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THE OPENING SESSION.

The Illinois legislature began its 90 y session at noon on Wednesday. ecretary of State Rose read the list members elect in the house, and ter prayer by Rev. Francis J. Irving Chief Justice Boggs of the Illinois Sufreme Court administered the oath to the 153 representatives—eighty-one Republicans and seventy-two Democrats who stood at their desks and swore, among other things, to accept no bribes during their term of office. The temporary organization was effected by the election of Representative George C. Rankin as temporary speaker, and then the permanent organization followed. There were several speeches made in nominating Judge Sherman for speaker by the Republicans, while the Democrats paid the same compliment to the minority candidate, F. J. Sulli-Speaker Sherman received the Republican support and of course defeated Mr. Sullivan in the mock con-

a call of the roll showed a quorum resent and a committee waited Governor Tanner to notify him that the house was ready for business and would receive any message the executive might send in.

Senate Has Short Session. The senate got under way in short order, for it did not have to go through the process of effecting a temporary organization. The new members were sworn in by Chief Justice Boggs. Lieut-Gov. Northcott made a little sech, and the senators drew for seats and the governor's message was read. No committees were drawn up and the senators were eating their dinners long before the house adjourned for the day.

Gov. Tanner's Message. Governor Tanner's farewell message was transmitted, but according to custom was not officially read, both houses ordering copies printed so the members can study it at leisure. The governor lays considerable emphasis on the fisancial condition of the state, citing figures to show that whereas he inherited a deficit of about \$2,000,000, he will turn over the reins of government to Richard Yates with an estimated surplus of \$2,500,000 at the close of the cal year July 1. Tanner's message stee that the two legislatures of 1897 and 1899 made appropriations amounting to \$23,000,000, as compared with \$19,000,000 appropriated by the two

egislatures of 1893 and 1895. Recented Expenditures. By way of explaining the increased expenditure attention is called to the fact that the state has grown materialby the last four years, and its needs have multiplied. Besides, new state institutions normal schools, asylums and boards of various sorts were begun during the Altgeld administration which have been constructed and mainained under the Tanner regime. The retiring governor's message contends that the affairs of the state have been Il handled since 1897, the only seria blot on the financial page being that recording the history of the new Peorla asylum, which, it will be remembered, was first built on the site of an abandoned coal mine. Governor Tanner dismissed the board of trustees responsible for this blunder and ecommended their indictment by the grand fury.

the Interest to Farmers.

edations relative to the prevention f using cows affleted with tuberculowhich will be of interest to the farming communities of the state. A rather peculiar circumstance directed the governor's attention to this subject. He was borrifled one day to learn that Il the cows in the dairy which suptes the executive mansion with milk ere so infected with the disease that ay had to be slaughtered, and since discovery the governor has enter-d decided opinions on the ques-His message recommends strin-regulations in this connection and ement of the owner of all ttle killed by order of the authori-

In this matter the retiring governor akes the side of the stock raiser whose animals respond to the test and herefore must be killed. It has been he custom of the live stock board to ay only a part of what the animal was routh, it figuring that because it was ed with disease it was not worth h as if it were healthy. Farmave fought this practice a long They assert it is not their fault t the animals are affected and want alue for these killed. The discus-

justice visited upon the raisers stock through the operation of the law in regard to diseased domestic animals. "During the period between July 1, 1899, and Nov. 1, 1900," he says, "522 dairy animals, property individuals, were slaughtered by order of the board of live stock commissioners. These animals were adjudged diseased with tuberculosis and their destruction was a vital necessity for human life. In accordance with law the value of the animals so destroyed was appraised at \$21,262, or an average of \$40 a head, but under the rules for compensation adopted by the live stock board the owners of the animals were paid \$9,180, or an average of \$17 head. I consider the state indebted to the owners of this property practically the difference between its appraised value and what was received for it, and I recommend an appropriation by the general assembly for the purpose of paying this indebtedness. Pay for Losses.

"In interpreting the law for the purpose of paying damages, the live stock board classified suspected animals into six grades. The animal to be slaughtered was appraised at its fair cash value. If the post-mortem examination developed that no tuberculosis was present, the owner was paid by the state the amount of the appraisement. If the animal appeared to be in the incipient stages of the disease, 75 per cent of the fixed value was paid; if apparently affected a year, 50 per cent was paid; if two years, 35 per cent was paid; if three years, 25 per cent, and if longer than three years, 15 per cent.

State Board of Charities.

Tanner's message also recomends the appointment of three salaried commissioners to run the affairs of the state board of charities now performed by several scores of appointees in the managing boards of the various state institutions. This plan would mean the abolition of fifty or sixty jobs which pay a per diem and traveling expenses, and no doubt meet considerable opposition from the office-seeking class. Governor Tanner also has considerable to say on the subject of revenue, and suggests a new method of extending the state and county taxes. The message accuses the Chicago drainage board of trying to drive the Illinois and Michigan Canal out of business, and has a word in defense of that famous water way, referring to it as "great channel of commerce," and favoring its maintenance.

Thursday, January 10. The first bill introduced in the house of the XLIId general assembly was put in by Henry C. Beitler of Chicago. It is known as the Pan-American exposition bill, and provides for an appropriation of \$150,000 for the purpose of erecting an Illinois building and making a state exhibit at the Pan-American exposition, which opens in Buffalo next May. Benjamin Marion Mitchell of Chicago introduced a bill to amend the Case garnishment law so as to raise the amount of money which shall be exempt from garnishment from \$8 to \$15 a week. John G. Jones of Chicago, the only colored man in the legislature, introduced a bill for the suppression of mob violence. It is an anti-lynching bill, and among other things provides that any person who shall be taken from the custody of any officer of the law by a mob shall be entitled to recovery from the county in which the offense takes place not less than \$100 and not more than \$2,000. Other bills introduced in the house and senate were the appropriation bills of \$100,-000 to pay employes of the general assembly, \$5,000 for committee expenses and \$22,000 for incidental expenses. The house and senate met in joint session to canvass the vote cast for the state officers, and this perfunctory proceeding occupied only eighteen minutes. The house and senate adjourned The message makes several recom- to Monday next,

Friday, January 11. Activity in the senatorial conflict was transferred, from the time being, from Springfield to the various legislative districts. But few members of the general assembly remained at the capitol. The great majority of them returned home, and will not be back till Sunday or Monday. Meanwhile the work of influencing the senators or representatives followed them to their respective homes. When the flight of the legislators from Springfield began, after the adjournment of the legislature, letters and telegrams by the score went after or preceded them. These were addressed to the men of influence in the republican party in the various districts, and urged the persons to whom they were addressed to do all in their power to induce their senator or representative to act in accordance with the wishes of the letter writer.

It may be a couple of weeks before the committee slates are finished and approved by the various interests having a voice in making them. As no business save the election of a United States senator can be transacted until one that it has interfered with ore will spend little time in the assembly rooms in the near future.

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My Mother Called Me. A reporter, probably broken work after Henry Ward Beecher died. recently referred to the late Henry C. Bowen as "prominently related to some of the troublous years in the life of Rev. Henry Ward Beecher." Dr. Henry Ward Beecher was not Henry Ward Beecher. He refused all doctorates, whether of divinity, of philosophy, of letters or of law. He did so not ostentatiously, but so positively that degree conferring institutions at last passed him by. His naive and characteristic statement was: "I prefer to be known by the name my mother called me." And, somehow, amid the throng of D. Ds., LL. Ds., S. T. Ds. or D. C. Ls., plain Henry Ward Beecher on a program or on a poster or in an advertisement had an explicit distinction by itself, because the greatness of the man exceeded the greatness of all degrees. "His mother," by the way, was his stepmother. His mother died in his infancy. His stepmother came into his life when he was 4 years old. She was all love, tact and wisdom to him.—Brooklyn Eagle.

LIEUT. MABEL C. HUNT.

Bright Salvation Army Lassie, Wh Knows How to Keep Her Corps in Good Health.

Ogden, Utah, Jan. 12, 1901.-(Special.)-The Pacific Coast Division of the Salvation Army, whose noble work in the interests of fallen humanity has done so much for this western country, has its headquarters in this city. One of the brightest and most enthusiastic workers is Lieut. Miss Mabel Clarice Hunt. Everyone knows how these devoted people parade the streets day or night, exposing themselves to all kinds of weather, that no opportunity may be lost of rescuing some poor unfortunate from sin and suffering. In some cases, their recklessness in thus exposing themselves has been commented upon as almost suicidal. Their answer to such criticisms invariably is their unfailing faith in the Divine injunction to "do right and fear not." Lieut. Hunt explains one of the means she employs to keep her "Soldiers" in good health, as follows:

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Mr. Moffat's Work in Zambest.

Mr. J. S. Moffat, who has been actively connected with the country immediately to the south of the Zambest for over forty years, first as a missionary and latterly as an official, is about to return to Rhodesia after a holiday in Europe. He first went out under Dr. Livingstone. He was Resident Magistrate at Taungs when the Jameson raid took place. Mr. Moffat is now sixty-five, but he has work left in him yet.

TIME TO GO SOUTH.

For the present winter season the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company has improved its already nearly perfect through service of Pullman vestibuled sleeping cars and elegant day coaches from Cincinnati, Louisville, St. Louis and Chicago, to Mobile, New Orleans and the Gulf coast, Thomasville, Ga., Pensacola, Jacksonville, Tampa, Palm Beach and other points in Florida. Perfect connections made with steamer lines for Cuba, Porto Rico, Nassau, West Indian and Central American ports. Tourist and home seekers' excursion tickets on sale at low rates. Write C. L. Stone, General Passenger Agent, Louisville, Ky., for particulars.

Lady Pharmacist's High Standing. At examinations recently held by the New York state board of pharmacy Mrs. Marietta Harmon of Syracuse received the highest rating ever given for a license as registered pharmacist. Her examination was rated as perfect. Sixty-two applicants from all parts of the state were examined, Mrs. Harmon being the only woman. Her husband, a druggist, died three years ago and the widow then took up the study of pharmacy.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the sountry than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced is a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly falling to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manafactured by F. J. Chency & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. is is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a temporough. It acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer it hundred dollars for any case it rails to our feed for circularizant testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO.

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Atlantic Monthly.

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THE DUTY OF MOTHERS.

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Mrs. August Pfalzgraf, of South Byron, Wis., mother of the young lady whose portrait we here publish, wrote Mrs. Pinkham in January, 1899, saying her daughter had suffered for two years with irregular menstruationhad headache all the time, and pain in her side, feet swell, and was generally miserable. Mrs. Pinkham prom replied with advice, and under date of March, 1899, the mother writes again that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound oured her daughter of all pains and irregularity.

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