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Former State Treasurer Receives Many Letters Asking Where He Stands.

TOO EARLY FOR PLATFORM

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Aug. 9.—(Special.)—Former State Treasurer Walter George was a visitor at the state house this morning on matters of business and when asked if he was getting ready to enter the battle for the republican nomination for governor said he hardly knew what to say.

WATERMAN TOUCHED

W. H. Ooms, the state house watchman, whom highwaymen held up in the state house one night last month and relieved of 3 cents, was not quite as lucky yesterday. He went out to Electric park to spend the evening and while getting on a car to return up town was relieved of his pocketbook containing \$31.

DEPOSITS FEES

Colonel Philip Ackerman, hotel commissioner, deposited with the state treasurer \$1,776 fees collected in connection with the hotel commission. Colonel Ackerman deposited the same with a similar, for he is one of the lucky fellows who can put money in the state treasury and take it out again when he needs it.

STATE HOUSE PLENIC TODAY

The state house picnic, which was postponed last week on account of rain, will be pulled off tomorrow at Seward in connection with the democratic barbecue at that place in which William J. Bryan will speak in the morning and Governor Morehead in the afternoon.

GAGE COUNTY PUSHING CAMPAIGN FOR NEW JAIL

BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 9.—(Special.)—A number of committees in automobiles were out over the county Saturday securing signers for the petition for a new county jail, which must reach the County Board of Supervisors by next Wednesday in order to have the amount to be appropriated in the annual levy. About 3,500 names are needed and over 2,000 have been secured.

LOCOMOBILE MEN DEMAND MORE PAY

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Aug. 9.—Formal demand for an eight-hour day, with pay of time and a half for overtime work, was to be made today on the Locomobile Company of America by its employees. The action was in accordance with a decision reached at a meeting Saturday night of about 800 of the company's workmen when by an almost unanimous vote the bonus proposition made by the concern was rejected and a committee was appointed to lay the demands of the men before the company officials.

WILSON SHAKES SOUTH DAKOTA PLUM TREE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—George E. Downey of Indiana, comptroller of the treasury, today was appointed by President Wilson to be an associate judge of the court of claims, and James W. McCarter of Bowdler, S. D., was appointed assistant registrar of the treasury.

FOUR ALLEGED HORSE THIEVES ARRESTED

STURGIS, S. D., Aug. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Sheriff Skutt of Mead county yesterday arrested and brought to Sturgis Arthur and Josh Guffey, Max Pfeiffer and Chick Manson, all of whom are charged with horse stealing.

AMERICANS IN GREAT BRITAIN MUST REGISTER

LONDON, Aug. 9.—The British foreign office today notified the American embassy in London that Americans resident in the United Kingdom, as well as all aliens, will be subject to registration under the British national registration act. New arrivals henceforth will be allowed twenty-eight days in which to report themselves.

JUST THE MEAT OF THE CORN--

Not the tough outer husk nor the germ— Goes to make Post Toasties... Skillful cooking develops the real corn flavour—the nourishment and sweetness of the true sweet meat of the kernels. The corn is then seasoned with sugar and salt, rolled and toasted to appetizing, golden-brown flakes.

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Despondent, He Cuts Throat with Razor

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Aug. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Ed Arnett, aged 35, made an attempt upon his life at his home in Phillips, Neb., early today which, it is stated tonight, will prove fatal. Arnett recently has been ill with smallpox. He had recovered but it appears became despondent and, yesterday, threatened to hang himself. All rope and other material with which he could do this was removed from his reach.

FOUR HURT IN AUTO UPSET NEAR JOHNSON

TUCUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 9.—(Special.)—As the result of an automobile upset Mr. and Mrs. Herman Holtgrewe of Johnson, and their niece, the Misses Christina and Mary Birken, who live in Missouri, but who are visiting in Nebraska, were more or less injured. The party was returning to the Holtgrewe home from the Cook picnic Thursday night, and the accident happened just west of Johnson.

APPOINTMENTS AND GRANTS AT CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Pensions were granted to Nebraska persons as follows: Martha A. Belden, Dawson, \$12; Sarah J. Cameron, Schuyler, \$12; minor of Miss W. Cartwright, Bellevue, \$12; Emma B. Manchester, Omaha, \$12.

CHAUTAUQUA GIVEN WELCOME AT LOUP CITY

LOUP CITY, Neb., Aug. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The Rodpath Horner Chautauqua company has been royally entertained by the people of Loup City and vicinity both afternoon and evening since Saturday. They will close a series of five days' entertainment Wednesday evening.

RYAN SPEAKS AT RAVENNA

RAVENNA, Neb., Aug. 9.—(Special.)—W. J. Bryan delivered his address, "The Causeless War," at the chautauqua tent Sunday evening, there being about 600 paid admissions aside from the season tickets. Mr. Bryan explained in his judgment there was no sufficient cause for the war, as no difficulties that could not have been easily settled by arbitration had not so many nations been prepared for war.

AURORA CHAUTAUQUA OPENS TUESDAY

AURORA, Neb., Aug. 9.—(Special.)—The Aurora chautauqua will open here Tuesday, August 10, with Joseph Garvin as superintendent and Miss Prudence Nicholas as children's director.

CENTRAL CITY STORE ROBBERED

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., Aug. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Thieves broke into the feed store of Phillip A. Duffy last night, making their getaway with twenty-two sacks of flour. No trace of the thieves has yet been found.

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No Change Here Assessed Values

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Aug. 9.—(Special.)—With the exception of Douglas and Lancaster counties the State Board of Equalization is ready for the secretary to certify out to the different counties the valuations as set by the board. There may be some changes in Lancaster county, but probably none in Douglas, the latter being held back in order to make a comparison on street railway valuations as reported to the board.

ATTENDS CHURCH TWICE; DIES FOLLOWING DAY

WEEPING WATER, Neb., Aug. 9.—(Special.)—Mrs. Sarah S. Friesbe, aged 73, died very suddenly this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Colbert. Heart failure was the cause of death.

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OKUMA DECIDES TO REMAIN

Japanese Premier Agrees to Stay in Office and Arrange a Cabinet.

YIELDS TO EMPEROR'S PLEA

TOKYO, Aug. 9.—Premier Count Okuma virtually has decided, at the special request of the emperor, to remain in office, and has arranged the following cabinet: Premier, Count Shigenobu Okuma. Minister of foreign affairs, Count Shigenobu Okuma. Minister of finance, Tokutomi Takekumi. Minister of marine, Vice Admiral Tomosaburo Kato.

ACCEPTANCE CONDITIONAL

It became known last night that the emperor had requested Premier Okuma to remain in office and that the premier had agreed provisionally to do so. His acceptance was contingent upon the construction of a cabinet acceptable to him, and today announcement was made of his arrangement of the new cabinet.

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MARINES EMBARK ON CRUISER TENNESSEE

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 9.—The cruiser Tennessee docked at the Philadelphia navy yard today. Upon its arrival the first regiment of marines embarked with provisions for a three months' expedition to Haiti, ready to sail tomorrow under the command of Colonel Waller. The field equipment consists of seventy-three machine guns, seven wireless sets, seven miles of cable, six motor cycles and several motor trucks.

DEATH RECORD

George F. Loder, ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 9.—George F. Loder, known throughout the country as father of the Myrtle Shrine, died last night, after a long illness, aged 73 years. He was imperial potentate emeritus of the Shrine. Rev. Dr. Paul D. Bergin, HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 9.—Rev. Dr. Paul D. Bergin, at one time president of the Christian college at Shantung, China, and a prominent member of the Presby-

Need of American Merchant Marine

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Building up of the American merchant marine is an imperative need, Judge Thomas Burke, president of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, told the federal trade commission at the opening of a two-day sitting of that body here today. Other witnesses supported Judge Burke's arguments. C. J. Smith, coal mine owner, testified to the necessity for combinations of capital to handle the waste products in the lumber, fruit and fish industries. Morris Thomson, flour miller, declared there would have to be better banking facilities in Pan-America and better shipping facilities before Americans could do a large business there.

HYMENEAL

Schimming-Morrison. Hattie A. Morrison and Anton G. Schimming of Minneapolis, Minn., were married by Rev. Charles W. Savidge at his residence Sunday afternoon at 3. They were accompanied by Mrs. C. A. Sumner, Mrs. Eva Throp, and W. A. Sumner. Mr. and Mrs. Schimming will make their home in Minneapolis.

Heat a Menace to Lives of Old Folks... Sickness and Misery Are Caused by Constipation in Hot Weather... People of advancing years should be very careful of their health during the hot months. One has only to follow the mortality record of elderly people as reported in the papers, to realize that these are the hardest months of the year for them.

Great Clearance Sale... Ladies' Coats, Dresses and Skirts. Worth up to \$10.00; on sale \$1.00... Men's Suits, all colors and styles. Worth up to \$15.00; on sale \$5.00... J. Helphand Clothing Co. 314-316 N. 19th St.

Telephone Rate Problems... To give good service it is essential that our telephone plant should be well constructed, kept in good repair and efficiently operated, and that extensions and improvements should be made from time to time to take care of new patrons.

Telephone Costs Going Up... For some time the price of telephone equipment has been increasing, and in some localities there has been a feeling that we should pay higher wages or allow shorter working hours. These conditions have made it a serious problem for this company to get enough money at the present rates to pay expenses and earn a fair rate of interest for the men and women who have their money invested in the property.

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