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CROPS AND RAINFALL.—Visitors to the Omaha Corn Show will remember the magnificent display of farm products from Weston County, Wyoming, grown on exactly the same kind of land that can now be taken in 320 acre homesteads. The Mondell Act includes lands that receive from 16 to 21 inches of rainfall annually and you only need to see the crops grown by the farmers already located there, to be convinced. These homesteads can be taken along the Burlington's new line now building in Wyoming.

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Vultures Hover Devastated Marshes
Covered With Carcasses.

New Orleans, Sept. 27.—One week ago sea gulls, flying wildly in from the gulf gave warning with their screams of the approach of the much dreaded West Indian hurricane that was to closely follow.

Today flocks of vultures hover over the devastated towns of southern Louisiana, strewn with innumerable carcasses of animals and men. Stunned by the damage that was wrought by winds and waves, the work of relief did not give the people time to mourn. Almost a hundred human bodies have been burned or buried in the marshes where they were discovered.

Dispatch boats returning from Dunbar, La., between New Orleans and Bay St. Louis, Miss., brought the news of thirty-six bodies in one section alone. This made the number of those definitely known to have lost their lives 200 and there are possibly still more undiscovered bodies in the Louisiana marshes.

CAR RUNS INTO BUILDING

Fifty Persons Injured, One Fatally, in
Accident at Seattle.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 25.—Fifty persons were injured, one fatally, in a street car accident near the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition grounds. Frank Hull of Tacoma, aged forty-six, died of his injuries. A car with eighty passengers got beyond control of the motorman and attained a speed of thirty miles an hour. It left the track and crashed into a one-story building, hurling the passengers forward with great force.

Among the injured are: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farnsworth of Denver, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Scofield of Council Bluffs, Ia.; P. J. Caldwell and B. C. Rainey of Youngstown, O. These were not seriously hurt.

TWO KILLED IN AUTO WRECK

Third Seriously Burned When Machine Goes Over Embankment.

Americus, Ga., Sept. 25.—One person was burned to death, another instantly killed and a third seriously burned when a motor car, driven by John McLendon, ran off an eight-foot embankment here. McLendon and Miss Viola Herman, one of his companions, were pinned beneath the wrecked car, which caught fire. Ethel Hill, another member of the party, although severely burned, ran screaming to the city, two miles distant, and gave the alarm.

Miss Herman's neck was broken by the fall and death was instantaneous, but McLendon was roasted alive.

SPANIARDS DEFEAT MOORS

Occupation of Zeluán Made Easy by Use of Artillery.

Madrid, Sept. 28.—Following the satisfactory news of Spanish successes in Morocco, the cabinet has decided to restore the constitutional guarantees, except in the provinces of Barcelona and Gerona, and to summon the cortes in Oct. 15. The occupation of Zeluán was made easy by the effective shelling of the artillery. The actual storming of the town was accomplished by General Tovar's brigade, General Orozcos effecting the enveloping movement. Only a few of the Spaniards were wounded, but the casualties among the Moors were very great.

SAYS IT'S MISTAKEN IDENTITY

Theodore Shonts Sued for Alienation of Affections.

New York, Sept. 25.—Theodore P. Shonts, former chairman of the Isthmian canal commission, and now president of the Interborough-Metropolitan company of this city, has been sued for \$200,000 damage, according to the World, by Frederick F. Hipsh, New York manager for a Kentucky distillery. Mr. Shonts is charged with having alienated Mrs. Hipsh's affections.

Through De Lancey Nicoll, his attorney, Mr. Shonts declared that the suit is preposterous and is due to a strange case of mistaken identity.

Missouri Pacific Reorganization.

Denver, Sept. 28.—Official announcement of the reorganization of the Missouri Pacific railroad system was made here when papers were filed with Secretary of State Pearce. Under the reorganization the capitalization is placed at \$249,000,000. The reorganization is a step in the plans of the Goulds preparatory to the completion of the Western Pacific and the inauguration of transcontinental traffic over their roads.

State Authorities Surrender Stegall

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 28.—United States District Attorney Tate received a telephone message from Judge Fite of the Dade county superior court announcing that on the advice of Attorney General Hart he had decided to surrender Charles E. Stegall to the federal authorities and would have him produced before Judge Newman of the federal court here today.

Six Hurt in School Panic.

Jersey City, Sept. 28.—Six children were badly injured during a fire in St. Anthony's Polish parochial school. The panic was caused by the exploding of bombs by Italians, who were celebrating in the street near the school.

Governor Johnson's Will Filed.

St. Paul, Sept. 28.—The late Governor Johnson's will was filed in the Ramsey county probate court. The value of the estate is estimated in excess of \$37,400. Judge Basille appointed Frederick B. Lynch as a special administrator.

NEBRASKA NEWS

Sibley Law is Held Valid by
Supreme Court.

REDUCES RATES 25 PER CENT.

Express Companies May Appeal to the Commission if Rates Do Not Suit Them—High Court Refuses to Grant a Rehearing in the Nonpartisan Judiciary Law Case—Free High School Law is Upheld.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 27.—The supreme court upheld the constitutionality of the Sibley law, which reduces rates on express business 25 per cent below the rates in force prior to Jan. 1, 1907, the year the act was passed. The litigation was commenced by Attorney Thompson, who obtained a temporary restraining order to prevent the express companies from violating the law. This order is now made permanent by the opinion of the supreme court, written by Judge Barnes. Chief Justice Reese and Judge Rose did not sit in the case. By the order of the supreme court, the defendant companies may apply to the state railway commission if they are still dissatisfied with the rates prescribed by the Sibley law.

The defendant express companies fought the case from the start and once transferred it to the federal court, the judges of the federal court in Nebraska remanded it to the supreme court. Testimony was taken in New York city and at other places before a referee, Judge John J. Sullivan. The referee adopted the method of distribution the income of the companies on state and interstate business on the revenue basis as contended for by the attorney general. Instead of the package basis insisted on by the companies. The court has adopted the referee's report and the injunction is made permanent. The supreme court refused to grant a rehearing of the nonpartisan judiciary law, which it recently held unconstitutional. This disposes of it.

NO CLUE TO WHITE CAPPERS

Buffalo County Officers Still at Work on Gibbon Case.

Gibbon, Neb., Sept. 27.—No clue sufficient to cause an arrest has been received in the case involving the beating of sixteen-year-old Harry Boyles, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Boyles, a week ago by young men and women who were masked.

While Harry Boyles was going home from church, when near home he was pounced upon by a number of boys and girls, who abused him in a frightful manner, his clothing was torn off, he was beaten until he was black and blue, and even yet bears the marks and bruises of his rough treatment. During the whole procedure, however, not one word was said by the gang which would lead to their identity. According to the boy's story all wore handkerchiefs over their faces and as the night was dark he was unable to distinguish anything about any of them which might lead to their detection. He had received several letters warning him to stay home nights.

Mabray May Be Tried in Omaha.

Omaha, Sept. 27.—The federal grand jury, which convened in Omaha today, will take up among its first inquiries the Mabray cases, in the matter of conspiracies and swindles and misusing the United States mails. It has developed during the Council Bluffs investigations that many of the schemes to defraud were engineered from the Omaha side of the river and were carried out on the Iowa side. For this reason the trial of Mabray may yet take place in Omaha during the fall or winter term of the federal courts.

Six Injured in Auto Accident.

Millford, Neb., Sept. 27.—Six persons were injured, one fatally, in an automobile accident near here. Herman Traberg, his wife and baby, Mrs. Johns, Alice Johns and Miss Nickerson were riding, and in attempting to avoid running over a dog in the roadway Traberg lost control of the machine, which turned over, pinning Miss Johns and Miss Nickerson underneath. Miss Johns is so badly hurt that she cannot recover. Miss Nickerson's injuries are less serious. The others were bruised.

Free High School Law Upheld.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 27.—In the case of Thomas M. Wilkinson against Joshua S. Lord, an appeal from Richardson county, the supreme court upholds the constitutionality of the free high school law of 1907. Several acts of the same character of previous legislatures failed to stand the test, but this act is held to be valid. The law makes the home district of the student liable for the payment of 75 cents a week.

Engineer Dies at Post.

Beaver City, Neb., Sept. 25.—Dead at the throttle of his engine and the train running itself was the situation presented on the passenger train of the St. Francis branch of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, near Herndon, Kan. The dead engineer was George Pronger, a veteran in the service of the company, who had succumbed to heart disease while at his post. His rigid position drew the attention of the fireman, A. Koler, who ran the train to St. Francis.

COMMISSION VISITS INDIANS

Making Out List of Those Competent to Care for Seives.

Macy, Neb., Sept. 27.—The commission appointed to determine the competency of the Omaha Indians to receive patents in fee met and organized with a view of carrying out the task assigned them by the department of the interior. The commission is composed of Walter W. McConihe, special agent of the department; Andrew G. Pollock, the new superintendent of the Omaha agency, and H. P. Marble, editor of the Humboldt (Neb.) Leader, who was named by the department as the one citizen of Nebraska required according to the ruling of the secretary of the interior.

Suitable quarters have been assigned to the commission at the agency and they will start at once on the task assigned them. It will be necessary to use an interpreter in dealing with many of the Indians, who will be required to appear before the commission and give information as to their purpose and accomplishments.

SOLDIERS ON WAY TO OMAHA

Cavalry Division is Riding Overland From Des Moines.

Des Moines, Sept. 27.—The Sixteenth infantry from Fort Crook carried off a large portion of the honors at the closing day of the big military tournament. The tournament has been a magnificent success, with total gross receipts of \$35,000, expenses \$15,000, and net receipts to the troops of \$20,000. The troops left to camp at Fort Omaha, where the same drills will be given.

The cavalry division will ride overland, reaching Omaha Saturday. The Sixteenth infantry departed by train and should reach Omaha this afternoon. The regiment will go to Fort Crook for two days and it will then march to Fort Omaha to be in camp for the big military tournament which 5,200 of Uncle Sam's troops will give for the benefit of the visitors to the fall festivities at Omaha.

The officers of the different regiments attending this tournament held a meeting and decided to tender a complimentary dinner to General Charles Morton, commander of the Department of the Missouri, at the Rome the evening of Oct. 17.

REFUSES TO RECOGNIZE UNION

Wattles Willing to Take Back Strikers as Individuals.

Omaha, Sept. 28.—The chances for settling the strike of street car men in this city did not clear up much, although it had been believed there was a probability of the strike being ended. President Wattles at the conference with municipal officials of Omaha and adjacent cities through which the company's lines run intimated on what basis he would re-employ the strikers, but this proposition was not laid before the union officials nor the men individually, and for that reason no action was taken by the striking employees.

President Wattles said that he would have no dealings with the union and would deal with the men only as individuals. He declined to make any proposition to the union and the leaders of that body say there is nothing before them to consider.

MAUPIN LOOKS INTO STRIKE

Governor Shallenberger Sends Deputy to Omaha.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 28.—Governor Shallenberger, as state labor commissioner, through his deputy, will investigate the Omaha street car strike.

Deputy Labor Commissioner Maupin left for Omaha. Among other duties imposed upon the bureau of labor and industrial statistics is that of investigating into all controversies between capital and labor and in making such investigation the commissioner or his deputy is empowered to subpoena witnesses, administer oaths and take testimony. This carries with it the usual authority to issue bench warrants and punish for contempt.

TRY TO KILL WATCHMAN

Nebraska City Officer Receives Bullet in Wrist While Chasing Thieves.

Nebraska City, Neb., Sept. 28.—Night Watchman John Martine had a narrow escape from being killed. He noticed a man stealing some grain doors at the Burlington depot and gave chase. The man made his escape in the dark. The watchman picked up the stolen doors, returned them to their place and began looking for some trace of the thief, and as he passed a dark spot a shot was fired at him at close range, striking him in the wrist, shattering the same, while the would-be assassin made his escape in the dark. The officers have two men in jail as suspects.

Potato Carnival at Morrill.

Morrill, Neb., Sept. 27.—Preparations are being made on an elaborate scale to entertain the crowd which is expected here at the first annual potato carnival, Oct. 18. A special train will be run from Alliance. It is expected to have Senator Burkett here to address the people on western irrigation matters. Among the attractions will be a big free barbecue, pumpkin pie and baked potato dinner, besides races, contests, etc., which go to make up a western celebration. The potato carnival is gotten up for the purpose of advertising the big irrigated country of western Nebraska as a great potato growing section.

Kills Wife and Self.

Lyons, Neb., Sept. 28.—Al Baker, owner of the Baker Theatrical company, shot his wife and then killed himself at the home of his son. Jealousy was the cause.

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