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#### TERMINAL FIGHTS A RAISE

Threatens to Go Into Court if Board Increases Its Valuation.

#### GOVERNOR NOT AFRAID OF THE COURTS

Board Disposed to Make the Rate in Spite of Fact Company Maintains Its Stock is Valueless.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
LINCOLN, May 5.—(Special.)—Governor Mickey today told General Manager Webster of the Omaha Bridge & Terminal company that the board would obey the law and assess that corporation at its true value regardless of the threat of litigation made by the Omaha man, when he had been informed by the governor that the assessment would probably be raised from \$100,000 to \$300,000. Webster declared that any such increase was unjust and would force the company to resort to the courts. "We can't help that," said the governor. "We will obey the law and assess the property at as near the true value as possible. We have nothing to do with the suits and cannot regard the possibility of litigation in making assessments."

By spending an afternoon before the board, the general manager of the company was partially successful in convincing that body of the poverty of the concern, and there is a disposition to increase the assessment less than 100 per cent. During the hearing the governor frequently called attention to the statement of Webster that the property is now controlled and owned by the Illinois Central for the purpose of having an Omaha terminal. He thought that the property should have been increased in value by that transaction, and intimated that he did not regard the assessment made last year as a fair standard.

He again announced the purpose of the board to assess the leases of the Milwaukee, Great Western, Wabash and other lines using the Union Pacific terminals under lease.

Says Stock is Valueless.  
Webster said that the stock of the company was worth practically nothing, although it had been listed at 1 per cent on the dollar with the board. He stated that the \$1,000,000 of bonds had been issued at 87. The Illinois Central paid \$1,000,000. He said that he thought the property was

worth over that amount, but not \$1,000,000. In response to questions Webster stated that he did not consider it a profitable investment for the Illinois road since it was obliged to meet the interest charges on the bonds, amounting to about \$70,000 a year, while other roads were getting the same service from the Union Pacific at a cost of \$6,000 a year. He said he had been given to understand that the Illinois Central had already lost \$500,000 on account of the purchase and gave it as his opinion that the terminal business had been overdone.

Treasurer Mortensen produced a statement showing that the company is credited with twenty-four miles of track in Nebraska, whereas the statement filed with the board accounts for only eleven miles, a large portion of which is sidetrack. Webster pointed out that the engineer had accurately "chained" off the track and the statement was correct. A blue print drawn to a scale was produced to prove the statement. A portion of the track, he said, was not owned, but held under trackage rights. He absolutely denied that the lots were worth more than \$1,000 when questioned as to their value compared with the property owned by the Union Pacific.

The board spent the entire day with the representative of this company in its efforts to get at the true value of the property. After the session Governor Mickey announced his opinion that the plan of railway companies for reduction because their investments in some instances had not proved to be good payers ought not to be regarded any more than a similar plan of the farmer or business man whose business has failed to pay a large return. He clings to the opinion that the terminal property has increased considerably in value since its acquisition by the Illinois road.

#### Trip de Luxe Planned for Glee Club.

It developed at the university today that the officials of that institution have given their sanction to the preliminary plans for a trip de luxe of the Glee club to the Pacific coast next April. The Glee club will be enlarged to twenty-five members and a mandolin club will also be organized. The scheme, which meets with the approval of the chancellor, is intended to advertise the university throughout the west. The party will travel in a Pullman hotel car and a baggage car. The cost of the trip, which will last eighteen days, will amount to about \$4,000, but it is claimed that the concert to be given will more than repay the cost. Eighteen concerts will be given, at Ogden, Salt Lake City, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Salem, Tacoma, Seattle, Boise, Butte, Helena, several points in the Black Hills and Cheyenne. The tour will begin April 8. The fight for the support of the Lancaster

county delegation in the congressional convention, to be held at Falls City June 1, has for the present narrowed down to a contest for the support of Precinct B of the Fifth ward, in which Paul Clark former speaker of the house, and H. C. M. Burgess, the state chairman, reside. Under the rules of the primary system in force in this county whichever man loses will have to subside. Burgess' friends are hopeful that he will be able to win out, as they claim that he has the prospects of enough support from the country and city districts which are not pledged to give him the delegation. This view is sought by the supporters of District Judges Frost and Holmes, who are both candidates.

#### Spinney Wants to Mandamus.

Attorney F. L. Weaver of Omaha, representing E. C. Spinney of the Bankers' Union of the World, stated today that a mandamus suit would be instituted against Auditor Searle to compel him to issue a license. Today the auditor made a formal ruling rejecting an amended application by Spinney's company on the ground that it did not comply with the requirements of the statute. The first application was rejected April 6 on the same ground. One of the principal objections made by the auditor to the statement was its failure to correctly set forth the membership and the financial condition. Suit will probably be filed in Lancaster county.

#### House Journal Ready for Printer.

Chief Clerk Wall of the house of representatives was in the city today for the purpose of turning over to the printer the copy for the journal of the session of 1905. It will make a volume with from 800 to 1,000 pages. Wall will have to attend to the proofreading and the preparation of the index before his task is done.

#### Exposition Commission to Meet.

The Nebraska commission to the Portland exposition will hold a meeting at Fremont tomorrow to discuss plans. Chairman W. P. Warner of the commission has returned from Portland, where he let the contracts for the Nebraska pavilion. Secretary Shedd of the commission stated today that the first shipment of products will be made this week. About 600 bushels of corn have been collected for the purpose already. The sheaf grain shown at St. Louis will be sent to Portland.

#### Facilities for Junior Normals.

State Superintendent McBrien has appointed the following persons on the faculties of the five junior normal schools which begin ten-week sessions June 5: Alliance—Principal, W. H. Bartz, superintendent Alliance city schools. The other members of the faculty are: Superintendent A. A. Reed, Superior; Roy W. Eaton, principal Wynora high school; A. H. Staley, superintendent of schools of Friend; C. S. Jones, principal of Crawford high school; Carrie K. Fisher, primary teacher at Ogalala, for supervisor and teacher of the model rural school, and Frances Knox, superintendent of the Cheyenne county public schools.

Holdrege—Principal, E. H. Thompson, superintendent Holdrege city schools; members of faculty, E. E. Magee, superintendent of Fairmont public schools; R. D. Overholt, superintendent of Minden public schools; H. E. Bradford, superintendent of Holdrege public schools; F. Borsom, principal of Ewing high school, supervisor and teacher of the model rural school, and P. P. Bentley, superintendent of Harlan county public schools. McCook—Principal, George H. Thomas, superintendent of McCook city schools; faculty, C. E. Bartz, superintendent of Nebraska public schools; Eva O'Sullivan, assistant teacher, Sully, Omaha; High school; H. F. Hooper, superintendent of public schools at Clark; Nellie May Schies of

the McKinley school, Lincoln, supervisor and teacher of the model rural school, and James O'Connell, superintendent of the Hitchcock county public schools.

North Platte—Principal, O. W. Neale, superintendent Lincoln county public schools; faculty, James E. Deibel, superintendent of Lexington public schools; J. C. Orr, superintendent North Platte public schools; S. H. Martin, superintendent of St. Paul public schools; A. Sortley, superintendent of Perkins county public schools; Clara Smith, principal of grammar school, Chadron, for supervisor and teacher of the model rural school, and W. E. Fate, principal of Grafton high school.

#### RAIN DOES NOT STOP DRUMMERS

Have Their Parade at Holdrege Just the Same.

HOLDREGE, Neb., May 5.—(Special Telegram.)—The rain today somewhat interfered with the Jollifications of the grand council of commercial travelers. Nevertheless, the day was well spent in getting acquainted and in council work. The Holdrege

regue council met the visiting members at the morning train with a band. The street parade, accompanied by two bands, formed a pleasant feature of the day. As some of the traveling men were in comic attire, it created considerable merriment. This afternoon the women of the local council entertained the visiting women at a delightful informal reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Orrin. A ball and banquet were given at the New Hampton this evening.

About a hundred visiting traveling men are present and about twenty-five are accompanied by their wives.

#### BOYLE HAS A SPLENDID RECORD

Dead Officer Promoted from Rank for Gallantry.

KEARNEY, Neb., May 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Cablegrams from the Philippine islands and telegrams from the War department were received today by Mrs. Juan Boyle, announcing that her son, First Lieutenant Juan Ashton Boyle, had been drowned while sailing on Laguna lake, Island of Luzon, Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The body has not been recovered. Lieutenant Boyle was a native of Kearney and was about 27 years old. He was a son of the late Juan Boyle. Entering the regular army prior to the Spanish-American war, he won his way by gallantry and devotion to duty from the position of a private to that of first lieutenant. He was at the battle of Santiago and had the distinguished honor of capturing the first Spanish flag on San Juan hill. For this act of bravery he was promoted by President McKinley to a second lieutenant. His promotion to first lieutenant came later as a further recognition of duty well performed.

Lieutenant Boyle was married ten months ago to Miss Bullard of Elmira, N. Y., and she was with him at Luzon at the time of the accident.

#### W. C. T. U. Meeting Closed.

YORK, Neb., May 5.—(Special.)—The Women's Christian Temperance union meetings closed last evening. Plans and arrangements were made to reorganize by counties, first in each town in the county and then a county organization. An effort will be made to secure Mrs. St. John to organize in Waco, Benedict, Bradshaw and McCool in York county. Mrs. Chase will take the northwest part of the state. Hunt and Mrs. Holt, two excellent organizers, will work in other parts of the state.

#### News of Nebraska.

MADISON—Ray Stewart this week took charge of the Madison Chronicle as its editor.

BEATRICE—The annual convention of the Beatrice district, Woman's Home Missionary society will be held at Blue Springs May 15 and 16.

BEATRICE—It is reported here that work on the Marysville-Topeka cutoff of the Union Pacific road will be completed in about four months.

MADISON—At the meeting of the new city council William Kennedy was appointed chief of police and William O'Brien street commissioner for the coming year.

BEATRICE—The new elevator of Blythe & Patton at Blue Springs is nearly completed. It will be a much larger and better structure than the one destroyed by about four months.

MADISON—A miniature tornado passed through east of this place yesterday afternoon, blowing down windmills and small buildings. It accompanied the storm and many window panes were broken.

MADISON—Mrs. H. E. Becker, wife of Henry E. Becker, Madison's pioneer furniture dealer died here today of a complication of diseases, aged 86 years. Deceased was a native of Ireland and came to Madison in 1874.

TECUMSEH—Miss Bertha McCall of Pawnee City and Misses Clara Clark and Laura Bush of this city have been elected to positions on the teaching force of the Tecumseh schools for the coming year. The force is now completed.

HUMBOLDT—John Patterson, a farmer three miles south of the city, got his foot entangled in a disk barrow with which he was working and suffered a severe laceration of the foot, a badly crushed ankle before his team could be stopped.

MADISON—The Norfolk branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church held a convention here this week. Miss Spaulding, a missionary from Manila, was the principal speaker. There were many delegates from other towns.

BEATRICE—The town of Barneston is without saloons at present, remonstrances having been filed against the granting of licenses to Charles Peterson and T. W. McDonald. The new village board will meet next Monday evening, May 8, to hear the remonstrances.

HUMBOLDT—The Richardson county mortgage record for the month of April shows the following footings: Farm mortgages filed, 24, \$4,927; released, 22, \$9,111.56; city mortgages filed, 16, \$10,624.11; released, 5, \$3,075; chattel mortgages filed, 4, \$28,629.36; released, 58, \$13,287.87.

PAPILLION—At the regular meeting of the village board liquor licenses were granted to Peter Limm, Hans Harmsen, Frank Heisl and Henry Niemann. The fol-

lowing appointments were made on the new village board: A. J. Langdon, village attorney; Mike Weiskel, street commissioner; J. J. Wash, lamp lighter.

TECUMSEH—Dr. T. E. Fairall and Livyrynna T. E. Brewer were driving south of the city when the wheels of their buggy struck an obstruction with sufficient force to throw the doctor out of the rig. He alighted upon his face and suffered a severely lacerated face. Mr. Brewer remained in the buggy and was uninjured. The rig was considerably demoralized.

FALLS CITY—Sim Burke, a merchant of Rufo, was arrested at that place Wednesday evening on a warrant sworn out by Charles McMahan charging Burke with statutory assault on McMahan's daughter. Flora, a girl 15 years old. Burke was released on \$500 bond and the preliminary examination was continued. Burke is a married man about 40 years old.

EAPHLION—Joseph Smith, Charles Smith and Calmi Cosart were arrested and brought to Papillion charged with hunting without a license. George Harlan filed the complaint and alleges they killed his dog and threatened his life when he ordered them off his land. The trial they were found guilty and fined \$5 and costs, which was paid, and they were released.

BEATRICE—The Woman's Baptist Missionary society held a very enjoyable and largely attended meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. Parker. The subject for discussion was Cuba. The work of Baptist missionaries, the population and characteristics of the people of the island were discussed at length. The meeting proved unusually interesting and was under the leadership of Mrs. G. D. Evans.

FREMONT—John Ives was arrested yesterday by Constable H. Wilson near North Bend at the request of the sheriff of Merrick county on a charge of felonious assault upon a girl 15 years of age at Central City and was taken to that place this morning. Ives is 28 years of age and is a man of family. The man's relatives are prominent farmers in this county. He confessed that he was guilty of the offense.

BEATRICE—A stranger claiming to represent an Omaha house is being traveling through the country selling a very inferior quality of silver poles. In making a very fine article of polish in making the demonstration, but after his departure the housewife was not long in discovering that she had been the victim of a grifter. The matter has been reported to the authorities, who intend to locate the fellow if he has not already decamped.

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