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Postoffice, New York, N. Y., February

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

The Board of Public Lands and Buildings of the state of Nebraska will receive proposals at the office of secretary of state until 12 o'clock noon, of the twentieth day of February, 1904, for the erection and completion of an administration building and three cottages to be erected at Norfolk, Nebraska, and a hospital building to be erected at the Soldiers' and Saliors' Home at Milford, Nebraska; also a cold storage building for the Feeble Minded institute at Heatrice, according to the plans and specifications now on file in the land commissioner's office.

Proposals will be received in whole for

eioner's office.

Proposals will be received in whole for erection of buildings and including heating, plumbing and wiring, or separate on heating, plumbing and wiring.

Proposals must comply with requirements of specifications regarding certified check. Certified check to be made payable to the state of Nebraska as guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder to enter in the contract.

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The Board of Public Lands and Builidngs has the right to reject any and all proposals if in their judgment to do so.

G. W. MARSH.

Becretary of Board Public Lands and Buildings.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING Notice of Stockholders Meeting
Notice is hereby given that the regular
annual meeting of the stockholders of the
Bouth Platte Land company will be held at
the office of said company will be held at
the office of said company in Lincoln, Nebraska, at il o'clock a. m. on the 2d day of
March, A. D. 1904.

By order of the board of directors.

C. H. MORRILL, President.

A. B. MINOR, Secretary.

A. B. MINOR, Secretary, Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 30, 1904.

OBSERVE LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY Rhode Island Public Schools and State . Officials Remember the

Anniversary.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 12.-Einho rately planned programs in the public the general assembly at the state house marked the anniversary of Lincoin's birthday in Rhode Island today.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 12.—EGGS—Market weak; Missouri and Kansas, cases returned. 27%; new No. 2 whitewood cases included, 25c. day in Rhode Island today . The day is HAY-known in the schools as Grand Army Plag prairie, day, and the scholars listened to addresses by civil war veterans. Governor Garvin presided over the exercises at the capitol.

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LOSSES OFFSET BY STIMULUS TO TRADE

Bultimore Will Need Steel and New Stocks and There is Already a Good Demand for Lead. ing Staples.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

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War, fire and cotton were the adverse factors of the week, yet the country stood the shock remarkably weit, and there are numerous encouraging symptoms. To a large degree the outbreak or nostilities in the Orient and the collapse of the cotton boom had been descounted, and the disastrous loss of the conflagration was offset very largely by the stimulus it wil give to many industries, notably structural steel.

In restoring Baltimore there will be great activity in the bullong trades, while large stocks of goods must be replaced and orders filled by jobbers and manufacturers elsewhere. Buyers are arriving in the stoke of goods must be replaced and orders filled by jobbers and manufacturers elsewhere. Buyers are arriving in the stoke of goods must be replaced and orders filled by jobbers and manufacturers elsewhere. Buyers are arriving in the stoke of goods must be replaced and orders filled by jobbers and the country in large numbers from all sections of the country and there is a good demand for all leading staple lines, with notable urgency for prompt shipments of cotton goods. The labor situation througnout the country is almost devold of fraction. More or less traffic congestion results from the small loss of 1.7 per cent in rallway earnings during January.

Actual business is still restricted in the iron and steel industry, but there is more confidence in the future, and the extensive starting of plants by the leading producers suggests that foreign markets will be entered more aggressively than ever before. Structural steel prospects have graitly improved because of the fattimore fire, as it is certain that an enormous tonnage will be required to restore the ruined buildings. As to pig from the more developed three plants by the leading producers are more willing to place or the ruined buildings. As to pig from the provided on spring lines and fall isamples. But for the provided on spring lines and fall isamples. The provided on spring lines are last with th

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Failures this week in the United States are 228, against 246 last week, 302 the preceding week and 230 the corresponding week last year. Failures in Canada number 25, against 29 last week, 23 the preceding week and 20 last year.

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Rates for money and accounts were firm today, consequent on the witdrawal of gold for Argentine. Busithe wildrawal of gold for Argentine. Balliness on the stock exchange was fairly steady. Trading was quiet, in the absence of war news. Consols had a trifle easier tendency at first, but hardened later and HORSERADISH-Per case of 2 dos., at the desence of war news. Consols had a tride easier of the hadeney at first, but hardened later and closed firm. Amelead draw had had had tride and the haden had haden had the haden had had the haden had had the haden haden had the haden had had the haden had had the haden haden had had haden had had haden had had haden haden had haden haden had haden haden

London Stock Market. LONDON, Feb. 12.-Closing:

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SILVER Har, Quiet, 26 13-16d per ounce.

MONEY -323% per cent; the rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 34,23% per cent; for three months' bills, 34,23% per cent.

Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, Feb. 12.—Bank clearings for to-day, \$1.118,666.17, a decrease of \$56,713.15 from the corresponding day last year.

Wool Market.

BOSTON, Feb. 12—WOOL—The Commercial Bulletin will say Saturday: The demand for wool this week has been moderate, but there has been a well distributed trade in small lots. Prices are unchanged, ruling strong for all medium and low wools and steady for fine and fine medium. Buying started in Arizona, where the 1994 clip is being shorn. At Phoenix, Boston buyers have paid 13c and 14c, the buik of the arrivals being defective and much poorer than last season, when prices were 2 cents higher. Better than 14c is hid for the clips. There is nothing new from foreign markets. A direct cable says the New Zealan' markets closed firm. The shipments of wool from Boston to date from December 31. 1903, are 29.33526 pounds, against 33,761,158 pounds at the same time last year. The receipts are 14,-855,978 pounds, against 19,575,337 pounds for the same period last year.

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Olls and Rosin. NEW YORK, Feb. 12:-OILS-Cottonseed. steady.

PETROLEUM-Easy; refined New York, \$8,55; Philadelphia and Baltimore, \$8,50; in bulk, \$6,50.

TURPENTINE-Duil, 67,9575c.

ROSIN-Firm.

OIL CITY, Feb. 12.—OILS—Credit balances, \$1,50; no runs or shipments; legal

SAVANNAH, Feb. 12-OILS-Turpentine, m. 64c, COSIN—Firm: A. B. C. D. \$2.76; E. \$2.75; \$2.80; G. \$2.85; H. \$2.85; I. \$3.20; K. \$2.20; \$3.25; M. \$3.80; N. \$3.35; W. G. \$3.45; W. \$2.75.

Sugar and Molasses

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NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining. 2 27-32c; centrifugal, 36 test. 3 11-32c; molasses sugar, 2 19-32c. Refined, steady; crushed, 5-15c; powdered, 55c; granulated, 4-5c.

MOLASSES—Firm.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 12—SUGAR—Quiet, open kettle. 2843 3-16c; open kettle centrifugal, 383%c; centrifugal whites, 4c; yellows 34463 15-16c; seconds 244634c.

MOLASSES—Nominal; open kettle, 203 28c; centrifugal, 10445c.

SYRUP—Dull, 22625c.

Whisky Market. PEORIA, Feb. 12.—WHISKY—On basis of 1.77 for finished goods. ST. LOUIS, Feb. 12.—WHISKY—Steady

WAR, FIRE AND COTTON HURT

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OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET. Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Paney Produce. EGGS-Receipts, moderate; fresh stock,

LIVE POULTRY-Hens, 90; spring chickens, 3c; roosters, according to age, ec; tur-keys, 15g14c; ducke, 34; geese, 5c; DRESSED POULTRY-Turkeys, 18g17c; ducks, 11g12c; geese, 10c; chickens, 94g 104c. ducks, 11@12c; geese, 10c; chickens, Fig. 104c.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 13c; choice to fancy dairy rolls, 13g/14c; separator, 22c.

FRESH FISH—Trout, 8#10c; pickerel, 5½ G5c; pike, 8c; perch, 6g64c; bluefish, 1bc; whitefish, 8g83gc; salmon, tic; haddock, 10c; codfish, 12c; redsnapper, 11c; lobsters, belizd, i per lb., 20c; lobsters, green, per lb., 25c; bullheads, 11c; catrish, 13g1tc; black bass, 20c; hallbut, 13c; crappies, 12c; herring, 4c; white bass, 13c; bluefins, 8c; smelts, 10gfilc, 0 VSTERS—New York Counts, per can, 43c; per gal., \$1.20; extra select, per can, 35c; per gal., \$1.20; extra select, per can, 25c; per gal., \$1.50.

BRAN—Per ton, \$15.50.

HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale Dealers' association: Choice No. 1 upland, 25.50; No. 2, \$6.00; medium, \$5.50; coarse, \$5.50; rye straw, \$5.00. These prices are for hay of good color and quality. Demand fair and receipts light.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Colorado, \$1.10; Dakota, per

SWEET POTATOES-Illinois, per bbl.,

NAVY BEANE-Per bu., \$2.25. CELERY-Large California, 60c, 75c and ONIONS Spanish, per crate, \$1.75; Colo-To yellow and red, per lb., 24c, new ABBAGE-Wisconsin Holland, 34c; new alifornia, 34c. TURNIPS-Canada rutabagas, per lb., te: white per bu, 50c.
CARROTS-Per bu, 55c.
PARSNIPS-Per bu, 60c.
BEETS-Per bu, 60c.
CAULIFLOWER-California, per crate, Jan.

CUCUMBERS-Per doz., \$1.25@1.50. TOMATOES-Florida, per 6-banket crates. RADISHES-Per doz. bunches, 35c. LETTUCE HEADS-Per doz. bunches, 96c 7\$1.00; per bbl., \$7.00; leaf lettuce, per doz.

and Haldwins, \$4.76.
GRAPES—Imported Malagns, per keg, \$5.00.
CRANBERRIES—Jersey, per bbl., \$7.00; ner box, \$2.50; Wisconsin Bell and Bugle, \$7.50; Bell and Cherry, \$5.50.
STRAWBERRIES—Florida, per qt., 50c.
TROPICAL FRUITS.
ORANGES—Navels, all sizes, choice, \$2.00
\$2.25; fancy, all sizes, \$2.2507.50.
LEMONS—California, fancy, 300 to 360, \$3.50; choice, \$2.00 270 sizes, \$3.0093.25.
FIGS—California, per 10-1b, cartons, \$5c; imported Smyrna, 3-crown, 14c; 5-crown, 16c; 7-crown, 16c.
BANANAS—Per medium sized bunch, \$2.0032.50; Jumbos, \$2.7503.25.
COCOANUTS—Per sack, \$4.00; per doz., 60c.

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DATES—Persian, per box of 20 pkgs., \$2.00; per lb., in 60-lb. boxes, 5c; Oriental stuffed dates, per box, \$2.40.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHEESE—Wisconsin twins, full cream, 12c; Wisconsin Young Americas, 13c; block Swiss, 16c; Wisconsin brick, 13c; Wisconsin limburger, 12c. imburger, 12c.
HONEY—Nebraska, per 24 frames, \$3.00;
Utah and Colorado, per 24 frames, \$2.5.
MAPLE SUGAR—Ohlo, per 15, 19c.
CIDER—Per bbl., \$5.50; per 15 bbl., \$3.25.
POPCORN—Per 15, 24c; shelled, 36234c.
HORSERADISH—Per case of 2 dox.

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HIDES—No. 1 green, 6c; No. 2 green, 5c; No. 1 saited, 7c; No. 2 saited, 6c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs, 84c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs, 64c; dry saited hides, 8612c; sheep pelts, 25475c; horse hides, \$1.5062.50, NUTS—Walnuts, No. 1 soft-shell, per lb, 15c; hard-shell, per lb, 16c; hard-shell, per lb, 12c; Brazils, per lb, 11c; filberts, per lb, 12c; Brazils, per lb, 11c; filberts, per lb, 12c; shell, per lb, 13c; pecans, large, per lb, 6c; roasted peanuts, per lb, 72c; chill walnuts, 126134c; large hickory nuts, per bu, 81.50; shell barks, per bu, \$2.50; black walnuts, per bu, \$1.55.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 12.—WHEAT—Spot, nominal; futures, steady; March, 6s 6d; May, 6s 5½d; July, nominal.

CORN—Spot, steady; American mixed, new, 4s 1½d; American mixed, old, 4s 6½d; futures, quiet; March, 4s 2½d; American mixed, old, 4s 5½d; futures, quiet; March, 4s 2½d; May, 4s 5½d.

ceipts of Hogs; Sheep Prices High. CHICAGO, Feb. 12.-CATTLE-Receipts, 3,000 head; market strady and active; good to prime steers, \$4.75@5.75; poor to medium. \$2,50@4.60; stockers and feeders, \$2.25@4.15; cows, \$1.25@4.00; heifers, \$2.00@4.75; canners, \$1.25@2.50; bulls, \$2.00@4.10; calves, \$3.50@

7.50.
HOGS—Receipts, 45,000 head; estimated tomorrow, 25,000; mixed and butchers, \$5.00 \$6.874; good to cheice heavy, \$5.25@5.40; rough heavy, \$5.00@5.25; light, \$4.75@5.15; bulk of sales, \$5.00@6.25.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 5,000 head; market steady; good to choice, \$4.00@4.55; fair to choice mixed, \$3.50@4.00; western sheep, \$3.50@5.35; native lambs, \$3.90@6.15; western lambs, \$5.25@6.10.

Kansas City Live Stock Market. Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 12.—CATTLE—Reseipts, 1.600 head, no southerns; market tendy; export and dressed beef steers, 34.50 55.25; fair to good, 32.7564.40; western-fed teers, 32.2564.25; stockers and feeders, 33.754.25; sauthern steers, \$2.2563.90; southern swas, \$2.2562.50; native cows, \$1.7563.90; native helfers, \$3.5574.15; bulls, \$2.5073.60; alves, \$3.0576.50. calves, \$3.0056.50.

HOGS-Receints, 7.200 head; market 55710c lower; ton, \$5.20; bulk of sales, \$4.0055.12\cdots; heave, \$5.0555.20; bulk of sales, \$4.0055.12\cdots; heave, \$5.0055.10; pigs and light, \$4.7554.20.

SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receints, 2.000 head; market 105715c higher; native lambs, \$5.0055.75; western lambs, \$4.5055.70; fedewes, \$5.5054.00; western-fed yearlings, \$4.65.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.7554.20.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. ST. JOSEPH, Feb. 12.—CATTLE—Re-ceints, 562 head: market steady to 10c highes: natives, \$5,5065 25; cows and helf-ers, \$1,5069.00; stockers and feeders, \$2,506 4.15.
HOGS—Reccipts, 6.855 head; market weak to 5c lower; light, \$4.75@5.15; medium and heavy, \$4.9005.29.
SHEEP AND LAMRS—Receipts, 271 head; market steady; yearlings, \$4.90.

Sloux City Live Stock Market. SIOUX CITY. Feb. 11.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts. 200 head; market unchanged; beeves. 33.5064.60; cows. bulls and mixed. 32.40673.00; stockers and feeders. 32.7563.60; calves and yearlings,

Cattle Receipts Very Light and Prices

HOGS OPEN STEADY, BUT CLOSE LOWER

Only a Few Cars of Sheep and Lambs on Sale and They Changed Hands Freely at Prices Ranging Strong to a Dime Higher.

' SOUTH OMAHA, Feb. 12, 1904. Cattle riogs Sheep.
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...571 9,626 2,380 Official Monday Official Tuesday Official Wedne Official Thursch Official Friday Thursday. RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR TO DATE. Average prices paid for hog, at South Omaha for the last several days with com-parisons:

> | 1904. | 1803. | 1902. | 1901. | 1900. | 1899. | 1808. *Indicates Sunday

The official number of cars of stock brought in by each road was: Cattle. Hogs. Sh'p. H'ses. M. & St. P. Ry 3 C., M. & St. P. Ry...
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Illinois Central llinois Central 1 Chicago Great Western. 2 Total receipts 23

138 The disposition of the day's receipts was follows, each buyer purchasing the umber of head indicated: Buyer. C. Comana Packing Co. Swift and Company. Cudahy Packing Co. Armour & Co. Armour & Co. S. C. Cattle. Hogs, Sheep.

the first of the week, but the advance has since been lost.

The cow market was active and steady to strong. Buyers took hold with considerable life, and there did not seem to be any more on sale than they wanted. When comparisons are made with the close of last week it is found that prices if anything are a little higher on the more desirable grades. The change, however, is not very important. Bulls were no more than steady today and not very brisk. Veal calves sold readily at steady prices.

mixed, old, 48 5kd; futures, quiet; March, 48 2kd; American mixed, old, 48 5kd; futures, quiet; March, 48 2kd; May, 48 5kd.

There were only a few bunches of stockers and feeders in the yards and the same as is generally the case on a Friday not many were wanted. For the week the market is generally 196/15c higher so far as the better grades are concerned. The common kinds have shown little improvement. Representative sales:

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The load averaged 426 pounds. Representa-

SHEEP-There was a small run of she and lambs here this morning, even for Friday, and as buyers all needed son tresh supplies the market ruled-active at strong to a dime higher. Everything so at an early hour. Some lambs sold as high as \$5.5, yearlings brought \$5 and wethers \$4.55. There were no good ewes on sale. Feeders were in good demand for the time of year and particularly was that true of feeder lambs.

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St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500 head, including 500 Texans: market slow, about steady; native shipping and export steers, \$4.0065.25; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$4.0065.50; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$3.5064.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.356 3.50; cows and heiters, \$2.2564.00; canners, \$1.5062.50; bulls, \$2.5063.50; calves, \$3.002 6.00; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.7064.20; cows and heiters, \$2.0062.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 7.500 head; market lower; pigs and lights, \$4.7064.85; packers, \$4.8065.20; butchers and best heavy, \$3.1565.40.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,200 head; market steady to strong; native muttons, \$3.7064.75; lambs, \$4.5065.75; culls and bucks, \$2.5064.25; stockers, \$2.0063.00.

CUTS PAY OF ITS EMPLOYES Rich.

at Baltimore. At least one of the big American fire insurance companies which sustained heavy losses by the Baltimore fire has decided to make a sweeping cut in the salaries of its officials and employes as one way of evening up. This company, whose name is withheld by request, has its headquarters in the east and is one of the very largest and strongest in the country. It is understood the reduction in salaries is 10 per cent. The such ordinance was wholly invalid, manager of the company's business in Omaha will not talk of the matter, but it is understood he, as well as other prominent officials of the concern, do not consider it obligatory upon them to accept the decree

of their employers DENIES SELLING THE SUGAR Teamster Pleads Not Guilty When Arraigned in Police Court Before Judge Berka.

Ben Arnold, arrested by Detectives Donahue and Heitfeld on a charge of larceny, pleaded not guilty when arraigned in police court. His hearing has been set for next Tuesday morning.

It is said that last September, Arnold was driving for Jules Althouse, who was doing the hauling work for Allen Bros. Arnold, it is charged, was given two barrels of granulated sugar to deliver to a grocer on North Twenty-fourth street. Instead of delivering both barrels it is claimed Arnoid dropped one barrel off somewhere and sold it and left the city. He was arrested soon after his recent return.

GOES ON LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY Old Car of Martyred President Removed from Omaha to St. Louis

for World's Fair.

The old Lincoln car, which has long been an object of curiosity to Omaha sightseers, left Omaha for the Louisiana Purchase exposition on Lincoln's birthday. It will be installed in the building which is being erected by a company on the exposition grounds, in which will be exhibited a large number of Lincoln relics. The car was bought from the Union Pacific by F. A. Snow, who is manager of the company conducting the Lincoln exhibit at the fair. The building erected by the company cost \$13,000, and will be one of the principal attractions of the St. Louis

NECROES DEMAND FAIR PLAY

Roosevelt-Webster Republican Club Says Race in Going Backward.

CALLS ON PARTY FOR MORE PATRONAGE

Wants Member in Legislature and Twenty Per Cent of Local Appointments-Commends President, but Criticises Congress.

The recently organized Roosevelt-Webster Colored Republican club has adopted resoutions declaring that members of the race are "making political progress backwards" in Douglas county and demanding of the party managers that a colored representative be sent to Lincoln next winter and that 20 per cent of the patronage of local office holders be bestowed upon the negro. The resolutions, copies of which have been sent to President Roosevelt, John Lee Webster and the republican elective office olders of Omaha, say:

holders of Omaha, say:

We view with alarm the local political conditions, which show that the negro is making political progress backward; that at the same per cent of decrease of public office holders among us continuing for six years will find us without a member of our race in any public office in this community, and, therefore, calling the attention of the party managers to this apparent local slight, demand that in the makeup of our next legislative delegation to Lincoin a representative of our race be given a place therein; that we be given by those in charge of the several departments of our local government 20 per cent of their patromage, and nothing less, and that the colored republican clubs of this community deport themselves politically in such manner as to enforce this paragraph of these resolutions.

The administration of President Roosevelt and the stand he has taken upon the race question are endorsed and the candidacy of Mr. Webster for the vice presidential commanded. The party as a whole is criticised, however, as

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That while it is our purpose and determination to do all in our power to make republican success an assured fact at the presidential and congressional elections in November next, still we feel it to be our duty to call attention to the fact that the party has not been sufficiently aggressive and active in an effort to enforce the war amendments to the tederal constitution.

As a result of this inactivity and apparent indifference on the part of the leaders of the republican party to the fate of those amendments, the southern democrats have come to the circlusion that they can with perfect safety nullify, ignore and completely disregard those amendments, which they are now doing.

We therefore call upon the republican party, not only of Nebraska, but of the nation, to take such action as will secure the enforcement in letter and in spirit of the war amendments to the federal constitution. To this end we urge the passage by congress without delay of some such bill or resolution as the one proposed by Congressman Dick of Ohio or Congressman Crumpacker of Indiana, providing for a thorough investigation of the constitution and laws of the different states relative to elections, with a view of taking whatever action may be deemed necessary to enforce and carry out the national constitution in letter and in spirit in every state in the union, or to reduce the representation in congress from such states as in the judgment of congress are determined to evade and nullify any one of said amendments.

Class legislation and "lawlessness in every form" are condemned and any dis-

Class legislation and "lawlessness in every form" are condemned and any discrimination whatever against the negro or other American citizens on account of race, color or religion" opposed in vigorous language. It is charged that some of the white republicans in several states are trylag to draw the color line in the republican party, and this is disapproved and an appeal made to check any such efforts.

Angelo Petrio, charged with disturbing FIGHT OVER CITY STREET Union Pacific and Columbus Air Their Dispute in United States Circuit Court.

street is asked in order that the plaintiffs may build a freight house across the property asked to be vacated, is being argued before Judge Munger in the United States circuit court. The interests of by Former Chief Justice J. J. Sullivan, W. M. Cornelius and J. B. Spires, attorneys and the case for the Union Pacific by Edson

The Union Pacific claims the street has been deeded to the company by the city and that it was long since abandoned for thoroughfare purposes, because of the number of tracks of the railroad com-pany crossing it. The attorneys for Columbus hold that the city had no right to deed the street in question to the railway company and that the ordinances creating such a deed or granting such authority was without right, authority or precedent, and was additionally invalid because it was not read the requisite number of times before passage and consequently any right guaranteed to the railroad company under

JOHN GRANT GETS CONTRACT

Secures Award from Board of Public Works to Build Artificial

John Grant secured the contract for constructing artificial stone sidewalks at a meeting of the Board of Public Works yesterday. He was the lowest bidder out of five, naming 14 cents per square foot. The contract for bick sidewalks was not let, as Yancey & Redman and J. S. Donaghue were very close together and it is desired to make examinations of the samples of brick bid upon. The former asked 10.7 cents for Coffeyville (Kan.) brick, which was the same price as quoted by Donaghue for the Lincoln product, while Yancey & Redman bid 10.35 cents for "Cotton" brick, this being the lowest price of all submitted, the thickness called for being two inches. There were five bidders on brick. Others competing were Hamel & Stanley, Mc-Williams Bros. and C. F. Haaman,

The low figures presented are a trifle less than those of 1903, no contracts being let in 1903. The amount of work to be done depends upon the walks left by property owners to the city to build.

IN MEMORY OF LEON N. LEVI B'nai B'rith Lodges Will Hold Special Observances Throughout the Country Sunday.

Next Sunday is to be observed throughout the country by lodges of the B'nal-B'rith in the memory of Leon N. Levi, late president of the Constitution grand lodge. Nebraska and William McKinley lodges of this city will hold a public meeting at Tomple Israel, at Twenty-fourth and Harney strets, which will be addressed by Hon. Israel Cowen of Chicago, who comes here especially for the purpose.

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Mortality Statsities.

The following births and deaths have been The following births and deaths have been reported during the twenty-four hours ending at neon Friday:

Births—William Leeds, 1328 South Tenth, boy; Carl Peterson, 1411 Jones, girl; Charles Knejacek, 1427 South Fourteenth, boy; Floyd Campbell, 858 Charles, girl; P. N. Tobin, 953 North Twenty-fifth avenue, girl;

Henry Slater, Fifth and Bancroft, boy; Mika Mavonec, 1234 South Fiftsenth, girl. Douths-Mrs. Sebina Hayden, 2834 Marcy, 48; Mrs. Mary Millard, St. Joseph's hos-pital, 46; Margare, Peterson, 3011 South Thirteenth, 62; Rosa Ramm, 423 Miami, 44;

MANDERSON VISITS PRESIDENT

Assures Him that Nebraska and the West is in Line to Stay.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Ex-Senator and Mrs. Manderson are at the Arlington, having come over from New York last night. Today Senator Manderson was one of the prominent callers at the White House and Incident to his talk with the president General Manderson had something to say about Nebraska politics. He told the president that the entire west was for him and that the entire east appears that way now, but certainly will be by the time voting commences.

Asked if Mr. Bryan's candidacy for the senate from Nebraska this fall would give the democrats any chance of carrying the state, General Manderson said: "There is naturally some state pride in Mr. Bryan, or was. I do not think, however, that in a presidential year he could carry the legislature. If he has any aspirations in that direction he ought to know that Nebraska is a republican state and will remain so even when his personality is involved." General and Mrs. Manderson will remain

in Washington for some little time and then go to Florida for a few weeks' rest. Senator Dolliver of Iowa left this mornng with a number of gentlemen for Grand Rapids, Mich., where the senator will tomorrow night deliver the principal speech in commemoration of Lincoln's hirthday

WATSON REFUSES TO ANSWER

Efforts of the Referee to Ascertain How He Acquired His Fortune Prove Unsuccessful,

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.-On the ground that t might incriminate him, James S. Waton, former president of the Porter Bros. Fruit company, today, when put on the stand before Referee in Bankruptcy Wean, refused to answer questions as to how he became possessed of \$1,000,000, which he is said to have deposited in various bank on his personal account.

Mr. Watson likewise refused to testify as to what became of the money and could not be drawn into testifying to anything which has not already come to light, In one instance Mr. Watson replied that he could not remember of an account of \$700,000 which he is said to have had with one of the Chicago banks. Frederick G. Ranney, treasurer of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway company, testified that he had no vouchers showing that the company had paid money to Watson. Mr. Ranney was instructed to make a further quest for vouchers and to appear at the hearing March 1.

HAVE NO TIME FOR CALLS Russian Naval Officers Ordered to Pro-

ceed East Without Further Formality or Ceremony.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 12.-Admiral Stairydioff, commander of the Russian Black sea fleet, has quietly left for the far east to take command of the Russian fleet there. Unattached naval officers in St. Petersburg and Kronstadt have been ordered to go east promptly without making farewell calls. Students in uniform and bareheaded

paraded in front of the Kazan cathedral and went to the winter palace. They were followed by several thousands of persons singing the national anthem. The assist-The case of the Union Pacific Railroad ant chief of police thanked the students Company against the City of Columbus, for their evidences of patriotism, but he requested them to no longer disturb the czar. The crowd then returned, singing, to the cathedral.

FEAR WAR IN THE BALKANS

Belief is Expressed that Turkey and Bulgaria Will Settle Old

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 12.-In diplomatic circles here the fear is increasing that Turkey and Bulgaria will take advantage of Russia's preoccupation in the far east to settle their differences.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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John Davis and wife to E. C. Clapp,
lot 4, e½ lot 5, block 5, Boggs &
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Isaac E. Congdon to Frederick H.
Davis, lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, block 9;
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