

### Nebraska OFFICIALS PUZZLED OVER LAW Pure Seed and Commercial Stock Food Act Under Inquiry.

#### DISPOSITION OF FEES AN ISSUE Question Whether Food Commissioner May Use All the Funds Paid in for Purpose of Department Without Appropriation.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Sept. 14.—(Special)—State officials are facing several puzzling questions as to the enforcement of the pure seed and commercial stock food law and the Gerdes accounting act, both of which measures were put upon the books by the last legislature.

If the food commissioner is allowed to draw from the state treasury all of the fees of his department, will he be able, under the state law, to hire an extra chemist and enforce the law?

Does the Gerdes bill allow the expenditure of funds after it has provided that all of the state funds shall be collected and paid into the state treasury by the heads of each department?

If this can be done, may each of the departments of the state government withdraw all of the funds it collects and spend these amounts of money within each biennium?

These are questions which have caused the state officials to become suddenly interested in the provisions of the Gerdes set of accounting measures.

Letter from Jackson.

Food Commissioner W. R. Jackson has written Auditor Barton as follows:

"The last legislature passed a pure seed and commercial stock food law and placed the enforcement of it under this department. This law provides for the analysis of seeds and stock foods by the department and the collection of certain fees. These fees under the same law in Iowa amounted in eighteen months to \$25,000. It is safe to assume that Nebraska will collect at least one-third of this amount. In passing this law the legislature made no appropriation for its enforcement and the law must become a dead letter unless the department can use such of the money collected as is necessary to fit up a seed laboratory and employ a seed analyst and an assistant chemist to handle the work necessary for a proper enforcement of the act. The attorney general informs me that under house roll No. 571 we can use the money collected in fees from this law, but we do not wish to enforce the law unless we employ a seed analyst and warrants against this money after it has been deposited with the state treasurer. If you can do this an immediate reply will be appreciated as the law is effective October 1, 1911."

The auditor has referred the mooted points to the attorney general.

Pledge Case in Supreme Court.

The supreme court of Nebraska will convene next Monday and continue in session all week. The Pledge murder case will be argued Wednesday. William Fleggs of Dixon county, convicted of the murder of his sister, and who is now at liberty on a \$25,000 bond, has appealed for a reversal of the judgment of the lower court and jury.

Joseph Whiteley Dead.

Joseph Whiteley, the oldest resident of Lincoln, died this morning at 11 o'clock at the home of his son-in-law, C. A. Lyman, 230 F street. He was 91 years old.

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#### PUSH WORK OF REGISTRATION Lincoln Students of State University to Be Gotten Out of Way Before Outsiders.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special)—Tickets for registration will be distributed Monday from the registrar's office at the University of Nebraska. The tickets will entitle the holders to register at the hour designated thereon during subsequent days of the week. Issuance of tickets on Monday, a day in advance of the regular time, is an innovation this year and it is believed will enable Lincoln students to register and get out of the way when the rush of out-of-town students begins.

#### SUFFERED AGONY WITH ITCHING And Burning. Sores Like Boils All Over Body. Parts of Flesh Raw. Could Scarcely Bear Clothes On. Nearly Worn Out When He Tried Cuticura Remedies and Was Cured.

"About four years ago I broke out with sores on my arms like boils. After two months they were all over my body, some coming, and some going away. In about six months the boils quit, but my arms, neck and body broke out with an itching, burning rash. It would burn and itch, and come out in pimples like grains of wheat. I was in a terrible condition; I could not sleep or rest. Parts of my flesh were raw, and I could scarcely bear my clothes on. I could not lie in bed in any position and rest. I tried every remedy known to me, but they did not help me. I was nearly worn out, and had given up in despair of ever being cured when I was advised by a friend to try Cuticura. I purchased Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Resolvent, and used exactly as directed. I used the Cuticura Remedies constantly for four months, and nothing else, and was perfectly cured. It is now a year, and I have not had the least bit since. I am ready to praise the Cuticura Remedies at any time." (Signed) E. L. Clark, Erie, Ky., Nov. 10, 1910.

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#### Anti-Saloon Men Busy at Conference Darnell at University Place Seeks to Get Church Members Into Coming Election.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special)—In a speech before the Nebraska conference of the Methodist church, Thomas Darnell, attorney for the Anti-Saloon league, declared the liquor interests are tramping upon the rights of the people and that they are attempting to control the courts of the state. He declared that in many of the judicial districts candidates for judges are subservient to the will of the brewers. He appealed to the ministers to get busy in the campaign and take an active part in an effort to defeat the candidates of the brewers.

C. M. Shepherd presented a resolution requesting the conference committees on the observance of the Sabbath and the temperance committee to plan a campaign against the repeal of the state Sunday law. He stated, in presenting the resolution, that the next legislature would undoubtedly make an attempt to repeal the present Sunday statute.

The second day of the Nebraska conference in session at the First Methodist church in University Place opened this morning with an address by Rev. H. F. Hall of Philadelphia. He spoke on the subject, "Paul the Student and His Truth."

Following the reports of the district superintendents the candidates for trial admission to the ministry were introduced and their names voted upon. The candidates admitted on trial were: Benjamin A. Alexander, Chicago, Mo.; R. Keith, Madison, Ind.; O. W. Reynolds, University Place; Le Roy Stringfellow, Madison, Wis.; J. B. Hill, Geo. W. Hilton, Waverly; Alfred V. Hunter, Princeton; William L. Huye, Lincoln; Heide, K. Sutton, University Place.

#### Senator Clapp Talks at Lincoln Banquet Minnesota Solon Reaches Lincoln, Where He Takes Part in La Follette Meeting.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Sept. 14.—(Special)—The progressive movement as it is beginning to manifest itself at the present time is pronouncedly against closed-door conferences of political leaders, that it bespeaks for the farmers of the west just as much legislative consideration as it does for the manufacturers of the east, and that it insists on the right of the mass of people to rule instead of the privileged few, is the message brought to Nebraska by Senator Moses E. Clapp of Minnesota, who delivered the principal address at the La Follette banquet held here tonight.

Senator Clapp has just returned from California, where he spent two weeks in campaigning for the initiative, referendum and recall constitutional amendments which are to be voted upon there.

Senator Clapp laid great stress on the advantage of the provisions of the law giving to voters a right to express their preference for president and vice president. "There are six states that practically have such an enactment and which will operate under it at the coming presidential election. They are Oregon, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin, New Jersey and our own state."

#### Bryan to Campaign Over Nebraska Will Spend Sixteen Days in State in Interest of Democratic State Ticket.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special)—That William J. Bryan will spend sixteen days campaigning throughout the state in the interests of the democratic state ticket was announced here today following a conference held between Charles W. Bryan and J. C. Byrnes, chairman of the democratic state central committee. The entire arrangements for the trip will be under the supervision of the state committee and Mr. Bryan's entire schedule will be arranged by officers of that committee.

According to present plans Mr. Bryan will begin his campaign October 5 and will conclude October 21. His speeches will be made mainly at county seat towns in the thickly populated sections of the state. He will make three speeches each day that he is out, one in the forenoon, one in the afternoon and one in the evening.

Whether Mr. Bryan will touch upon presidential candidates is not known here, nor will any of the parties to the arrangements venture a suggestion as to that phase of his speech-making tour. According to his brother, Charles, however, he will pay considerable attention to national issues, and this, his brother adds, "gives him a wide field."

Mr. Bryan is at present in Nova Scotia, where he is busy delivering addresses to the Canadians and incidentally, it is said, learning something about reciprocity from a Canadian standpoint. He will return home September 28, according to present plans. His last address before he returns to Nebraska will be delivered at the Conservation Congress at Kansas City, September 27.

#### Charles Clems Held on Murder Charge In a Dying Statement Frank Smith Accuses the Prisoner of Shooting Him.

FRANKLIN, Neb., Sept. 14.—Charles Clems, a stone cutter of this city, is being held in the county jail at Bloomington on the charge of murder as a result of the death Wednesday of Frank Smith, who was shot last Monday night in a room over Clems' marble works.

Smith made a dying statement, accusing Clems of shooting him, while he was lying on a bed in the latter's room. Clems denies the story, asserting that Smith attacked him with a revolver and that the weapon went off in Smith's hand during the struggle, wounding Smith fatally.

#### WEST POINTERS HAVE MINE Number of Coming County Men Form Incorporation—Corn About Laid By.

WEST POINT, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special)—The Mountaineer Gold Mining company has been incorporated by West Point citizens. The mine is located at Wellington, Nev., and shows rich prospects of high grade ore.

Former County Treasurer Fred Thiele has returned home from a three month visit to Germany. He was accompanied by his two daughters. During their sojourn they visited the principal capitals of Europe and spent some time at the birthplace of Mr. Thiele's.

The warm weather and periodical rains of the last three weeks has placed the great bulk of the corn crop practically out of danger from frost.

#### COLLECTING GUARANTY FUND State Legal Department Wrestles with Problem of Getting Cash from Nationalized Banks.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special)—Whether the state can recover what is alleged to be back due assessments payable under the provisions of the guaranty act from banks which nationalized before the war with its amendments went into effect is a question to which members of the state legal department are now paying considerable attention.

If the act can be interpreted as relating only to the time that the original act really became effective, which was March 30, 1911, then only four banks of the state can be sued on these grounds. If the amendments can be construed, however, as applying only after they went into effect, which was July 7, 1911, then only three state banks can be sued for this assessment.

#### BOOSTERS ADVERTISE FAIR ORD, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special)—Twenty automobiles loaded with boosters made a trip through Sherman, Custer, Loup, Garfield and Valley counties boosting the coming Loup valley fair and races and distributing literature and advertising. The trip was completed on schedule time. Loup County, Comstock, Sargent, Taylor, Burwell and Elyria having been visited.

Extortion Charge Against Neff.

UTICA, Neb., Sept. 14.—(Special)—Alva Neff of Utica was taken in custody last Saturday by Sheriff Gillan on a complaint sworn out by Anthony L. Butler, charging him with blackmail and extortion. From the complaint it appears that Neff extorted \$50 from Wendell Butler, an aged man and father of Anthony L. Butler, claiming that the elder Butler used profane and indecent language in the presence of Neff's wife. Neff was brought to Seward Tuesday and had a preliminary hearing before Judge Gladman and was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$500 and was remanded in default of bail.

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