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MANLEY NEWS ITEMS

John Crane has been feeling quite poorly for some time past but has kept going at the office and yard every day. Frank Stander was a visitor in Manley and vicinity last Wednesday and also attended the sale which was held at August Joachim.

in Lincoln last Sunday until Thursday when Mr. Gibbins drove the car over to the capitol city, they returning home via the rough roads, of which there are a good plenty. However, they had a good visit.

Had a Good Sale. August Joachim, who held his sale on last Wednesday, had a large crowd and a good sale, he having a lot of good property to dispose of. Mr. Joachim will make his home in Omaha in the near future in order that his children may attend school.

Hears That Brother Is Injured. Mrs. August Stander received the sad intelligence of the injury of her brother in the western portion of the state, from the kick of a horse, which brother, Charles Browne, was taken to a hospital in Lincoln where he is being cared for and it is hoped that he may soon be well again.

Will Restore the Residence. Elmer Pearson, who has recently purchased the Phoebe Coon home, will have the place entirely rejuvenated and remodelled and when he shall have the place completed will make an excellent home there.

Small Farm for Rent or Sale. I have an eleven acre tract adjoining Manley, with a good house and buildings in ideal place for hog or chicken farm. See A. Steinkamp, Manley, Neb.

Pearson's BARBER SHOP The Home of Good Work Manley - - Nebraska Elmer Pearson, Prop.

PUBLIC AUCTION!

I have decided to quit farming and will sell at Public Auction at the Mary Taylor farm, one mile east and one-half mile south of Union, on--

Thursday, Jan. 15 beginning at 10:00 o'clock a. m., with lunch served at noon, the following described property:

Horses and Mules One span of mules, 6 years old, weight 2,600; one bay mare, 7 years old, weight 1,400; one bay horse, 7 years old, weight 1,350; one span, 3 years old, unbroke, weight 2,500; one span of mares, smooth mouth, weight 2,800.

Nine Head of Cattle Four good milk cows; one Jersey, 3 years old, giving milk; one Jersey, 8 years old, giving milk; one Jersey, 8 years old, to be fresh soon; one red cow, 7 years old, to be fresh soon; one 2-year-old heifer, coming fresh.

Farm Machinery, Etc. One 7-foot Deering binder in good running order; one 5-foot Deering mower in good running order; one Newton wagon with box, good as new; one low wagon and rack; one 2-row stalk cutter; one hay rake; one good P. & O. riding lister with Combined; one 6-shovel riding cultivator; one walking cultivator; one go devil; one Emerson sulky plow; one 4-inch walking plow; one three-section mrow; one Sandwith feed gripper; one 1-hole corn sheller; one bob sled, good as new; one 1-horse wheat drill; one tool chest; two sets 1 1/2-inch harness; one 1-horse corn drill; one grindstone; one disc; one chicken house, size 10x6; five loads of hay; some household goods; two beds with springs; one kitchen cupboard; one heating stove; some fruit jars; one 8-gallon cream; one good De Laval cream separator, No. 12; numerous other articles.

Terms of Sale All sums under \$10, cash. On sums over \$10 a credit of six months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing eight per cent interest from date. Property must be settled for before being taken from the premises.

Mrs. Lillie Reeves, Owner. REX YOUNG, Auctioneer. W. B. BANNING, Clerk.

ROBINSON DEFENDS COOLIDGE AGAINST NORRIS "SLANDER"

Democratic Leader Declares "Grumbling George" Has No Ground For His Attack.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The United States senate witnessed strange and exciting scenes today when Senator Robinson of Arkansas, democratic floor leader, in an impassioned speech declared himself obliged to defend Calvin Coolidge, republican president, as an "honorable" man, who, he asserted, had been slandered by Senator Norris, republican, of Nebraska, as a "crook."

The democratic leader subjected the Nebraska senator to a merciless but artistic exhortation, referring to him directly as "grumbling George," "the wag of the senate," and by implication as a "buffoon" and a "blind statesman."

Despite the severity and vigor of his remarks, Senator Robinson delivered what appeared to be a carefully prepared address, although his references to Norris were extemporaneous. In the body of his speech he made an important commitment as the minority leader in the senate, declaring the democratic party to be unalterably opposed by tradition and principle to "government ownership of the railroads and all the so-called public utilities."

Followed Norris Attack Robinson's address followed an attack on the democrats by Norris, who taunted the democrats with favoring government operation of water power in its campaign in the west in order to "get votes," and espousing the Underwood bill, with its private operation provisions, in the senate. Norris read into the record a pamphlet circulated in Nebraska and other western states in the 1924 campaign which he asserted committed the party to the general terms of his bill.

"Yesterday," Norris said, referring to the fact that eighteen out of thirty-eight senators recorded their votes in support of the Underwood bill, "the democratic party in the senate, led by their recognized leader, Senator Robinson, was in bed on the republican side of the chamber with the very men their party condemned in the progressive west during the recent campaign."

This remark brought Robinson to his feet. Both Norris and Howell listened in silence while Robinson took the senior Nebraska senator "over the hurdles."

Norris had for the last month, Robinson said, directed "his extraordinary powers of irony, sarcasm and criticism to convince the senate and the country that the power trust is behind the Underwood bill."

"In my opinion," Robinson continued, "the able senator from Nebraska has not produced evidence to establish his conclusion."

Rises to Coolidge's Defense "The senator from Nebraska has read into the record a campaign circular purporting to have been issued by the democratic national committee during the last campaign, assailing the president and others on a charge of seeking to seize the power trust. I am not a republican. I am a democrat. But democrat as I am, I do not believe that the president of the United States deserves to be charged as the alleged republican senator from Nebraska charges him and, democrat as I am, I do defend the president of the United States against the charge of a republican senator that the president is a crook."

"If to be a democrat means that I must give myself and my feeble power to an unjust assault on the character of an individual, I thank God, I am not a democrat. I thank God, I do not have to take my position of democracy from 'Grumbling George.'"—Omaha World-Herald.

BOOM H. G. TAYLOR FOR I. C. G. PLACE

Chamber of Commerce and Governor Take Lead, Dawes Promises Favorable Opinion If Asked.

H. G. Taylor is being boomed for the position on the interstate commerce commission left vacant January 2 by the resignation of Commerce Secretary Potter. The chamber of commerce has written and Governor McMillen has telegraphed President Coolidge in Mr. Taylor's behalf, and General Dawes has promised his favorable opinion if he is consulted, tho he does not take the initiative in such matters. The governor says Mr. Taylor in his telegram: "Mr. Taylor is thoroughly qualified, having been a member of the Nebraska commission since 1912 and re-elected last November for an additional term of six years. He has been active in all matters of regulation, and has served on numerous state commission committees in cases before the interstate commerce commission and as president of the National Association of Railroad and Utilities Commissioners, and is now chairman of the central western regional advisory board, a shippers' organization. His knowledge of interstate commerce matters and procedure, together with his unquestioned ability and his having been a life long republican, and the fact that Nebraska has never had a representative on the commission, prompts me to present Mr. Taylor's name for your consideration."

President J. Cass Cornell of the chamber of commerce of Lincoln, outlines Mr. Taylor's life and public services in his letter to the president, including his career as a newspaper publisher at Alameda, Kas., and Centra City, Neb., and his presidency of the theatre press association. He points out that in the past two years Mr.

Taylor was chairman of a conference committee of five commissioners which sat with the interstate commission in the consideration of express rates all over the country. In 1921 he was one of a committee of five representatives of state commissions, who met with the interstate body to formulate a plan of cooperation between the regulatory bodies of the two jurisdictions. During his term as president of the National Association of Railroad and Utilities Commissioners in 1924, he conducted a national conference in the further protection of railroad grade crossings.

RAILROAD LOAN RATES MAY DROP

Coolidge Believes Reduction of Interest on Sums Loaned to Roads Is Feasible.

Washington, Jan. 9.—A substantial reduction in interest rates on sums loaned to railroads by the government is expected to be inaugurated at once, following an official statement at the White House today that President Coolidge believes such reduction entirely feasible. The rate on rail bonds held by the government generally is 6 per cent. Representations have been made that this is so high in some cases as to threaten the line with financial breakdowns. Officials of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul declared their properties will be forced into the hands of a receiver unless there is a decrease in interest figures.

The president holds that the rate could be lowered to 5 per cent and that 4 1/2 might be permissible. Four and a half, he thinks, is approaching the danger line. The government at present is borrowing money at 4 per cent.

In general, Coolidge's position is that the rates should be kept as low as good finance would dictate. It was pointed out for him today that the interest rate, in the last analysis constitutes a charge on the public and that reduced interest rates would mean reduced freight rates.

The interest rates on rail debentures should be uniform, Coolidge further said. Some trouble may be encountered in case reductions are ordered, he thinks, in regard to those rail bonds which have been sold in the open market by the government and bear 6 per cent.

GREB WINS EASILY OVER BOBBY SAGE

Detroit, Jan. 9.—Harry Greb of Pittsburgh, middleweight champion, outpointed Bobby Sage of Detroit, in a ten round bout here tonight.

Greb won easily, the newspaper men at the ringside giving him the best of six rounds, Sage getting two and the other two being even. Greb was content to let Sage do most of the leading and opened up with his peculiar whirlwind attack only three or four times in the course of the battle. Sage had prepared himself for this style of fighting and made his best showing in blocking the swings of the Pittsburgher.

No knockouts were scored, neither man landing effectively. Greb weighed in at 166 pounds and Sage at 158.

ANOTHER BENCH VACANCY

Washington, Jan. 9.—Another vacancy on the supreme court bench in the near future was indicated by unconfirmed but undated reports that Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes was preparing to resign. Although Justice Holmes had not disclosed his plans, some of his friends say he will leave the bench in time for his successor to be confirmed before Congress adjourns in March. Justice Holmes will be eighty-four on March 8th.

Should he retire, his resignation will be the second in the supreme court since President Coolidge entered the white house, his colleague of many years, Justice McKenna, having retired last Monday. Appointed from Massachusetts by President Roosevelt in 1902, Justice Holmes was eligible for retirement in 1912.

OMAHA WOMAN SHARES IN ESTATE OF \$175,000

Lincoln, Jan. 9.—John A. Slater, who died January 4, left an estate of 175 thousand dollars, according to the will filed for probate here today by Roscoe J. Slater, a son. He and his sister, Loretta A. Chase, of Omaha, are among the heirs.

Mrs. Chase and her husband, Jackson Chase, Omaha attorney, are in Lincoln. Mrs. Chase refused to comment on the legacy.

NECK AND NECK

An elderly lady was visiting the University hospital in Oklahoma City.

"Poor boy," she said to an ex-soldier who had been wounded, "you must have been through some pretty tight squeezes."

At this he turned a violent scarlet and stammered:

"Well, madam, the nurses here have been pretty good to me, for a fact."—Oklahoma Whirlwind.

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PLAID BLANKETS Wool Mixed Plaids Size 66x80, tape bound edges. Regular \$6.50 value. During January reduced to \$4.85 Large size wool blankets. Small percentage of cotton in these. Tape bound edges. Regular \$7.50 value. During January reduced to \$5.50 Large size cotton plaid blankets. Nashua make. Very special at \$2.89

BED SPREADS Crochet spread, plain hem, size 74x86. A fine bed spread for so low a price. During January reduced to \$1.69 Large size square hemmed or scalloped cut corner satin spreads. Full bed size. Very special during January \$3.89

Cotton Batts at Clearance Prices 1-lb. batt, "Sanitary" or Eagle. Per batt 48c 14-oz. "American." During January, per batt 39c 3-lb. "Old Nick" quilted batt, size 72x90. Each \$1.19 3-lb. "Plantation," unbleached, not quilted. Per batt 98c

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MEN'S CLUB WILL BE PART OF NEW RECTOR'S PLANS

New Rector of St. Luke's Church to Start Club of Men of Church and the Community

From Thursday's Daily—A men's club, by, for and with the men of the St. Luke's parish and of the community as well, is the desire of Father George D. Pierce, new rector of the St. Luke's church, and the new rector with his characteristic energy is to launch the movement on next Wednesday evening at the undercroft of the church which was fixed up very nicely during the past summer and can be used most pleasantly for the meetings.

This room in the basement of the church will be utilized a great deal for meetings of the various organizations and with the church auditorium serve as a center of the activities of the church.

The Men's club will find in Father Pierce a most enthusiastic backer and his work in the line of men's organizations gives him a real leadership in developing this much needed part of the church and community. The meetings as planned on the first outline are to be real community gatherings of the men, worthwhile talks by persons of force and ability and the strengthening of the ties between the men of the church and the members of the community at large.

When the club is organized there will be a place for all the men of the city in its ranks and it will give lasting benefit to Plattsmouth through the good that it accomplishes.

HAS A MAGIC RING TO MARK BALLOTS

Youth of 26 at New York Claims the Ability to Count Out or Elect Any Candidate Running.

New York, Jan. 9.—"A magic ring" which when properly manipulated, is said by its inventor to have elected or defeated congressional or lesser candidates, was shown and explained to a New York grand jury today. It youthful owner, George Rosken, asserted that the magic ring not only brought about the election of Nathan D. Perlman, reelection of Nathan D. Perlman, reelection, to congress and illegally defeated his democratic opponent, Dr. William L. Sirovich, but that one like it was the prize which went with every diploma issued by him to graduates of his "school for ballot fixers." The ring, he said, held a cleverly concealed bit of lead with which any person, with adequate instruction and practice, could mark ballots under the very eyes of poll watchers without fear of detection.

His "school," the supposed ballot fixers' school, claimed about 1000 students in the metropolitan area. His "school," the supposed ballot fixers' school, claimed about 1000 students in the metropolitan area.

Buy your ink and pen at the Gates Corner Book and Stationery Store.

WARDEN TO BE SUSPENDED

Denver, Colo., Jan. 9.—With the arrival here late today of Thomas Mott Osborne, noted penologist, and the announcement by Governor William E. Sweet, that the former warden of Auburn, Portsmouth, and Sing Sing prisons, would be attached to the Colorado state penitentiary, "in an advisory capacity," suspension of the present warden, Thomas J. Tymann, was forecast by those close to the chief executive.

Governor Sweet refused to make any other announcement than that concerning Mr. Osborne, but it is known that he held a conference with Mr. Osborne and attorneys representing the governor in the case, which the latter has filed against Tymann, charging his with incompetency, inefficiency and permitting brutality to prisoners.

What transpired in the conference likewise was not made known, but the governor afterwards said that further developments might be expected soon.

Governor Sweet denied that he has suspended Warden Tymann.

SIDNEY STOCK SHIPMENTS IN 1924 OVER 2,000 CARS

Bridgeport, Jan. 8.—Seventy-six thousand bushels of grain and 465 tons of hay were sold to the Union Pacific railroad by farmers near Sidney during 1924, to be fed to the stock that was put in the stockyards there for shipment or to be fed in transit. There were 988 carloads of hogs, 501 carloads of sheep, 677 carloads of cattle and 16 carloads of horses in the yards during the year. The stockyards cover 10 acres and the railroad company has a pasture of 3,300 acres back of the yards, for ranging stock.

MARX POSTPONES CABINET QUEST

Berlin, Jan. 8.—After a futile all-day search for men willing to participate in a new emergency cabinet, Chancellor Marx late tonight was obliged to postpone his quest until tomorrow.

The personal preference of Dr. Marx inclines toward giving up the mandate handed him by President Ebert to form a new government, but the president still hopes the chancellor will succeed in constituting a cabinet or pressing upon an effective reconciliation among the three parties constituting the present regime.

CHILD LABOR AMENDMENT RATIFIED UPON THE COAST

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 8.—Both the senate and the assembly of the California legislature today adopted the resolution ratifying the child labor amendment to the federal constitution, adding California to the list of states which have taken this action.

In the senate there were only three votes in opposition with 36 in favor of ratification. In the assembly the vote was 69 for to 9 against.

PUBLIC AUCTION!

The undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder on the W. H. Hill farm five miles east of Louisville and nine miles west of Plattsmouth on the Plattsmouth-Louisville road, on--

Wednesday, Jan. 14 beginning at 10:00 o'clock a. m., with hot lunch served at noon by Walter Stohman, the following property, to-wit:

30 Duroc Jersey Tried Sows and Gilts due to farrow in March and April. Sensation and Pathfinder breeding. These sows and gilts are all large type and are bred by Gano's Commander, 536891, winner of grand champion and senior champion ribbons at the Cass county fair in 1924. These hogs have been vaccinated with the double treatment and are considered immune. I guarantee every sow a breeder. All sows bought at this sale may be bred back for fall litter free of charge.

Five Head of Horses Team bays, mare and horse, 7 years old, weight 2,850; one bay gelding, 6 years old, weight 1,350; one bay mare, 8 years old, weight 1,300; black horse, 12 years old, weight 1,500.

Ten Head of Cattle Five milk cows; four heifers, will be fresh in May; one registered Polled Hereford bull.

Farm Implements, Harness, Etc. Meadow 24-foot corn elevator with power and dump; one Moline wagon; one Moline sulky riding plow; one Case planter; one P. & O. riding lister; P. & O. riding cultivator, nearly new; John Deere riding lister; Johnny Lind walking cultivator; John Deere 8-foot disc; John Deere two-row; Emerson 12-inch gang plow; three-section harrow; two sets of work harness; a bunch of collars; heating stove; A-B-C power washer and other articles.

Terms of Sale Sums of \$10 and under, cash. Over \$10 a credit of eight months' time will be given on bankable notes bearing 8 per cent. Settle before removing goods.

Frank Salsberg, Owner. REX YOUNG and CLARENCE FUSCHE, Auctioneers. RALPH LARSON, Clerk.