BIG FUND FOR THE SCHOOLS

Seven and a Half Millions Permanent Funds in Hands of the Treasurer.

MOST ALL STATE WARRANTS IN THIS FUND

A. E. Ward of Hartington Stated for Position of Secretary to Congressman-Elect Boyd of Third

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 11 .- (Special.) - The state of Nebreska has \$7,458,716.57 of trust funds invested in interest bearing securities. The biennial report of Auditor Searle shows the funds to be invested as follows:

 Permanent school
 \$6,787,243.50

 Permanent university
 166,060.00

 Agricultural college endowment
 433,471.31

 Normal endowment
 71,941.46

. \$7,435,716.57 The permanent school fund investment includes \$1,584,835.69 of state general fund warrants. The total amount of these four funds invested in general fund state warrants is \$1,761,317.65. As the total outstanding indebtedness of the state consists of \$1,916.671.31 in the form of state warrants, It is shown that the state is the owner of 92 per cent of its debt. Some of these warrants will soon be purchased by the state and it is estimated that all but 5 per cent of the outstanding warrants are held by the state as an "Investment." The state is thus placed in the attitude of paying interest to itself on its own debt. The only advantage gained by owning the out- ginning at 9 o'clock. standing warrants is that the interest goes to the support of the public schools, being apportioned semi-annually to the various counties and then to the school districts.

Ward to Be Boyd's Secretary, A. E. Ward, now in the office of the state superintendent, occupying the position of vice president of the teachers' examining

committee, is to be Congressman-elect Boyd's private secretary. He resigned his place during the campaign to act as Judge Boyd's committee chairman. Mr. Ward may not take the secretaryship until spring. He may begin work about the first of the year as bookkeeper in the office of Land Commissioner H. M. Eaton,

Lumber Hearing Adjourned. Judge A. M. Post adjourned the hearing president; E. C. Krewson of Elm Creek, in the suit of the state against the Lumber Dealers' association until February 25. In the meantime depositions of witnesses to prices of lumber and division of terri- ation, was present at the meeting. tory by dealers has not yet been introduced.

Secretary Aska for New Law. In his blennial report Secretary of State Galusha recommends that cash funds of This morning at 9:30 o'clock Dr. Torrey deof supplies for the legislature instead of being restricted to the purchase of \$1,000 in advance of the meeting of the legislature. In regard to the cash fund of insti-



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menth, said funds to be known as a special fund for the institution creating the same, this fund to be paid out by warrant drawn by the auditor from the state treasury after the vouchers have been allowed and properly signed by the Board of Public Lands and Buildings. At the present time there is no law allowing such funds to be created and no authority ever given by the state board.

While these funds may have been honestly expended for the best interest of the state, the system is wrong for the reason that the money is expended without the approval of the board and the only knowledge that the Board of Public Lands and Buildings has of the transaction is the report to them by the superintendents after the money has been paid out. It also leads to the purchase of merchandise and improvements in many cases without competition, and there is no good business reason when the farm produce is sold the receipts therefor should not be turned into the state treasury and credited to this special fund for the use of that institution only. The reason I advocate giving to the several institutions an amount not to exceed \$100, to be known as a cash fund, is to meet the emergencies that arise that would inconvenience the several superintendents in have to file vouchers before these emergencies could be adjusted.

The secretary of state says the greatest

The secretary of state says the greatest leak is caused by the law which compels the purchase of supplies for each institution separately. He believes the state should have a state buyer, establish a warehouse at some central place, ship goods to this point and distribute them to the institutions, buying all goods at wholesale instead of under the present plan. Bids for the same, article vary at different nstitutions. He believes many thousands of dollars would be saved annually by

change. Rhodes Scholarship Examinations. The next qualifying examination for the cholarships awarded under the Rhodes bequest has been fixed for January 17 and 18, 1907, at the University of Nebraska, be

CONVENTION OF TELEPHONE MEN Independents to Issue State Directory

of Subscribers. KEARNEY, Dec. II .- (Special Telegram.) -Officers were elected, the proposition of issuing a state directory approved and other business transacted at the meeting of the District Association of Independent Telephone Companies held in this city yesterday. There were one or two delegates present from each company in the district which comprises the towns of Kearney, Shelton, Grand Island, Hastings, Kene saw and Elm Creek. The officers elected were: Dr. J. H. Lyman of Hastings, president; Fred Ashton of Grand Island, vice

secretary and treasurer. The matter of issuing a state directory centaining the names of all the independent living in other states, including wholesale telephone subscribers in the state, was dealers, will be taken. At the hearing in taken up and given favorable consideration February it is intended to complete the The matter had already been decided by testimony and close the case. The hearing the other districts of the state and the has thus far not been marked by any action of this meeting now makes the issue sensational testimony, but it is intimated of a directory a certainty. It will be that the lid may be lifted a little when the published shortly after New Years and state calls its witnesses. Testimony deal- will contain 50,000 names. R. E. Mattison ing with the alleged conspiracy in regard of Lincoln, secretary of the state associ-

Dr. Torrey at Bellevue College. BELLEVIIE, Neb., Dec. 11 .- (Special.)the various state institutions be turned livered a fine address to the students and into the state treasury; that a change be friends of Believue college in the college into the state treasury; that a change be made in the law to permit the state to purchase supplies in bulk for all the institutions instead of buying separately for tutions instead of buying separately for being Dr. Jenks and Dr. Hunter. Mr. each institution; that the state insure its Butler was to have been present, but owing outbuildings at state institutions, and that to sickness was detained. Dr. Wadsworth the state be permitted to buy \$3,500 worth opened the services with a short prayer intions he says:

I would call the attention of the legislature to the enactment of a law compelling who called the Lord their absolute Massive to the several instituture to the several institute to the several institute who called the Lord their absolute Massive to the several institute to the several institute to the several institute the sever ture to the enactment of a law compelling the superintendents of the several institutions to deposit all funds of every description that come into their hands during their term of office with the state treasurer in excess of \$100 on the first of every enthusiasm and no doubt will be productive of much good. It served as an inspiration to the student body to keep strong faith in the Lord. A number of trial, the case went to the jury tonight. the students have been in regular attendance at the Omaha meetings, and this corning's addres proved a climax to their forts to do their small part in helping others.

current today that Superintendent Cornelius L. Baton of the McCook division has tendered his resignation of this important position to the management of the road. The resignation was placed by NEBRASKA CITY—Five years' imprisonment in the state penitentiary was the sentence, this afternoon, that Judge Paul Jessen passed upon Eli Mitchell; the negro who was recently convicted by a jury of a crime against nature. the road. The resignation was placed before the management last Saturday, and is
to go into effect with the close of this
month. Superintendent Eaton has been a
veritable glutton for work during his incumbency of this strenuous position, but, tiring of the impossible situation, has cut the gordian knot with one fell blow. Who his successor will be does not enter into local imagination at this time. Whoever he may be he will have a job on his hands of the utmost strenuceity. of the utmost strenuosity.

Unfortunate Crete Family. CRETE, Neb., Dec. 11.-(Special.)-This community was deeply saddened Sunday by the death of Gertrude, second daughter of our postmaster, H. M. Wells. The cause of her death was consumption, from which she had suffered for about nine months. This is the third death in Mr. Wells' family from the same disease, all occurring within two years' time. Harian, the eldest son, died in March, last year. Mary, the eldest daughter, pased away in the fall of the same year, and now Gertrude, at the age of 21, is called. It is a hard blow to Mr. Wells, who, with his son, Conrad,

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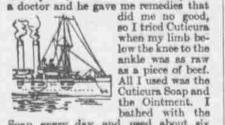
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Scap every day and used about six or seven boxes of Ointment. I was thoroughly cured of the humor in three weeks and haven't been affected with since. I use no other Soap than Cuticura now. I remain, yours respect-fully, H. J. Myers, U. S. N., U. S. S. Newark, New York, July 8, 1905. "P. S. Publish if you wish."

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ting by that action that they were ready to show their faith by doing personal work.

The short meeting abounded with much bruised and scratched considerably.

NEBRASKA CITY-Mrs. Effic Hershey, wife of H. E. Hershey, died last night at her home on South Sixth street or lung trouble. Deceased was aged 20 years and is survived by her husband and three citi-

Superintendent Eaton Resigns.

M'COOK, Neb., Dec. 11.—(Special.)—Local railroad circles are not a little perturbed by the news which has become

HERMAN-This village has bought some new steel cages, which will be put in the town hall and used as a jail. The old jail building had become so delapidated that it was impossible to keep a man in it. The marshal expects now to be able to take care of all the drunks.

NEBRASKA CITY-Mr. Olin N. Overton and Miss Octavia Burnett were united in

and Miss Octavia Burnett were united in marriage at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Burnett, two miles south of this city. Rev. C. A. Masten of the Methodist Episcopal church performed the ceremony.

celebrated Sunday with special serv-conducted by Bishop Williams of ahs. Covers were had for sixly guests the tonsimuster for the evening was B.

And the toastmaster for the evening was H. H. Begale.

BEATRICE—Dr. Brash, a member of the State Board of Health, made a trip to Cortland, Sunday, to investigate the report that smallpox was prevalent in that town. He found Harry Tweedy, editor of the Sun at that place, was afflicted with the disease and promptly quarantined his rooms. The papers of last week's issue, which had not been malled, were destroyed.

GREELEY—The United States marshal today served County Treasurer O'Malley with notice of injuction suit filed in the United States court enjoining him from in any way interfering with the property of the Burlington railroad until a hearing may be had in said court, the intention of the order being to restrain all action under section in of chapter 73, session laws of 1906.

HERMAN—E. J. Burke, postmaster at Bancroft, stopped off at Herman last night for a short visit with relatives. He says he has bid on several quarter sections of land in the big pasture in Okiahoma, and if he succeeds in landing any of it will have to resign his position at Bancroft and move to Okiahoma. He is only one among eleven at Bancroft who are figuring on setting some of your Uncle Samuel's good land.

PLATTEMOUTH-United States Marshal W. P. Warner of Omaha was in this city yesterday and served notice on County Treasurer W. P. Wheeler as follows: "You. Treasurer W. P. Wheeler as follows: "You, as county treasurer of Case county, are notified that Judge Munger of the United States circuit court has issued an order restraining you from in any manner attempting to collect from the Burtington Rallroad company, its agents or representatives in your county, the taxes levied against said rallroad company in your county."

TAFT ON WAR DEPARTMENT

Secretary Tells of Work Done by Soldiers During the Year.

BROWNSVILLE AFFAIR AND EARTHQUAKE

Effective Force of Army Not as Large as it Was at Time of Last Annual Report.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.-Secretary Taft today hands the president his annual report. The two principal topics of which it treats are the San Francisco earthquake and the discharge of negro troops. The secretary enters at length upon the work of the War department through Generals Greely and Funston, giving the facts made public at the time.

On the Brownsville affair the secretary incorporates in a cursory manner the reports of inspectors, and his remarks thereon are practically identical with his recent remarks on the subject.

The secretary says in part:

On the 5th of December, 1905, the date of the last annual report, the army of the United States, according to the latest reports which had been received from the military departments (October 15, 1806), consisted of 3,750 officers and 56,051 enlisted men, a total of 59,814. In addition there were in the service 3,059 men of the Hospital corps, excluded by the act of March 1, 1887, from classification as part of the enlisted force of the army. There were also in the service twenty-five officers and 562 men of the Porto Rico regiment and 115 officers and 5,059 enlisted men of the Philippine scouts.

At the date of the last reports received from the military departments (October 15, 1906) the actual strength of the regular army was 3,709 officers and 54,659 enlisted men. The secretary says in part:

Enlisted Men. Enlisted Men.

The total number of enlistments in the army during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1906 (exclusive of the Hospital corps and Philippine scouts), was 24,683. Of this number 5,549 were re-enlistments and 15,224 were original enlistments. The percentage of native born among the original enlistments was eighty-nine. The corresponding figures of the preceding fiscal year (1905) are as follows: Total enlistments, 33,739, of which 13,329 were re-enlistments and 20,410 were original enlistments.

Of the 34,083 accepted applicants, 21,303 were native born, 2,683 were of foreign the 34,083 accepted applicants, 21,308 in native born, 2,683 were of foreign fourteen were indians, thirteen were in the Philippine islands (enlisted for musicians), and seventy were born in

some, healthy scalp when all else fails.
Complete external and internal treatment for every humor, from pimples to scrofula, from infancy to age, consisting of Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills, may now be had of all druggists for one dollar. A single set is often sufficient to cure the most distressing cases.

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ville affair and the relief of San Francisco. Other remarks are:

Except for the Brownsville incident, the discipline of the army has been upon the whole good, but there is one important particular which calls for improvement. The whole good, but there is one important particular which calls for improvement. The number of cases referred to the minor courts for trial is far in excess of the disciplinary needs of the scrvice. The report of the judge advocate general shows that the number of cases tried by the summary courts during the year was but slightly less than during the preceding year, when there were \$1,329 trials.

It is believed that a strict observance of the requirements of the regulations in this matter and a thorough exercise of the jurisdiction granted post and company officers would bring about a substantial diminution in the number of summary court trials, reduce confinements, lessen forfeitures and result generally in a corresponding advantage to the discipline of the military service. The necessary instructions have been given according.

Health and Mortality.

That there has been a steady and progressive improvement in the health of the army is shown in the statistics for the

For the American army proper, white and For the American army proper, white and colored, the total number of admissions to sick report was 73,742, equal to an admission rate of 1,125,97, compared with 1,354.89 for the previous year and 1,933.31 for the sexennial period 1838 to 1903.

The discharges for disability were 1,454 and the rate 25, as compared with 22.90 for the preceding year and 23.10 for the sexennial period 1838 to 1903. The increase in the discharge for disability figure is easily accounted for by a temporary change (since discontinued) in the system of recruiting.

The constantly noneffective rate was 48.33, compared with 49.89 for the preceding year, Encampment of Army and Militia. The past year has been one of great activity for the army in the earnest and persistent training that has been had in the different exercises calculated to instruct and prepare the soldier in time of peace for his actual duties in war. There have

L. O. Burnett, two miles south of this city. Rev. C. A. Masten of the Methodist Episcopal church performed the ceremony.

COLCMEUS—They say that they have not formed a trust, but then every livery, man of this city met and decided that the public will have to pay a certain price, at much higher than they have paid here's fore, or else they can go on foot, and every one of the six liverymen in the business signed the agreement.

BEATRICE—Work upon the new parsonage, schoolhouse and clubhouse to be built here by St. Joseph's Catholic church will be commenced in the spring for a new church. Father Petrasch says he expects to build up a large Catholic school here, having an attendance of 500 children.

BEATRICE—An anniversary dinner was given last evening at the Paddock hotel in honor of Rev. W. A. Mullisans whose tenth anniversary as rector of Christ church was celebrated Sunday with special services conducted by Bishop Williams of Omnas. Covers were laid to match of this city and prepare the soldier in time of peace for his actual duties in war. There have been weekly practice marches of not less than twelve miles for foot troops and eighteen miles for mounted troops, and during the past year on season a monthly march of instruction covering three consecutive days and requiring two camps.

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The principal difference between the eld are training and the new system insurant during the past year consists in the frequency of practice marches of not troops and erginters of requiring two camps.

The principal difference between the eld structure of the last wars to keep both men and animals in fit condition for active service at any time. There has been some difference of opinion regarding the efficacy of the new system particularly with reference to the mar

equipment, but, upon the whole, it has met with approval.

All the work incident to the formation, meintenance and discontinuance of the camps was done by officers and enlisted men, each officer doing, so far as practicable, the duties of the staff corps or arm of service to which he belonged.

The aggregate number of officers and men of the regular army and militia combined assembled at these camps was nearly 53 000, there being a little more than 20,000 from the regular army and nearly 30,000 from the militia.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.-The president today sent to the senate the following

nominations: Commissioner of Corporations—Herbert Knox Smith, Connecticut. Captain on Active List to Be Rear Ad-niral on Retired List—Franklin J. Drake. Postmaster—Alaska: R. R. Hubbard.

Obscure Ailments

are often caused by the coffee habit. 10 days use of

will clear up many a case. "There's a Reason"

Oriental Rugs for Christmas

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\$22.50 Beloochistan, 2-10x4-6, for...... \$21.00 Daghestan, 3-7x5-6, for..... \$30.00 Daghestan, 3-9x4-10, for \$25.00 Daghestan, 3-6x5-4, for \$22.00 Daghestan, 3-5x4-10, for...... \$50.00 Shirvan (fine), 3-9x5-4, for........ \$30.00 Shirvan, 3-5x5, for \$30.00 Shirvan, 3-8x5-3, for \$40.00 Shirvan, 3-5x5-2, for \$90.00 Persian Hall Runner, 3-6x11-4, for \$50.00 Kazak, 4-8x6x9, for \$54.00 Kasak, 4-7x7, for

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Douglas, Colorado: D. W. Stone, Trinidad; W. A. Martin, Mancos, Illinois: J. A. Lauder, Carterville; J. O. Burton, Dahlgren; C. S. Randolph, Ipava; J. S. Courtwright, Normai, Iowa: S. F. Myers, Anita; S. G. Goldthwaite, Boone; A. J. Weeks, Correctionville; W. G. Ray, Grinnell; J. C. Dinwiddie, Marengo; A. F. Morse, Newell, Kansas: H. Cavaness, Chanute; J. B. Callen, Junction City, Missouri: A. J. Siebert, St. Geneiveve.

PRESIDENT IS CONGRATULATED

King Hankon and Baron d'Estournelle Send Messages on Nobel Prize Winning.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 .- The following cablegram of congratulation on receiving the Nobel prize has come from King Haakon of Norway and Baron d'Estour nelle at Paris:

nelle at Paris:
Sandringham, Dec. 10, 1906.—President
Roosevelt: My most heartfelt congratulations on your receiving the Nobel prize,
thankon,
Paris, Dec. 11.—President Roosevelt PARIS, Dec. 11.—President Roosevelt Washington: Heartfelt congratulations My wish is realized (Signed) D'Estour-

STEAMER LINE HAD ADVANTAGE Railroads Want Power to Meet Sudden

Sudden Tariffs in Mexico. WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 .- At a conference today between railroad and steamboat representatives and members of the Interstate Commerce commission the question was raised as to whether steamship lines taking freight from a point in the United States to a point in adjacent foreign country, to be transported to an interior point, having so, I have agreed to make settlement with a joint arrangement with a railroad, is the state of Kansas on the basis of \$3,381.25. The secretary then refers to the Browns- subject to the interstate commerce law reoutring them to give thirty days' notice before publishing a direct tariff by way of this route.

Specific incidents were cited in the case of the Pacific Coast Steamship company carrying merchandise from San Francisco o Victoria, B. C., thence by way of the Canadian Pacific to ports in that country, and on freight shipped to Mexico.

J. C. Stubbs of the Union Pacific company said the Ward Steamship line carried freight from Mexican ports by way of Tampico and the Mexican National railway prevented successful competition because it can change its tariffs in twentyfour hours' notice and the railroads of this country delivering goods to the Mexican border must give thirty days' notice. He said the railway lines wished to be placed on an equal footing with the steamship lines in competition in this business. It was announced that the Canadian Pacific railroad has volunteered to have its

Amending Shipping Bill. WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.-Representative Grosvernor, chairman of the house committee on merchant marine and fisheries, engaged on a proposed amendment to the Gallinger ship subsidy bill designed to grant assistance only to Oriental and South American lines. He said today that he expects to have the amended bill ready for the consideration of his committee at its meeting next Thursday.

tariffs via steamship lines filed with the

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER Fair in Nebraska Today and Tomor-

rpw, Colder Tomorrow-Warmer in Iowa Today. WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 .- Forecast of the eather for Wednesday and Thursday;

For Nebraska and Kansas-Fair Wednesday; Thursday, colder. For Missouri-Fair Wednesday; warmer n east portions; Thursday, partly cloudy.

For Iowa-Fair and warmer Wednesday: Thursday, partly cloudy. For South Dakota-Fair Wednesday, except snow or rain, and colder in west por-

ion; Thursday, fair, colder. For Wyoming-Rain Wednesday; colder in northwest portion; Thursday, snow or rain and colder. For Colorado-Fair Wednesday; warmer

in southeast portion; Thursday, rain, with colder in north portion. Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU.
OMAHA, Dec. 11.—Official record of temperature and precipitation, compared with
the corresponding day of the last three
years:
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Maximum temperature... 25 54 28 33
Minimum temperature... 22 33 17 17 Temperature and precipitation departures rom the normal at Omaha since March L nd comparisons with the last two years:

include since March 1. diciency for cor. pariod, 1936. diciency for cor. period, 1904. Reports from Stations at 7 P. M. Temp. Max. Rain-at 7 p. m. Temp. fall Station and State of Weather.

Blamarck, clear
Cheyonne, cloudy
Chicago, cloudy
Davenport, clear
Denver, partly cloudy.
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Helena, cloudy
Huron, cloudy Huron, cloudy
Huron, cloudy
Kanssa City, clear
North Piatte, cloudy
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St. Leuis, clear
St. Paul, cloudy
Salt Lake City, cloud
Valentine, cloudy

Salt Lake City, c Valentine, cloudy Williston, clear

Former Tressurer of Kansas Refunds Money Found Due State.

COUPONS WERE CLIPPED FROM BONDS

In Making Payment Grimes Says He Does it to Protect State, Although He Never Received Cash.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 11.-E. A. Grimes, ex-state treasurer, here today voluntarily paid to the state of Kansas the sum of 19,381, for which amount an investigating committee some time ugo held his adminstration responsible. The alleged shortage was never considered in the light of a defalcation in any sense of the word and resulted from a practice that had been the rule in the state treasurer's office for many years before and after Mr. Grimes assumed the office. The investigation showed conclusively that Mr. Grimes was not bene itted in any way through this practice. Therefore in making a payment to the state now of the amount involved he has issumed a responsibility at a personal loss o himself. Mr. Grimes' action closes a ase that had become famous.

Mr. Grimes said today: "In order to avoid a long drawn out suit, and feeling under a moral obligation to do It is the judgment of the attorney general that this is the amount for which my administration as state treasurer should be held responsible.

Claims He Overpays. "I said last January, when the report of Haskins and Sells, the accountants, was feel as though I should have been given, lungs and clogging the bowels. the benefit of several items by the attorney general which would have lessened th amount considerably. I had no knowledge of any loss at the expiration of my tern of office, but the state shall not suffer any, even if I am in nowise to biame for it. if the system is constipated, fermentation Many of the apparent shortages were brokers to detach coupons from bonds burn and painful breathing. sold to the state, and there is no complete record of the bonds sold during that time. have letters from bond brokers stating that they legitimately received the clippings of certain coupons for the sale of bonds ing but digestives. They are not a madito the state, some of which I am now cine. They work when the stomach will compelled to pay, although they were never not.

charged against the treasurer or were never in the treasurer's office. have been the victim of circumstances because of the carelessness, mistakes and being honest and have the confidence of and Canada. my friends and the people than any amount of money."

Umbrellas-Copley, jeweler, 215 S. 16th.

County Supervisors' Convention. KEARNET, Neb., Dec. II .- (Special Telegram.)-Delegates to the twelfth annual neeting of the State Association of County | ing. A free trial package will be sent to Supervisors and County Commissioners began to arrive this morning and it is ex- size packages are for sale at your drugpected that there will be a well attended gist's. F. A. Stuart Co., 67 Stuart Buildmeeting here. President P. J. Kennedy ing, Marshall, Mich.

Exeter were among the early arrivals. The irst meeting will be held this evening.

Husband and Wife Settle. BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 11.—(Special Telegram.)—Charles Scrivners was acquitted of the charge of wife desertion in Judge Walker's court today. Scrivners and his wife settled their differences after Scrivners' release and left for Nebraska City, where they may locate.

NOVELTIES-Frenzer, 15th and Dodge.

Switchmen Join Federation. NEW YORK, Dec. 11.-The New York agents of the American Federation of Lapor reported yesterday that on the application of the Switchmen's Union of North America it has issued a charter to that body. It is the first of the national railroad organizations to become affiliated with the Federation. It has few members on the eastern railroads. Its principal strength is in the south and west.

Strength Comes

Not From What You Eat, But From What You Digest.

Most people eat most foods without discrimination-it matters little what, Few stop to think what that food does for them. This is the first turn on the road to dyspepsia. Reckless disregard of the proper choice of foods, rapid eating and improper mastication, are the unquestioned causes of all stomach disorders from the slight ache to the malignant cancer.

There is nothing more revolting than a dyspeptic stomach—a very vat for putrefaction, sending forth its poison throughout the entire system, depressing the brain, befouling the breath, souring the taste, deadening the muscles, incapacmade public, that there was about \$7,000 litating the liver and kidneys for their which appeared to be unaccounted for. I work, debilitating the heart, choking the

All of these disagreeable and dangerous conditions are due to the improper digestion of food and the consequent usaimilation of poison. What else can be expected? If the food lies in the stomach, is the natural outcome. It shows itself caused by the practice of allowing bond in sour watery risings, beichings, heart-

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