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Nebraska Democrats Think He Can Be Nominated if Bryan Will Only Be Reasonable in His

Demands.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 4 .- (Special.) -The Ne braska-South Dakota Boundary commission, appointed by the governors of the two states to settle the boundary dispute between the two states today filed its report with Governor Mickey. By the acreement between the three commissioners from South Dakota and the three appointed by Governor Mickey, Nebraska gets about 5,000 acres of what was former'y considsurvey and that state gots about 1,500 acres and known as the Pocket. This is mostly original soil, while that Nebraska gets is sand bar. The commissioners were Edward C. Ericson, S. H. Dickson and John colley for South Dakota, and C. J. Swanen, F. O. Robinson and E. A. Lundberg that they discovered that the Missouri river was gradually straightening its course, there being now one blg loop, where a few

Sullivan for Vice President.

The movement to make Ex-Chief Justice Bullivan of the supreme court a vice presidential candidate on the democratic ticket has reached such proportions that there is little doubt but the democratic state convention will endorse him and send a dele-

upon Mr. Bryan. If he will use his inituence to secure the nomination of Judge state, so it is reported in Lincoln, but who the prize. None of these doubt but Mr. sensor. Bryan will, have great fullurace in the convention, (though not enough to secure a

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is not likely that the democratic convention will endorse, relying on the republican convention to do that and then playing the field against their candidate. Consequently except the vice presidential endorsement and that more likely will be his.

Assessments on Telephones.

E. M. Morsman, attorney for the Nebraska Telephone company, came from Omaha this morning and talked to the Board of Equalization regarding that section of the revenue law which provides ered South Dakota land known as the Hall that the telephone company shall make report of its property to local assessors. of what was supposed to be Nebraska land Mr. Morsman desired that the board interpret local assessor to mean county as-

After deliberating over the matter most of the afternoon the board decided not to come around to Mr. Morsman's way of thinking, but that the company should not only make its return to the county assessor, but to the local or deputy assessor as well. It also gives the county assessor authority to use the report in instructing years ago there were three. It costs the his deputies. Should the assessor desire state \$1,000 for the report and it has to bo to do so under this ruling it is Lellevel that he could give the deputies returns ratified by the legislatures of the two from the report made to him. A member of the board, however, argued that the county assessor could use the report as a check on the company and on his

deputies It would mean considerable expense and much trouble to the company, Mr. Morsman argued, if the company had to make gation to the national convention to work asked for it. While if local assessor meant county assessor, then there would be only Friends of Judge Sullivan believe there is ninety returns to be made out. If it was splendid chance to secure him the honor, the other way, then probably 1,000 returns believing, however, that the action of the would have to be made. In any authornational convention will depend largely lzed taxing district like Omaha, Mr. Morsman raid, it was all right to make the returns to a deputy, but in a town like Sullivan there are few democrats in the Hastings where they have no authority taxing district, then the returns believe that the Columbus man will secure should be made only to the county as-

> Pay for Neigenfind Execution. At last the expensis incurred by the

ben paid. The money was taken from the penicentiary cash fund for the purpose and of the last proment made \$0 went to the amount allowed George Stryage, the Omaha specialist, received \$72.50. In all the Board or Public Lands and Buildings appropriated that if for this execution and the payments have been made in insamments from the penkentiary cash fund, the auditor having refused to audit the account. The original bill handed in by the warden was for \$200, but the board thought this excessive. Because of all the squabble in settling the account of Neigenfind's taking off the board adopted a resolution to pay in the future only \$150 for an execuion, the warden to receive that amount and pay the expenses. This was done in the Rhea case, and Stryker received \$73 for his part of the affair, though all of

the bill has not yet been paid. The penitentiary report shows that three risoners were released on parole. They Mack Spahr of Madison county, senenced to two and a half years for assault with Intent to kill; Frank Melster of Sarpy ounty, sentenced to three years for hog stealing, and Guy Goldsberry of Nemaha ounty, sentenced to two years for receiving stolen property. There were in the penitentiary March 1 2.7 prisoners, of who escaped while on parole, was brought Cheyenne.

SETTLE ON STATE BOUNDARY 16 to 1 plank in the platform) and they back at a cost of \$30 to the state. He was serving a five-year sentence for burglary.

An attempt to escape from the state pen-Bryan frills, then in turn the convention itentiary was made by John Berry, sen Nebraska-South Dakota Line Slightly will allow Mr. Bryan and the Nebraska tenced from Douglas county for robbery One Family is Imprisoned in the Second Shifted by Commission.

Shifted by Commission.

Story of Their Mome. prominent democrat remarked this morning shop Berry secreted himself under a pile that if Mr. Bryan would say the word of broom straw and waited a favorable op-BOOM SULLWAN FOR VICE PRESIDENT Judge Spilityan could secure the nomination, portunity to get away. He was discovered For a while democrats looked upon Judge by a guard, who hauled him back to his floating in the ice.

About 2:30 this afternoon the Christofferthis honor the judge declined, saying that guard if he ever got the opportunity and Large Number of Sheep in Feed Lots under no circumstances would he be a swore vociferously when he was located candidate. It is the opinion now that he in his retreat. He was fined sixty days will not be endorsed for senator because it good time and spent a day in the dungeon. He was sent up in 1902.

Tom Carr Located. Tom Carr, young in years, but rapidly getting old in criminal experience, wanted there is little else to give Judge Sullivan by the Lincoln police because they believe he had something to do with the holdups are under water. The damage alone may here last winter, is said to be in jail in be irge and cannot be determined until Ponca, Dixon county. Chief of Police Rout- the waters subside. The gorge in the river zahn received a letter from Dixon county today giving a description of the man he Omaha, having been caught in committing to the district cours. While the police were had been drowned at Nick Schreiner's place

> holdup. Since then he has had several ups and downs with the police. By a big foreign cocument filed this morning in probate court, bearing the seal of the American consulate at Hamburg. Germany, in brilliant red, three men are seeking through a family tree running back over 100 years to secure a portion of the estate of Carl Rhode, who died here in 1901, amounting to about \$5,000 and an eighty-acre form. The claimants are: Hans Bermeister, John Bermeister and Henrick Bermeister, all of Germany. They claim

pany and was not a bad boy. He was re-

arandmother of them all. Rhode died a pachelor and these are the estate. A claim of 2000 was made against the estate for his funeral expenses.

that the sister of Carl's mother was the

Many Farmers Moving. favored with good crops for several years. ate for the execution of Neighbind have one remer to get ahead, and he is conserecently going in search of a section where clirt is not so high. Another thing to be proved since last night and the water is considered is that with the county already boughs county for the scaffold and 100 is thickly rettled, the young farmers who it hard to get a footbold here,

Saunders County Convention WAHOO, Neb., March 4 .- (Special)-The aunders county republican central comsittee met in Wahre and made a call for the county convention for Friday, March 18, to select delegates for the state, congressional and senatorial conventions. It was decided to hold another convention in

Resolved. That we approve the action of the republican state central committee in recommending the nomination of a candidate for United States senator.

Resolved. That we are favorable to the candidacy of Hon. E. J. Burkett, believing him to be able and in every way qualified to represent Nebraska in the United States reseate. Moving Mail Cranes Back.

PAPILLION, Neb., March 4.-(Special.) The Union Pacific has a gang of men working here removing the mail crane further away from the track. It is said the company is taking this measure to avoid accidents by parsengers and employes getting struck while icaning out of the cars, whom eight were received during the Soveral have been killed in this manner. nonth. Charles Boyd of Douglas county, The cranes will be changed all the way to

Story of Their Mome.

and Some Cattle Drowned in the Overflow from the River.

FREMONT, Neb., March 4 .- (Special.)-The Platte river is still out of its banks on account of ice gorges and hundreds of acres east of this city is what has caused the damage. Last night the water rose very believed to be Carr. This young man first rapidly, spreading around the packing house came into prominence when arrested in and over the entire country to the southeast. It was reported here this morning burgiary, for which he was bound over that a big bunch of sheep, numbering 1,500 napping several citizens from Lincoln prevalled upon the district judge to release but later reports are that Schreiner will him because he had just been in bad com- lese only a few. His feed yards are in a leased and in less than ten days he was and rapidly filled with water and some low place southeast of the ranch buildings again arrested in Lincoln, charged with a floating ice. The men opened the yard and got the sheep out as rapidly as possible, but in the darkness and roaring ice and rounded by the overflow.

Culon Pacific tracks three miles east and rounded.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., March 3 .- (Special.)- and fully four miles from the river there painting of Christ bearing the cross. In firming. While this county has been eine between here and Omaha up to noon now. She had no insurance on her house. today since No. 12 last night and a serious the bigh price of land and consequent high washout is reported near Mercer. The comrate of rent made it difficult for the averapany is running it's trains into Omaha over the Northwestern. Here in the city the situation has im-

following resolution was adopted by the noon the water was going down and it is

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thought that the gorge west of the city and had formerly been in the employ of members. Its officers are as follows:

water was up to the first story windows. huge blocks were dashing against the build-

son family near the packing house, were removed to a splace of safety after several ineffectual attempts, in which a boat Munn, Nebraska City; G. D. Clark, Sarpy a narrow escape. Eeveral other houses are surrounded by the feating ice and the families are in great danger.

Schreiner found that about 1,600 had been carried off by the flood, his loss being and outbuildings have been carried away farm houses that cannot be reached.

SPIRITS PROVE NO PROTECTION. Fort Calhoun Brings to Light

a Peculiar Case. FORT CALHOUN, Neb., March 4 .- (Spowater it was a dangerous job. At daylight to the main building, where it made quick to zero during the night. At the home of the work was renewed. A good many sheep headway. Owing to the insufficient amount George M. Petty, in Mira Valley, the famsupposed to be floating around dead proved of water and the distance it had to be fly had been cleaning up and burning rubto be very much alive and the band was carried the building could not be saved, bish around the premises and when the driven to a higher place on an island sur- Mrs. Kirtzman was a spiritualist and wind came up suddenly from the north it About midnight the water reached the building burn. She claimed that no harm when No. 12 came along shortly after 2 of Blair came down this morning and took which was piled up on the ground. The o'clock the water was up to the rails and her up to Blair, where she will be tried fire escaped into the fields and burned over in several places over them. Fortunately tomorrow for insanity. She has lived all 160 acres of grass, with some stacks of hay. the ice did not reach up this far and the by herself for some time, allowing no one heavily loaded train ran for two miles with to come to the house. There was not a only relatives so far to appear to claim the the water spurting up against the cars. thing in the house to eat but a roll of Around Mercer everything is reported butter. She claimed the spirits allowed her flooded with the elevator entirely sur- nothing some days at all. She must have suffered for the very necessities of life. On the Lone Tree road, nine miles east Mrs. Kirtzman is the owner of the famous There is quite an exodus of furmers from is a current of water setting north from is claimed to be the painting of Michaelthis rection this week, owing to the ar- the Platte and reaching in the ditches well angelo. The painting is a grand one. She rival of the month of March. Those who up towards the tracks of the Northwestern, has been offered large sums for it, but the are leaving the county investably make for it would take little more water to endanger can give no clear title to it. The family the vestern part of the state, where it is the Northwestern bridge at Arilington. No brought it here from Europe with them their belief there can be more successful trains have been run over the Union Pa- The picture is deposited in the bank vault

Congregational Conference. CRETE, Neb., March 4 .- (Special.) -- Con gregational ministers and laymen from this portion of the state are holding a twodays' evangelistic conference in this city. The number of delegates present yesterday | today going down. The highest point was over was small, owing to the extreme lateness a foot below that of last year and the of the trains. The opening session was Designs county for the scannon and start out for themselves find damage will be light. The streets ranning held yesterday afternoon and consisted of east and west in the lower part of the a devotional hour, the opening address by town south of the tracks were graded last Rev. H. Bross, and five-minute reports nummer and carried off the water much from the various churches represented faster than they did last season. No ice At 7:30 in the evening a praise and de to speak of passed through the city, but votional service was held, led by Rev near Englewood there was pienty of it. A. E. Ricker. As Evangelist Milford H. That suburb lays on higher ground and es- Lyon, who was to have made the princi caped injury. A good sized stream flows pal address of the evening, had falled to north of the north end of the bridge. The arrive from Chicago, Rev. J. E. Tuttle of the fall to nominate a county ticket. The bridge itself it not in imminent danger. At Lincoln was called upon to take his place Rev. Lyon arrived just at the close of the service and being called upon to deliver a message to the conference, pleaded carn estly for all to become "personal evangel-

Takes Carbolle Acid. FREMONT, Neb., March 4.—(Special Telegram.)—Douglas W. Edwards committed suicide by taking carbolic acid in an empty freight car in the Northwestern yards this afternoon. About I o'clock the clerks in the freight depot were startled by loud cries coming from a freight car and several went over to investigate. They found Edwards writhing in agony on the floor, clutching at some hay which lay in Medical aid was summoned, but he only lived a few minutes. On the floor of the car was a small bottle containing carbolic acid. Edwards was a teamster

Fixing Long-Distance Rates. PLATTSMOUTH, March 4 .- (Special.) At a meeting in the office of the Platts- Jury Does Not Accept Theory that mouth Telephone company in this city the toll line committee, consisting of A. M. Fairbury; J. M. Bell, York; J. E. Adamson, long-distance service was adopted and an farms, and a good many hogs reported lost of men at work stringing a No. 10 copper

> company by April 1. Fire Gets Beyond Control.

NORTH LOUP, Neb ... March 4 .- (Special.) -Wednesday of this week was the worst day seen in this valley for years. The wind blew a gale from the north, raising cial.)-Fire broke out on the roof of the such clouds of dust that nothing could be home of Mrs. Theo. Kirtzman. It caught seen a few rods away. During the twentyfrom a defective flue or chimney. Lefore four hours of its duration the temperature water could be secured the fire had spread | fell from about 60 degrees in the morning claimed that the spirits would not let the swept the fire into their cattle sheds and outbuildings, completely destroying them, could ever come to her. Sheriff Minckey with several hundred bushels of corn,

Young Man Commits Suicide. FAIRBURY, Neb., March 4.-(Special Telegram.)-Ed Burbridge swallowed dose of carbolic acid this afternoon and dled in twenty minutes after. He was only a few months. Besides his wife he leaves a mother, two brothers and a sister, all residing in Fairbury. As far as known his domestic relations were all pleasant and no cause is known for his act.

Arrested for Assault. RED CLOUD, Neb., March 4 -(Special) -James Jensen, formerly of this place, was arrested at Blair yesterday for assaulting and striking Representative F. A. Sweezy this place a short time ago. Sheriff

Organize Eastern Star Lodge. GENEVA. Neb., March 4 .- (Special.)been organized here, having twenty-five tower,

near Ivar Johnson's place had partly Wallace Wilson, but had been idle for a ron, Mrs. R. A. Matteson; patron, Dr. broken.

Week or ten days. He leaves a widow and H. L. Smith; assistant matron, Mrs. G. At noon today the water east of town two children, the youngest only a few B. Roberts; secretary, Miss Lottle Rogers; was rising again. At Chris Christoffer- weeks old. His wife is very low and may treasurer, Mrs. P. Youngers; conductor, son's place near the packing house the not recover. Despondency is supposed to Miss Maude Steven; assistant conductor, Mrs. Laura V. Donisthorpe

VERDICT AGAINST THE WOODMEN.

Man is Not Dead. DAVENPORT, Neb., March 4 .- (Special Telegram.)-The jury that tried the case was smashed and the rescuing party had county; W. D. Christ, Fremont; J. C. of Mrs. Fannie V. Paine against the Wood-Kliarney, Auburn; A. E. Ganatt, Fals men of the World, declined to endorse the City; T. H. Ewing, Lincoln; E. C. Hanson, claim of the order that it was the victim of a plot, and awarded Mrs. Paine \$2,870, After rounding up his sheep. Nick Broken Bow; T. E. Parmele and T. H. Poi- or the full face of her husband's policy lock. Platismouth, the matter of rates for and interest since the day he is alleged to have committed suicide at Madison, Wis., about \$8,500. Those that were saved he expert electrician was engaged to install in 1896. The order produced witnesses from shipped to market today. Sheds, fences uniform toll line apparatus on all connect- several parts of the country claiming Paine ing lines in the state. The Piattsmouth had been talked with by them since his at the H. J. Lee, Schmidt and Garrick Telephone company now has a large gang alleged suicide. But it did not produce Paine, and the jury evidently concluded it at each of these places. The condition is metallic circuit directly into Lincoln and was a case of mistaken identity. Anyhow, very serious, as there are some will connect with the Lincoln independent it stood by the widow and gave her all she ued for. The verdict was opened in the district court this morning and closed a

sensational trial that had lasted a week. Sarpy County Mortgages. PAPILLION, Neb., March 4 .- (Special.) Following is a list of mortgages filed ind released during the month of Febrary, 1904: Farm mortgages filed, ten, amount, \$13,790; released, six, amount, \$11. 805. Town mortgages filed, two, amount, \$1,190; released, three, amount, \$550. Chattel mortgages filed, twenty-eight, amount,

\$11,445; released, nineteen, amount, \$4,741. In a Class All Alone.

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FAIRBANKS SAYS NOTHING

Declines to Make Statement in Regard to His Vice Presidential Candidacy.

WASHINGTON, March 4 .- Senator Fairbanks was shown a published dispatch stating that he had decided to become a candidate for vice president. He declined to make any statement.

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Train Catches Velocipede. PAPILLION, Neb., March 4 -- (Special.)

-Yesterday morning while the night man McArthur arrived home with the man at the Portal semaphore was riding on a this morning and he will have his, hearing railroad velocipede he was run into by a fast freight on the Union Pacific. jumped off and escaped without injury, but the car was smashed, parts of it A chapter of the Eastern Star, No. 28, has passing entirely through the side of the

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