

TROOPS WILL STAY AWHILE

Governor Jennings So Determined After Visiting Jacksonville.

QUIET NOW, BUT MAY BE TROUBLE AHEAD

Violent Element Fanned in Connection with the "No Work, No Ratios" Edict Soon to Be Put Into Effect.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., May 11.—Jacksonville was visited today by Governor Jennings and a committee from the legislature, which came to view the situation, with a view of determining how long it would be necessary for the state militia to remain on guard.

It was decided that despite the expense of \$500 a day the troops should remain indefinitely. No disorder is anticipated so long as free rations are being distributed, but the violent element might give trouble, it is thought, when the "no work, no ratios" edict is enforced.

The committee has begun to eliminate those who are now imposing upon the country's charity, but some days must elapse before the process can be completed. Twelve cars loaded with supplies for the destitute from the New York Chamber of Commerce arrived today, and were gratefully received. The clothing will be especially useful. The commissaries continue to feed several thousand persons daily. Thus far the insurance companies have paid about one-fourth, or about \$1,500,000.

Ante Room Echoes.

The Nebraska party which went to Louisville, Ky., to make arrangements for the entertainment of the Antelope state Knights Templars at the triennial convocation in August have returned filled with enthusiasm over the reception which will be given the visiting knights upon that occasion. The party consisted of Samuel P. Davidson of Tecumseh, grand commander of the state commandery; Francis E. White, grand recorder, representing the state organization; Milton J. Kennard and James W. Maynard of Omaha, representing Mount Calvary commandery of this city.

When the party arrived at Louisville they were met by a local committee and escorted to a hotel, and were rendered every assistance in securing headquarters for those who will visit the city in August. The Nebraska delegation found that fifty committees, comprising from 1,000 to 1,200 of the leading citizens of Louisville, are at work raising funds and making arrangements for the convocation. A sum of \$100,000 has been raised to provide entertainment and \$40,000 for the decoration and illumination of the streets and city. It is the intention of the local committees to provide dinners gratis for every Knight Templar attending the convocation. Many side attractions have been provided, for, consisting of excursions on the river, trips to Mammoth cave and other places of interest.

The women of Louisville have taken upon the matter of the entertainment of the knights. A large committee will have the matter in charge and on the days of the competitive drills and parades will see that each female guest is placed in position to see all that transpires.

The Nebraska committee secured good quarters for the week. They retained as headquarters during the day four rooms in the Boys' High school, a building two blocks from the national headquarters. Two of these rooms will be used by the state commandery, and two by the members of Mount Calvary commandery. One of the rooms will be arranged for the women of the party and attendants will be present to care for them.

In addition to these rooms the committee secured as a lodging house for the party one of the most picturesque and commodious of the old southern residences of Louisville, for which that city is famous. The house is located on Fourth avenue and will be placed in charge of a woman who has

contracted to furnish breakfast and late dinner for the party at a reasonable price. This house will accommodate about seventy persons and the prospects are that it will be filled to overflowing with Omaha people.

There will be no lack of accommodations at Louisville, for, in addition to the regular hotels and boarding houses, nearly every person in the city has indicated their desire to entertain visitors during the convocation. The entertainment committee has also provided tents for about 4,000 persons and has arranged it so that during the hours when not engaged in the work of the convocation the visitors can live in the open air. A restaurant tent and reading and writing rooms have been provided on high ground near the best street, car service in the city, and the Omaha knights who have seen the preparations say that the tents will not be the least pleasant quarters to be had in town.

Knights Templars of this city will hold their meeting on Thursday evening of this week. There will be a special musical program will be rendered by the Madrigal club of this city. Refreshments served in the banquet hall at the close of the installation, which the ladies will witness.

Sunday, May 12, is St. Tamme's day and all Red Men and members of the Order of Pochontas residing in Omaha, Council Bluffs and South Omaha will assemble at Red Men's wigwam, Centennial block, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and march in a body to the Trinity cathedral, where Dean Campbell will deliver a special sermon to Red Men.

Thursday evening Triangle lodge No. 34 will work in the third rank.

Union Pacific council No. 1939 will attend special services at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Twentieth and Ohio streets, this evening. The sermon will be delivered by Rev. H. Percy Silver, pastor of the church, who leaves Wednesday for St. Louis, to reside.

The newly elected state officers of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic were entertained at the residence of Otto Schneider, 2232 Seward street, on their return from Plattsmouth. Those in the party were Mrs. Ruby Stout of Hastings, department president; Mrs. Anne E. Marshall of Hastings, department secretary; Mrs. Star of McCook, department inspector; Mrs. Inez Yarton of Omaha, department conductor; and Mrs. Cynthia Meyer of Omaha, department treasurer. The committee having the entertainment in charge was Mrs. Agnes Haze, Mrs. Carrie Deor and Mrs. Lizzie Metcalf.

On Wednesday evening, May 8, a social party was given at the home of Mrs. J. J. Kurtz, 2714 Charles street, to the friends and members of Omaha lodge, No. 78, Star of Jupiter. The evening was delightfully spent in cards, dancing and singing. William Meyer, Mr. Hite and J. W. Kurtz spoke a few words on the principles of the order, after which lunch was served.

Smallpox in Negro Quarters.

Police officers found a case of smallpox Friday evening in a negro boarding house, kept by Mrs. Blackwell, at 1313 Jones street. They were not looking for contagious diseases, but after getting the colored man and woman they called for one of the detectives went upstairs and found something in a bed. Detective Mitchell called for Emergency Officer Baldwin and together they investigated. Mitchell lay aside the covers and there lay a person, whether man or woman, was uncertain in the dim light. Baldwin grasped the person's head and turned the face toward the light. One look was sufficient. It was a well defined case of smallpox. The victim was a woman. The officers lost no time in getting out of the house. The case was reported to the health authorities at once and they promptly established a quarantine.

Pensions for Iowa Veterans.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—(Special.)—The following pensions have been granted: Issue of April 26, 1901: Iowa: Original—Jacob Branner, Des Moines, \$6; John Hoover, Gladbrook, \$6; Michael Featherston, Iowa Falls, \$6. Additional issue—Joseph P. Primrose, \$12; Joseph W. Wilson (special April 27), \$12; George W. Hoover (father), Grinnell, \$12; Sarah E. Gaylord, Fort Madison, \$8; Margaret Blair (special April 27), \$12; Florida, \$8; Phoebe A. Harrington, Hawleyville, \$8. War with Spain: Original—Thomas H. Barnes, Alsworth, \$6.

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GRAIN CROPS OF EUROPE

Agricultural Department Reports Their Condition Fair to Very Good.

GERMANY'S WINTER WHEAT FARES WORST

Outlook There is Considerably Below Medium—Spring is Backward Over Most of the Continent.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Agricultural department's summary of crop conditions in Europe, just issued, is as follows: With only one exception of much importance, so far as is yet known, the condition of the winter grain crops of Europe at the end of the winter ranged from fair to very good. The exception is the winter wheat crop of Germany, of which the condition was officially stated on April 15 at 2.6, a figure denoting an outlook considerably below medium.

In a large part of Europe the spring season has been backward, but aside from this circumstance the spring crops appear as a rule to have been put under fairly satisfactory conditions.

CONDEMNNS HALL COUNTY JAIL

Grand Jury at Grand Island Characterizes It as Unfit for Use.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., May 11.—(Special.)—The grand jury called at the beginning of the week has adjourned. It has completed its labors and so far has submitted two reports. One condemns the Hall county court house and jail. The other recommends that the proprietors or the authorities in charge of the following buildings be notified to comply with the law requiring fire escapes: Grand Island college, Grand Island college dormitory, Catholic schoolhouse, St. Francis hospital, Palmer house, DeLishan bank building, city hall, H. H. Glover and Grand Island business college building, Security bank building and public school buildings at Doniphan and Wood River. The language of the jury in its condemnation of the court house is: "The jail we found in a most unsatisfactory condition. Nothing to commend; everything to condemn. On entering the jail we were met by an indescribable and sickening stench; the jail reeked in filth and one shuddered at the thought that any human being should be confined in such a place. Our inquiry developed the fact that it was once the home of rats and other vermin, but its condition has become so intolerable that they, like its prisoners, have vanished."

"The jail, in its construction, is a relic of barbarism; proper ventilation is impossible; the walls of the building have apparently become saturated with the filth from an adjoining cesspool; the stench permeates the entire building and its condition is a disgrace to the county."

"We not only condemn the jail as an unfit place for the confinement of prisoners, but the entire building, as a menace to public health and safety."

To Attend Cincinnati Trial. HASTINGS, Neb., May 11.—(Special.)—Chief of Police Charles H. Wausler, George T. Brown and G. T. Fisher have been subpoenaed to appear in court at Cincinnati next week, as witnesses in the Miller and Grant forgery case.

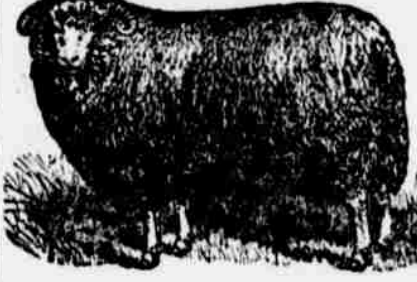
Rob Bellwood Hardware Store. DAVID CITY, Neb., May 11.—(Special Telegram.)—The hardware store of C. D. Hudson at Bellwood was broken into Thursday night, and knives, watches, silverware and revolvers to the amount of \$75 taken.

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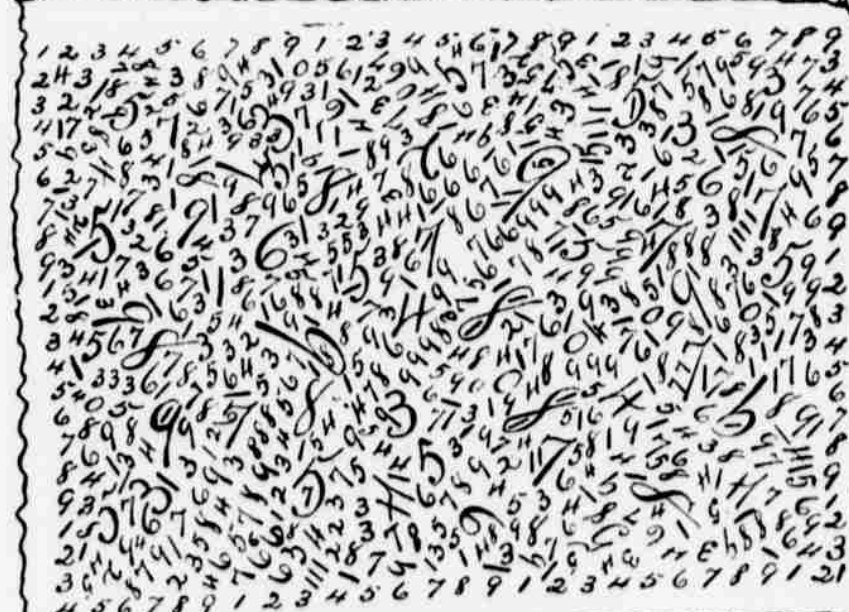
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