointed: Nebraska, Dr. G. D. Pendell at Geneva; Iows, Dr. C. M. Swale at Mason City; South Dakota, Dr. W. R. Neumarker at Hot Springs.

Reserve agents approved: Western National of New York for First National of Centerville, S. D., Commercial National of Chicago for Iowa National of Des Moines. Max W. Winter of Omaha is appointed nessenger boy in the Smithsonian institution

Have Busy Day and Jame Lawless May Die of His

egg house. A strong wind was blowing and

the building and stock on hand were dam-

aged about \$1,000. The manager does not

know the amount of insurance, as the pol-

While the firemen were at work upon the

building another alarm was sounded, and

the hose team made a run to the engine

house, hitched to another hose cart and

made another run. Their services were not

At 2:15 this afternoon fire was discov-

ered in the second story of the Klein res-

taurant. This fire damaged the building

out, was so badly burned that physicians

Genoa Man Loses Top of His Head

by Accidental Discharge

of Gun.

GENOA, Neb., March 18 .-- (Special Tele-

on the Platte Tuesday T. H. Proproski of

His companion, Jake Counter, reached

Two Tickets at Linwood.

LINWOOD, Neb., March 18 .- (Special.)-

There are two tickets in the field for village

trustees. The republicans have nominated

William Husenetter, S. H. Showers and A.

went back to the Armour plant.

Burns.

too much for any one man. Pushed as he required in this case, however, and they

of appeals noting the glutted condition of and fixtures about \$250, fully insured. In

icles are at South Omaha.

HASTINGS, Neb., March 18 .- (Special Telegram.)-This has been a busy day for the firemen. About 3 o'clock this morning fire broke out in the Armour poultry and

gard, weak, sallow, frazzled-out, mucous of la grippe.

whether la grippe is produced by a spe# that has any substantial value in these cific microbe or not, at least this much is cases. It has stood the test of forty years'

MISS LOU KETCHUM.

edy of the age. Dr. Hartman, the comcertain and admitted by all, it will pro- experience and still occupies the unique pounder of Peruna, has written a book on duce chronic catarrh if not promptly and position of being the leading (if not the the phases of catarrh peculiar to women, It will be sent free to any address by The Peruna

properly cured. It leaves a person hag- only) specific remedy for the after-effects entitled "Health and Beauty." membranes all congested, appetite change- Among the many prominent people who Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohro

