

Nebraska COMPENSATION IS EFFECTIVE New Workmen's Law Being Made Use of by Laborers and Employers Alike.

BLANKS FURNISHED AT LINCOLN

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, April 5.—(Special.)—According to a statement issued by Labor Commissioner Coffey, settlements under the workmen's compensation law are coming in quickly. Deputy Commissioner of Labor Coffey said:

Under the former method of adjusting the workmen's law, there would have been sixty-four lawsuits and there would have been sixty-four employees and their dependents waiting to learn whether there should be any sort of compensation for the work accident. And there would have been sixty-four employees looking for their employer after they had been separated and able to return to work.

Official Lending Aid. Labor Commissioner Coffey prepared two blanks for settling accidents under the compensation law. These blanks are furnished by the department of labor upon application. With the filing of these two reports a complete history of each accident is made a part of the board.

Many questions arise in making settlements under the compensation law involving the amount of compensation, the application of the law as to employees and employers, to whom compensation is to be paid and by whom paid, the period of time for which an injured employee shall receive compensation, and so on.

Negro's Long Sprint Ends in His Capture

BEATRICE, Neb., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Floyd Combs, a negro, who robbed the homes of J. T. Claypool and F. H. Tucker, farmers living near Beckwith, Sunday evening, was chased by a crowd of farmers five or six miles and finally captured. In order to make better headway through the fields Combs took off his shoes and was barefooted when overtaken. He was brought here and lodged in the county jail.

HARRY A. FRENCH ENDS HIS LIFE BY SHOOTING

ASHLAND, Neb., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—While coming into Ashland with his crew about 8 o'clock this morning, Burlington Section Foreman Reuben A. Mayfield of Memphis discovered the lifeless body of Harry A. French, former Burlington station agent at Malmo, this county. The body was lying face down near the high water mark of the Burlington bridge, and not far from the Burlington pumping station on the Schuyler division.

LACK OF BUSINESS MAKES TRAVELING MAN DESPERATE

SIDNEY, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—J. J. Upson, a traveling salesman for a fruit house from Denver, while laboring under high mental excitement attempted to take his life at the National hotel last night by shooting. He went to the Burlington depot to take a train to Denver, went behind the water tank and again shot wildly at himself. He was brought back to the hotel and Dr. Maitor was called. Upson has departed for Denver and admits lack of business has made him very desperate.

Presbytery Meets at Tecumseh

TECUMSEH, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—The stated spring meeting of the Nebraska city district Presbytery will be held at the Presbyterian church in Tecumseh, April 12, 13 and 14. The session will be opened Monday evening with a sermon by Rev. G. C. Kersten of Alexandria. About 100 delegates will be in attendance.

Table Rock Notes

TABLE ROCK, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—Miss Catherine Council of Lincoln has been elected Latin and German teacher in the high school to fill the vacancy caused by the failure of Ruth Thatcher to accept this position, to which she had been re-elected.

Nebraska License and School Superintendent Are Issues at Hastings

MEMORIAL FOR HOLLENBECK

HASTINGS, Neb., April 5.—(Special.)—With practically every issue hotly contested, one of the most exciting municipal campaigns Hastings has had in years came to a close tonight.

When the petition was presented to the Hastings council it was unanimously allowed, the council all favoring the license system, agreeing that it should accept the 1910 census, which for this city is 5,238.

Attorneys Want Fees in O'Connor Will Case. HASTINGS, Neb., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—After hearing arguments of Judge Vinsonhaler for a new trial in the \$100,000 O'Connor will case today, Judge Dungan took the matter under advisement and announced that he would make a finding before the end of the month.

ICE WILL BREAK SOON IN UPPER LOUP RIVER. LOUP CITY, Neb., April 5.—(Special Telegram.)—E. G. Taylor of the Mill and Light company of this city has a force of men at work opening the way to let the water off so that no damage may result to property along the mill race from the rush of water which is expected soon when the ice breaks up in the Loup river.

To Start Asphalt Repairing at Once

Superintendent Noyes of the street department will commence his asphalt repair work Wednesday morning with three gangs of thirty-five men.

Civil War Veteran Wanders from Home

William Bishop, 89 years old and a veteran of the civil war, is being sought by Dr. Bishop, his nephew, and Mrs. G. W. Sprague, 435 Franklin, with whom the old man had been making his home.

Culls from the Wire

W. E. Slaughter, president of the defunct Mervanite National bank of Pueblo, Colo., who was arrested two days after the bank closed March 22, on a charge of embezzlement, was released under bonds of \$50,000, furnished by a surety company. The charge was preferred by County Treasurer Stannard in connection with \$25,000 of Pueblo county funds deposited in the bank.

Senators Blank Phils. Walter Johnson Hurls

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The Washington Americans shot out the Philadelphia Nationals here today. Walter Johnson, in his initial tryout on the home grounds, pitched the last four innings. Score:

College Base Ball

Washington and Lee, 6; Cornell, 0. Catholic university, 1; Pennsylvania State, 2. Holy Cross, 1; Johns Hopkins, 1; Baltimore Federal, 2.

Vote of Women Will Be Big Factor in the Chicago Municipal Election

CHICAGO, April 5.—Campaign managers today admitted that the vote to be cast by women at the municipal election tomorrow is puzzling. Two hundred and eighty-two thousand women have registered and leaders, both in the political camps of the men and in the councils of the suffrage organizations expect a total woman vote of more than 300,000.

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New York Restaurant Keeper and Two Employees Slain by Burglars Who Try to Crack Safe. CHICAGO FLORIST DIES OF SHOCK.

NEW YORK, April 5.—Otto Zinn, a restaurant keeper, and two of his employees were killed early today in Zinn's restaurant supposedly by burglars. Zinn and his wife were awakened by a crash downstairs and the proprietor went down to investigate. When he failed to return his wife called a policeman, who found the restaurant keeper and his two employees in the cellar.

LATEST BLAZE IN BALKANS SAID TO BE SMOTHERED

PARIS (Via London), April 5.—The French war office today gave out a report on the progress of the fighting, which reads as follows: "The military authorities have received precise information concerning the results of the bombardment carried out by British aviators in Belgium on March 28. A dirigible hangar at Bergheim, Alsace, was seriously damaged and was the dirigible airship sheltered therein. At Hoboken the naval construction shipyards were gutted, two German submarines were destroyed and a third damaged, while forty German workmen were killed and sixty-two wounded.

HITTING THE SURF IN WINTER

The sea gods and mermaids taking their plunge in chilling waters. The sea gods and mermaids who happen to get into some of the breakers that wash up on Brighton Beach, L. I., have many surprises these cold, chilly days.

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OMAHANS REJOICE OVER BIG VICTORY

Huge Crowds Stand Before Bulletin Boards to Hear Results of the Willard-Johnson Fight. LITTLE BETTING OF BIG SUMS.

Bescher Agrees to Join the Cardinals

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 5.—Manager Miller Huggins of the St. Louis National announced tonight he had received a telegram from Bob Bescher, at Little Rock, Ark., in which the latter agreed to join the St. Louis club in the deal whereby W. D. "Poli" Perritt went to New York.

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Chicago Florist Dies of Shock

CHICAGO, April 5.—William Well, a florist, died of shock and fright today after he had been attacked, bound and robbed by robbers who entered his place of business in West Sixty-third street.

INVENTIVE SKILL SCOFFED AT

New Machine on the Market that Will Fill "Non-Refillable" Bottles. The joy of the drinking man who for a year or two has relished the knowledge that he was obtaining his favorite beverage from a bottle that could not be refilled, has been shattered by the appearance on the market of a simple mechanism by which it is declared any so-called non-refillable bottle could be easily and quickly refilled.

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