

RAILWAY NOTES AND PERSONALS

(Continued from page three.)

Supt. Weidenhamer went to Seneca Saturday on company business. Mr. Weidenhamer, who has been spending a few days visiting in Seneca, returned with him on No. 43 Sunday.

Engineer Guy Allen, who has been running the helper engine at Ardmore, returned to Alliance on No. 44 Sunday.

Fireman B. F. Trenkle of Seneca spent a few days visiting in Alliance this week.

Claim Agent Phillips of the Burlington went to Bridgeport Sunday on company business.

Fireman Clarence Hull writes to his brother, Ross, of this city, that he was in a head-on collision on the main line between Peoria and Galesburg. No one was hurt.

D. B. Wagner, ex-chief clerk of the train master's office, writes that he is nicely located on his farm at Logansport, Ind.

Conductor F. Campbell is laying off. Conductor Eddie Beard has his car and crew.

Engineer Will White returned from Lincoln, where he has been visiting relatives.

Road Foreman E. R. Morrison came in on No. 41 Saturday from Chicago, where he has been on company business.

Road Foreman E. R. Morrison returned to Chicago on No. 42 Monday. Mrs. Morrison accompanied him as far as Lincoln, where she will visit for a few days.

Mrs. L. A. Baschky of Crawford is visiting in Alliance a few days this week.

Brakeman A. E. Judson has gone to work again, after a long spell of sickness.

Special Saturday only. A one pound can of high grade violet perfumed talcum powder for 16c, Saturday only.
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LOOK AT YOUR DATE

Subscribers to The Herald who wish to know how their subscription account stands may find out by consulting the dates stamped with their names on their papers or the wrappers. These dates are given in figures, representing the month, day of the month and year to which paid. For instance, a subscriber who is paid up to today will find stamped with his name on his paper, or the wrapper in which it is enclosed, 2-29-12, which means February 29, 1912.

BRIDGES CONTRACTED

Contracts for New Bridges Across North Platte River at Bridgeport and Bayard

LETTER FROM STATE ENGINEER

The Herald is in receipt of a letter from State Engineer D. D. Price, enclosing "blue print" statement showing bids received at Bridgeport on the Morrill county state aid bridges, February 20, 1912.

Both of the bridges were approximately eight hundred feet long, one design was a 33 ft. span concrete girder, and the other a 50 ft. span concrete arch with the Laten patents of placement of steel.

The fills contain approximately 38,000 yards and surfacing 1,400 yards.

The contract was let to John L. Mullen, 645 South 18th street, Lincoln, Nebraska, for \$41,500.00, being everything complete including two bridges of the girder type, one at Bayard and one at Bridgeport across the North Platte river, with fills and surfacing.

Work will probably be commenced on these bridges early in the spring. The people of Morrill county are to be congratulated upon the prospect of soon having two of the best bridges in the western part of the state. Persons who have been using the old bridges will highly appreciate the change to the new when that is made.

BIG PIANO SALES

Bennett Piano Company Keeping up Reputation

The following pianos have been sold by Mrs. J. T. Wiker of the Bennett Piano Co. during the months of December and January: Pete Watson, Mitchell, Nebr.; Mrs. Sarah Gilleran, Alliance; J. S. Shelton, Marple, Nebr.; Woodmen Lodge, Lakeside, Nebr.; Minnie Ring, Orela, Nebr.; Glenn White, Majestic Theatre; Earl Harshman, Crystal Theatre; W. A. Grubbs, Harrisburg, Nebr.; Mrs. H. A. Cunningham, Alliance; F. J. Coll, Marsland; A. E. McDermott, Eastwood, Nebr.; A. L. Honeycutt, Morrill, Nebr.; M. E. Coleman, Alliance; R. E. Driscoll, Alliance; Guy Miller, Alliance; E. L. Gardner, Marsland, Nebr.; L. D. Blair, Reno, Nebr.; O. E. Williams, Alliance; Mrs. Poole, Alliance.

ALLIANCE MARKET REPORT

Following are the prices paid for produce, Thursday, Feb. 29, 1912:
Butter 25
Eggs 17½
Potatoes 1.00

Miss Edna Duncan entertained on Thursday evening in honor of Marion Mark of Ft. Morgan, Colo., brother of Ray Mark of Alliance.

Bananas, 35c per doz. at Bicknell Grocery Co.

NEBRASKA NEWS

Seed Corn Train Behind Schedule, but Farmers Wait.

PLAN OF CAMPAIGN COMMENDED

Lecture Cars Filled, Though Snow Cuts Down Attendance to Average of Hundred and Fifty at Each Stop Between Lincoln and York.

York, Neb., Feb. 27.—The Nebraska seed corn special, scheduled for towns on the Northwestern from Lincoln to Fremont and from there to Stockham, left Lincoln three hours late and arrived in this city two hours behind schedule time.

The attendance was one-fourth what it would have been had the train arrived on time. The average attendance at the first seven stops was about 150 farmers.

At David City 200 farmers waited three hours for the train. At most points the two lecture cars were filled and a great deal of interest was manifested. Reports were made that large numbers of farmers all along the route were testing their seed.

At all stops the farmers are commending the university in its seed corn campaign. The severe weather has no doubt cut the attendance more than one-half. A largely attended evening meeting was held at Stockham.

Frank G. O'Dell, secretary of the Nebraska rural life commission, was in charge of the special.

Farmers Snowed In.

Prague, Neb., Feb. 27.—The Burlington seed corn special from Plattsmouth to Prague did not draw a large attendance. The blizzard and bad roads kept many at home, but in spite of all this a fairly good attendance greeted the train here and all present expressed themselves as well repaid for coming and from the hour lecture gathered much by which they will profit.

AINSWORTH LAWYER NAMED

Attorney General Appoints A. W. Scattergood in Sellers Case.

Attorney General Martin has named A. W. Scattergood of Ainsworth to represent the state before the Cherry county grand jury which met at Valentine Monday. The appointment grows out of the lynching of Charles Sellers and the pleading guilty of four young men to a charge of murder.

The charge is that guilty parties have been shielded and that there is much more to the tragic affair than has yet come to the surface. Mr. Scattergood is a practicing attorney at Ainsworth.

LABOR OBJECTS TO WINNETT

Central Union of Lincoln Doesn't Want Him in Car Hearing.

The Central Labor union of Lincoln has protested against Dr. Winnett sitting in judgment of the Lincoln 5-cent fare case when it comes up before the state railway commission, on the ground that he had previously expressed an opinion on the merits of the case and for the further reason that before being elected a member of the railway commission he was employed as physician by the street railway company.

Farm Lands Advance in Price

Omaha, Feb. 26.—"Nebraska is entering upon the best year in its history," said H. J. Pierson of North Platte. "While Lincoln county is not experiencing any boom, lands suitable for agricultural purposes have advanced 10 to 25 per cent in price since last fall and there are plenty of buyers at these prices. This is in a measure due to the splendid outlook for a bumper crop the coming season."

Fire at Geneva Damages Stores.

Geneva, Neb., Feb. 27.—The Boston store, C. M. Pierce proprietor, was burned, the stock being almost a total loss. The postoffice, in an adjoining building, was damaged, but all mail was saved and all government property is safe. The Nebraska Signal printing office was injured by smoke and water. The local independent telephone plant sustained some damage.

Educators Off for St. Louis.

Lincoln, Feb. 26.—A large number of Nebraska educators left for St. Louis, where they will attend the meeting of the department of superintendence of the National Educational association. Among them were State Superintendent Dalzell, County and City Superintendents McLaughlin and Perdue of Lincoln. Altogether there were about fifty in the party.

Defendant Snowbound.

Lincoln, Feb. 27.—John F. Harris was to have been tried in the district court on the charge of murder, but the case was not called on account of the non-appearance of the defendant, who is out on bail. He has been at his home in Illinois and the storm delayed the trains. He is to be tried for the killing of David McFry, June 24 last. The men were employed by the Beatrice Creamery company.

Nebraska Makes Higher Score.

Lincoln, Feb. 27.—The University of Nebraska rifle team scored its best mark of the season in a by-mail shoot with St. Thomas, totaling 874 points, or thirty-four points more than it made in its last shoot.

STILL SEEKING AGENT BROWN

Second Requisition Made for Him on Colorado Governor.

Box Butte county officials have obtained another requisition for the return from Colorado to Alliance of Raymond Brown, the former requisition having been denied by the governor of Colorado. The refusal was based on the ground that the previous one did not state what was an extraditable offense under the law of Colorado.

It is thought the new one will meet this objection. Brown is accused of defeating the ends of justice by removing from the state certain records of the Colorado Lumber and Fuel company, doing business at Alliance and Hay Springs, the intent of the removal being, it is alleged to defeat the prosecution of a conspiracy indictment.

MAKING ORCHARD PAY

Labor Bureau Issues Bulletin on Fruit Raising in Nebraska.

The state bureau of labor has just issued a comprehensive bulletin on fruit raising in Nebraska. In addition to giving some examples of what financial returns some fruit raisers have received, the bulletin sets out what kinds of lands are suitable for raising of different fruits and also what sections have made a success of it. One notable article is what a Cass county man did to make profitable an orchard which had been unprofitable because it did not bear good crops and that little of an inferior quality. He called in experts from the university and they made his orchard a big money maker, by processes within the reach and comprehension of anyone.

EGGERS PLEAD GUILTY

Assaults of Revivalist Given Minimum Fine and Costs.

About 200 people came down to Kearney from Elm Creek to hear the evidence in the "egging case," which was brought before Judge Drury.

The case was the outcome of an attack upon Professor Thonnes, a revivalist.

Eleven men were arrested in all and fully fifty witnesses were at hand when the case was called to trial. Hundreds of listeners crowded into the court room with the expectation of hearing some startling evidence brought out. They were disappointed, however, as the prisoners pleaded guilty and were given the minimum fine and costs.

Sticks Head Under Wheels of Engine.

Pat Barrow suicided at Hastings by sticking his head under the wheels of a switch engine. The man crawled up to the track unobserved and placed his head beneath the wheels. The engine was barely moving, but the crew was unable to stop it until the wheels had passed about two thirds over his body. Barrow was fifty-five years of age and leaves a family. An inquest will be held.

Asks Delay in Prince Case.

Albert Prince, the convict who killed Deputy Warden Davis at the penitentiary, was arraigned and his attorney asked that the case be postponed because he alleged there was at present excitement and prejudice which would make it impossible to obtain a fair trial. The state objected to any delay. The court did not rule on the motion and may not for several days.

Warned Against Bogus Elk Teeth.

Jewelers will be told how to tell a real elk tooth from a bogus one when they meet in convention in Omaha on March 6 and 7. Recently many jewelers of the state have been victimized by sharpers, who have been palming off fake elk teeth. An exhibit of real and bogus teeth will be placed in the convention hall at the Paxton hotel and lectures will be given to instruct jewelers how to tell the real thing.

La Follette's Name Filed at Lincoln.

Lincoln, Feb. 27.—Rebort La Follette's name was added to the list of candidates to be voted on at Nebraska's presidential primary by a petition of the La Follette state league. The petition contained the names of nearly 1,000 voters, widely scattered over the state.

Epworthians to Meet in Sutton.

The cabinet of the Epworth league of the western Nebraska district selected Sutton for the annual district convention. It was also decided to maintain a missionary in China, at a salary of \$1,000, to be paid by the league of the district.

Wilson Men Called.

A call has been issued for a meeting in Lincoln March 5 of the Wilson Democrats. This is a counter move on the Harmon men, who recently met in Fremont and formed an organization to push the candidacy of the Ohio governor.

Seed Corn From Beatrice.

The first really high grade seed corn that the pure food department has tested yet is a lot sent in from Beatrice. It is from 100 bushels of seed purchased by one of the inspectors for his own use.

Mason Held for Death of Beeson.

The coroner's jury called at Ericson to investigate the death of Orville F. Beeson has returned a verdict that it was caused by a shot from a revolver in the hands of David F. Mason.

Another Switch in Ticket.

Another switch has been made in the La Follette-Roosevelt ticket. Judge A. G. Wray of York, candidate for district delegate, has retired and George W. Neal has taken his place.

The "BIG 3" is not quite ready to come out—watch for it, though



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