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Asks for Abolition of Board of Control

LINCOLN, Jan. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Abolition of the State Board of Control was advocated today by ex-State Treasurer Walter A. George and State Superintendent A. O. Thomas...

ILLINOIS CENTRAL MAY FIX RATES ON GRAIN

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The Interstate Commerce commission today authorized the Illinois Central Railroad company to establish and maintain proportional rates for the transportation of grain and grain products from Central Bluffs, Kan., and Central City, S. D., to Omaha...

BURLINGTON REQUEST IN FRUIT CASE DENIED

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The application of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad to establish rates on tropical fruits from New Orleans, Port Chalmers, La.; Mobile and Pensacola, Fla.; to Sioux City, Ia., the same as the rates concurrently in effect on like traffic from the points of origin to Sioux City, via other routes...

SEVERELY BURNED AS HE TESTS AN ENGINE

BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Joe Davison was severely burned about the face, hands and arms this morning at the Dempster plant while engaged in testing a gasoline engine. The cup on the engine exploded, throwing the liquid over the young man's hands and face. He was taken to a hospital for treatment.

How to Have the Best Cough Remedy and Save \$2 by Making It at Home

Cough medicines, as a rule contain a large quantity of plain syrup. A pint of granulated sugar with 1/2 pint of warm water, stirred for 2 minutes, gives you as good syrup as money can buy. Then get from your druggist 2 1/2 ounces Pinex (50 cents worth), pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with sugar syrup. This gives you a cost of only 54 cents, a full pint of really better cough syrup than you could buy ready made for \$2.50—a clear saving of nearly \$2. Full directions with Pinex. It keeps perfectly and tastes good. It takes hold of the usual cough or chest cold at once and conquers it in 24 hours. Splendid for whooping cough, bronchitis and winter coughs. It's truly astonishing how quickly it loosens the dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals and soothes the inflamed membranes in the case of a painful cough. It also stops the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes, thus ending the persistent loose cough. Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, combined with guaiaicol, and has been used for generations to heal inflamed membranes of the throat and chest. To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex," and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Nebraska ATTEMPT TO FORCE RAILROAD TO BUILD

Representative Hoffmeister Introduces Measure to Compel Completion of Line to Holyoke. (From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 28.—(Special.)—An attempt will be made to force the Burlington railway to build an extension of its line from Imperial to Holyoke, Colo., or forfeit its right-of-way. Representative Hoffmeister of Chase county being the sponsor of the bill. The introducer spoke at some length on the matter, and Trumble denounced the railway commission for failure to do something. Taylor of Custer "hopped" upon Frank Currie by calling him a railway lobbyist. He tried to stir up the members by talking along anti-corporation lines and tried to make them believe that the corporations didn't take much stock in the ability of the members to do things. Meckett was for the bill, but defended the railway commission, saying that they were doing all that possibly could be done for the people and their interests.

Labor Commissioner To Probe South Omaha

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Just to give Governor Morehead a little something to think about while he is resting, the live stock and grazing committee of the house filed a recommendation this morning calling on the executive to require the labor commissioner to inquire into the conditions now existing in the South Omaha packing houses and see if they have improved since the investigation made by a committee from the legislature in 1912.

JOHN ORTON, PROMINENT FULLERTON MAN, IS DEAD

FULLERTON, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Senator J. H. Kemp received word Tuesday from Okaloosa, Ia., of the death in private hospital in that city, of Mrs. Kemp's only brother, John Orton, who had gone to Okaloosa several months previous to receive medical attention from his uncle, an eminent physician and surgeon of Okaloosa. John Orton is the son of W. H. Orton and has resided in Fullerton the last twenty-five years, being identified with almost every large business corporation in Fullerton. Mr. Orton was educated in eastern universities, where he prepared himself for a professorship in Greek, but his parents' removal to Nebraska, but his parents' heavy investments here kept him interested in business projects. W. H. Orton, who was with his son when death came, brought the body to Fullerton. The funeral was from the Kemp home today. Mrs. Wynn, mother of F. R. Hopcock, a prominent business man of this city, died quite suddenly at the Hopcock home. The weakness and frailty of age caused her death. Mrs. Wynn was 80 years of age and but a few years ago gave up her home in Illinois and came to reside with her son and his family.

SCHOOL MEN'S CLUB WILL MEET AT OXFORD

OXFORD, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—The Southwest Nebraska School Men's club will hold a meeting at Oxford on Saturday, January 29. A large per cent of the superintendents and principals of that section of the state have already signified their intention of being present. Interesting and instructive programs and an afternoon session have been prepared by Superintendent Chadderton and President Burwell. Superintendent Moritz of Red Cloud, Superintendent Davis of McCook, Superintendent Homer of Frankling and Principal Youard of Holdrege will give talks. In the evening the members and their wives will hold a banquet at the Burlington hotel.

Notes from Seward.

SEWARD, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Sarah Shattuck, a former resident of Seward, died at Anokha, Minn., yesterday. Her body will be brought to Seward on Friday. Services will be held from the Methodist church. Interment will be made by the side of her daughter, who lost her life in the blizzard of January 12, 1888. The Farm Management association of this county yesterday engaged A. H. Beckhoff, the present farm demonstrator, for the coming year. D. M. Hildebrand was elected president, Joe Stahley vice president and T. H. Wake treasurer. Mr. Beckhoff sold \$15,000 worth of alfalfa seed to Seward county farmers in 1914. Mr. Raymond Hurt of Seward and Miss Emma Paulko of Orona were married here by Rev. Noth yesterday. The Social Welfare society of this city was organized at the Young Men's Christian association on Saturday for the purpose of distributing charity. Secretary Prevey of Lincoln made an address. The Seward County University club will hold its annual banquet on February 12. One hundred former students will attend. The total expenses of Seward county for 1914 was \$29,822.56, of this \$18,162.56 was spent for building bridges. Farm mortgages in the amount of \$99,021.59 were filed in Seward county in 1914; \$54,595.67 were released. Farmers Will Build Elevator. SILVER CREEK, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—The Farmers' Elevator company of Silver Creek held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon and adjourned to March 24, for unfinished business. C. Vincent of Omaha was present by invitation and made an address. The farmers now have several thousand dollars collected, with more in sight, and are enthusiastic, notwithstanding long delay. They expect to let a contract in a short time for the building of an elevator unless, possibly, they should buy one of the two here in operation now. Women of Sedentary Habits. Women who get but little exercise are likely to be troubled with constipation and indigestion and will find Chamberlain's Tablets highly beneficial. Not so good as a three or four-mile walk every day, but very much better than to allow the bowels to remain in a constipated condition. They are easy and pleasant to take and most agreeable in effect. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

Nebraska Pulling the Wires for District Judge

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The pulling and hauling over the appointment to be made by Governor Morehead to the vacant district judgeship in Douglas county continues. Apparently S. A. Searle has had the lead for the succession to Judge Sutton, as it was known he had the support of Judge Sutton, himself, but great pressure is being brought for Judge W. A. Redick. Byron Clark, solicitor of the Burlington, was in to see the governor in Redick's behalf, and was understood to speak for the Union Pacific as well. Attorney Morsman of the Nebraska Telephone company has also been pulling wires for Redick with the help of the attorneys of other Omaha public service corporations. The Sutton resignation is effective February 1, so the governor will have to name the man this week or the salary will go to waste.

Militia Equipment Sent to Nebraska

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Adjutant General Hall has received a shipment from the War department of three carloads of supplies for the Nebraska National Guard. The shipment includes ten supply wagons, ambulances, clothing, etc. At present there is room in the arsenal for but one carload, according to General Hall, who is hard put to find room for the large shipment.

MISS MABEL GOULD OF KEARNEY DECLARED INSANE

KEARNEY, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Miss Mabel Gould, a young Kearney woman, was taken in charge by the authorities yesterday and the insanity commission found her to be insane. She will be taken to Hastings for treatment. Miss Gould has been gradually losing her mind since the death of her father several months ago, and the fact that the parent left nearly all his estate, amounting to \$60,000, to the foreign missions of the Presbyterian church, has given the girl additional worries over law suits, in which she attempted to break the will. During the last few weeks she has shown a tendency toward violence, and on Tuesday held the officers at bay with a revolver when they attempted to arrest her. During the last few days Miss Gould has taken out her spite against the church which was left her father's fortune by breaking the windows and otherwise damaging the property. Miss Gould, herself, owns property here to the extent of \$20,000.

SMALLS IS NOMINATED FOR POSTMASTER AT FREMONT

FREMONT, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Nat W. Smalls was nominated at the primaries held under the preferential voting system for postmaster at Fremont. The election was held Tuesday, but it was 11 o'clock this morning before the tabulation and elimination was finished. Eighteen hundred and seventy-six votes were cast, forty-five being thrown out, principally because the voter neglected to write his choice for each of the nine candidates. Some of the supposed strong candidates made a poor showing, landing in the second half. It took nineteen hours to figure out the result. Charles W. Mulloy was second.

Lyons Pioneer is Dead

LYONS, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Word was received here that Henry Meyer, a former pioneer citizen of this place, died at his home in Virgil, S. D. He leaves his third wife, four sons and one daughter. He settled on the wild prairie south of here in the German settlement in the spring of 1878, where he resided until six years ago, when he moved to South Dakota. He was born in Germany sixty-nine years ago. One son, Henry, resides here.

Indigestion? Can't Eat No Appetite?

Dr. King's New Life Pills stir up your liver, aid digestion; you feel fine the next day. Only 25c. All druggists.—Advertisement.

Lyons Will Have Fair

LYONS, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—A mass meeting was held in the city hall yesterday for the purpose of organizing the Lyons Fair association. Frank B. Roda was chosen as president, C. W. Babcock, vice president, W. S. Newmyre, secretary, and George W. Little, treasurer.

Keep Uric Acid Out of Joints Tells Rheumatism Sufferers to Eat Less Meat and Take Salts

Rheumatism is easier to avoid than to cure, states a well-known authority. We are advised to dress warmly; keep the feet dry; avoid exposure; eat less meat, but drink plenty of good water. Rheumatism is a direct result of eating too much meat and other rich foods that produce uric acid, which is absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly cold weather the skin pores are closed thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate the uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism. At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities. Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which helps overcome uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.—Advertisement.

Nebraska GIVE TESTIMONY AGAINST ROBERTS

State Presents Evidence at North Platte in Trial for Murder of Vernon Connett. (From a Staff Correspondent.) NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Before a crowd on great that the trial had to be adjourned to the Keith Opera house, testimony was given today in the case against Roy Roberts, accused of murdering Vernon Connett early last August. Evidence was presented by the state which included a card history of the trip taken by Connett and his family from Bird City, Kan., north overland in search of a milder climate for his wife; his stay in North Platte and the incidents that followed.

WIFE TELLS OF JOURNEY

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Identifies Skull

Mrs. Connett identified the skull and clothing found on the body as being that of her husband. Fred Carpenter, liverman at Hershely, testified that August 3 the defendant tried to sell Connett's team to him. He helped him find a buyer. The defendant then hired Carpenter to bring him to North Platte. He told Carpenter he wanted to sell the team and outfit because his wife was sick in Colorado and he wanted to go there at once.

The defendant gave Carpenter \$5 in gold out of a pocket full of money for helping him sell the team and paid him for feeding the team and bringing him to North Platte. O. H. Eberley, banker at Hershely, testified that August 3 Jenkins and the defendant came to the bank and had him prepare a bill of sale of the team and outfit, signing the name of Vernon Connett to the bill of sale, whereupon Jenkins wrote out a check to Vernon Connett. Roberts then endorsed the check with the name of Vernon Connett and received \$250 in gold.

Says Stepfather Guilty

Edward Miaggi, president of the Board of Pardoners, testified the defendant had been convicted of robbery and sentenced to the penitentiary and at the time of the murder was out on parole.

Using Soap Spoils the Hair

Soap should be used very sparingly, if at all, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it. The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mild coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), is cheaper and better than soap or anything else you can use. One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage. You can get mildified coconut oil at any pharmacy, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.—Advertisement.

Old-Time Cold Cure—Drink Tea!

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Thee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teaspoon full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.—Advertisement.

Only Two More Days Friday and Saturday will be your last chance to take advantage of the biggest bargain shoe event of the season. Drexel's Annual Sale High Shoes and Party Slippers Shoes from all departments are included in this sale, Men's, Women's and Children's, but as space is limited we will only quote the following items so you may judge of the many others from these.

5 Specials for Women 500 pairs, regular \$3.50 and \$4.00 values, dull kid and calf, broken lots but the best bargain ever offered. No charges or deliveries. Per pair \$1.00 200 pairs, broken lots of women's dress-and party slippers, \$6 and \$7 values, in bronze, patent kid, black suedes, beaded and plain \$2.45 100 pairs, \$3.00 and \$5.00 values, broken lots of women's fancy dress and party slippers, patent and dull kid, odds and ends in satins, pair \$1.95 100 pairs broken lots, party slippers, patent and dull kid, and black, white blue and pink satin, beaded and plain; no charges or deliveries; \$3.50 and \$4.00 values \$1.45 200 pairs broken lots, hose and dress slippers \$3.00 and \$4.00 values; no charges or deliveries; \$1.00 price

A Special for Men \$5.00 and \$4.00 values, 100 pairs men's patent, button and lace shoes, price \$1.95 Drexel Shoe Co. 1419 Farnam St.

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Fruit Laxative for Sick Child Give "California Syrup of Figs"

Cleanses tender little stomach, liver, bowels without injury. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember a good liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given. Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on each bottle. Ask your druggist for a 30-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs." Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other fig syrup with contempt.—Advertisement.

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This week we will give away Ruth. She is over two feet high, has very dark hair, blue eyes that go to sleep and rosy cheeks. She wears a white dress with blue trimmings and a blue hat with white trimmings, all the latest spring styles. We thought it would be spring when she came out, but we saw several ladies out with their spring suits today, so it must be time to wear them.

Ruth will be given free to the little girl under 12 years of age that brings or mails us the largest number of doll's pictures cut out of the Daily and Sunday Bee before 4 p. m. Saturday, January 30. Ruth's picture will be in The Bee every day this week. Cut them out and ask your friends to save the pictures in their paper for you, too. See how many pictures of Ruth you can get, and be sure to turn them in to The Bee office before 4 p. m. Saturday, January 30. You can see "Ruth" at The Bee Office

More Skates for our Busy Bee Boys Barney & Berry, American Club, Nickel Plated, Tempered Welded Steel Blades, Glass to Fit. This picture of one of the Skates will be in The Bee every day this week. Cut them all out and ask your friends to save the pictures in their paper for you, too. See how many pictures you can get and bring them to The Bee office next Saturday. The Skates will be given Free to the boy that sends us the most pictures before 4 P. M. Saturday, January 30.