

State Prisoners Are Undergoing War on Cigarets

Cob Pipes Only Legalized Solace of Penitentiary Inmates While Hawthorne Lets Men Take Choice.

Lincoln, Nov. 4.—(Special.)—The war for real cigarettes for convicts is on. Warden W. T. Fenton of the state penitentiary is unalterably opposed to giving convicts regular cigarette rations as proposed to the board of control. Superintendent Gus Miller of Hawthorne, the new state reformatory, thinks the convicts at his institution should be permitted to smoke cigars—provided they do it in their cells. Furthermore, the men at Hawthorne are smoking cigars rolled in real cigarette papers in their cells, while if there is any smoking of cigars at the state penitentiary it is in violation of the rules and the cigars are rolled in whatever sort of paper the men can find.

Warden Explains Stand.

Here's what Warden Fenton thinks of cigarette smoking in the penitentiary: "When I took charge of the penitentiary cigarettes and dope were as

regular as meals. I first put the quietus on the dope peddling. Then I turned my attention to cigarettes. "The trouble is if you let them smoke at all they smoke them to excess. Easily 100 men were yellow in complexion, their fingers were yellow and the cigarette cough was heard in the cell rooms at every hour of the night. "I made smoking cigars a misdemeanor. Men caught smoking them were punished. Cob pipes and tobacco were permitted. A few are caught occasionally smoking cigars rolled in toilet paper. But the majority are smoking cob pipes and their complexion and health are better.

Opposes Medical View.

"Furthermore, I'll take issue with certain medical authorities who claim toilet paper cigarettes are harder on the lungs than the real cigarettes." Superintendent Gus Miller of Hawthorne was absent today. But here's what Deputy Superintendent Anderson, an A. E. F. man, thinks about cigarette smoking by inmates of Hawthorne: "Superintendent Miller works on the theory that a man's cell is his castle and he can smoke what he pleases in it in the way of tobacco. If he prefers cigars, well and good.

Men On Honor.

"Our fence isn't up yet and every man in the institution is on his honor. We went them to be happy and happy men have a better sense of honor than unhappy men. "They'll smoke 'em anyway and better have them complying with the law of the institution by smoking 'em than breaking the law by smoking

'em on the sly. Then, too, I was in the trenches and I know what hunger there is in a man's heart for cigarettes." Figures compiled today show that if the 500 convicts in the state penitentiary were given rations of two packages of real cigarettes a day it would cost the state approximately \$7,000 a year.

Negro Is Convicted of Attempting Assault

Irvin Johnson, 27, negro, was found guilty by a jury in District Judge Troup's court yesterday of attempted assault on Ellen Dorrance, 54, an employee of Cackley Bros. It was charged that Johnson grabbed Mrs. Dorrance while she was on the second floor of the Cackley Bros. establishment, about noon, October 16. When Frank and Henry Bierman approached, he ran and jumped on a street car. They pursued him in an automobile, they testified, and captured him. Johnson denied the charge. The sentence is from two to 15 years.

Omaha has given the Dewey county, Nebraska, potato sale at the Table Supply, Bremer Bros. and Louis Sommer stores yesterday and Thursday, and wish to remind those who have not bought, that today, Saturday, is the last day on which you can buy these excellent, clean, smooth, early Ohio and Red Triumph potatoes at \$1.25 per bushel. Come in now and see these potatoes. Place your order for four bushels or more and they will be delivered to any part of the city, or order a few with your other grocery. Thanking you for your patriotism in buying home-grown products, I am, your sincerely, A. K. L. Brunstad.

Extra Session Of Legislature Is Advocated

Hall County Lawmaker Wants Expenseless Meeting to Reduce Municipal Expenditures.

Grand Island, Neb., Nov. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—A special session of the legislature, the members to volunteer their services and to pay their own expenses, is suggested by Representative John McClellan of this county, in communications with other members of the assembly. Representative McClellan declares that his interviews with the farming population, especially, and with taxpayers generally, lead him to believe it is high time to retrench in state, county, city, school and all other public affairs.

Mr. McClellan is of the opinion that every activity and expenditure on the state capitol, on roads and in every other activity that can be postponed ought to be stopped at once. He believes that the matter of reducing salaries ought also to be taken up. Farmers, he declares, are scarcely able to pay their taxes at present and he can see no possibility for any material improvement in this situation for another year. He calls attention to the fact that

the taxes in such counties as Hall are coming in so slowly that even warrants for current expenses are being held up, and he feels that unless there is a material reduction in public expenditures immediately, instead of contemplated increases, whether this be in state, county, city or school affairs, many a farmer, tradesman and small home owner is running the prospect of losing his property. The representative hopes that such a move taken by the legislature will lead to wholesome economies all along the line, regardless of the extent in which the state itself would be enabled to retrench.

Veteran Hotel Man of Western Nebraska Dies

O'Neill, Neb., Nov. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—Wesley T. Evans, 70, proprietor of the Hotel Golden of this city, died at his apartments in the hotel after a 10-day illness, preceded by several years of failing health. He was a veteran hotel man of northern and western Nebraska and identified with the early development of this country. He is survived by the widow, a son and a daughter. The funeral will be Tuesday.

Prairie Fire Destroys Haystacks Near O'Neill

O'Neill, Neb., Nov. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—A prairie fire, getting away from ranch hands on the Pitch Camp ranch, south of O'Neill, who were burning fire guards, destroyed a number of stacks of hay and burned off a section and a half of hay land before stopped by fire fighters from O'Neill Friday afternoon.

Expose Methods In Stock Sales

Farmer Testifies Former Ceresco Banker Got Big Commissions on Sales.

Lincoln, Nov. 4.—(Special.)—Another expose of the methods pursued in selling stock in Nebraska in certain stock selling corporations came to light in the Lancaster county district court when Charles Huffman, Bennett, Neb. farmer, testified that Charles Maixner, an officer of the Bankers' Auto Insurance company of Lincoln, received \$62.50 for the sale of a share of stock, ranging in price from \$100 to \$150 a share. Maixner is now in the penitentiary for alleged mishandling of funds in the Ceresco (Neb.) bank of which he was cashier. Dr. E. P. Dwiggin, former president of the defunct American State bank of Lincoln, who was associated with Maixner in the Bankers' Auto Insurance company, was arrested in San Francisco today on a charge of borrowing money from the American State bank while an officer of the bank. Huffman was awarded a judgment of \$7,196.61 against the insurance company on the ground that the value of the stock sold to him was misrepresented.

It was a desire to delve into the "inside workings" of other corporations which existed in Lincoln and which used somewhat similar

Secretary Hoover Expects An Increase In Unemployment

New York, Nov. 4.—Machinery is being set up by the standing committee of the conference on unemployment for the most exhaustive study of the fundamental problems of unemployment ever undertaken in the United States. Secretary of Commerce Hoover, the chairman, announced at a conference of the committee today. Mr. Hoover and Matthew Wolf, vice president of the American Federation of Labor, agreed that although the number of unemployed has decreased in recent weeks, the pendulum is due to swing back toward depression. Both predicted a great measure of unemployment and considerable suffering during January and February.

Aurora Men Are Anxious To Become Postmaster

Aurora, Neb., Nov. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—Early erection of an auditorium in Hastings was made certain when the city council last night sold to the Exchange National Bank of Hastings, at par, \$100,000 worth of bonds for the building, and \$75,000 worth of bonds for the purchase of a downtown park, which will be its site. This was \$17,500 more than could have been obtained last year after the bond issues were authorized. The offer was \$2,600 higher than the best bid received by the council last week. Steps will be taken at once to get the building project under way.

Study of Chief Phases on Which the Study of Permanent Relief Will Center

First, a study of the cause and means of averting the great unemployment of the depressions that come as a result of the "business cycle." Second, a study of methods of regulating public works so that they will provide employment when other business is slack. Third, a study of means of providing relief—food, shelter and jobs to the unemployed. Fourteen of the 16 unions in Plainfield, N. J., have affiliated with a central labor board organized there.

Saturday THE BRANDEIS STORE Saturday



A Great Sale of Men's Two Trouser SUITS 37⁵⁰

\$45 to \$50 Values
All Wool and Hand Tailored

These suits present values that haven't been seen for several years. Hundreds of suits to select from in new fall and winter models, stouts, stubs, slims and regular sizes. Plain colors, checks, stripes and plaids, in all the wanted fabrics. Remember, there's double wear with an extra pair of trousers.

Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits and Overcoats \$35

\$50 and \$60 Values

immense stocks to select from. Everything you want is here, the suits are absolutely all wool fabrics made up in the characteristic Hart Schaffner & Marx way, men's and young men's styles. At \$35 instead of \$50 and \$60.

Men's and Young Men's Suits and Overcoats \$25

Taken from our regular \$7.50 lines. The overcoats are of all wool—Meltons and Friezes, plain colors and fancy plaid mixtures—single and double breasted, form fitting or box backs; ulsterettes, half belted backs and storm collars. The suits are all wool worsted, chevots and cassimere materials; single or double breasted in stouts, stubs, longs and regular sizes.

Fourth Floor—East.

Sale of High Grade Shirts \$1⁷⁵

We give you twelve common sense reasons why you should take advantage of this sale of high grade shirts at a much lower price than you pay for an inferior shirt.

Honor Shirts

Equal to Custom Made



- Reason No. 1—Honor Shirts are made with a broad collar, 90-100 pre-shrunk cambric correctly shaped.
- Reason No. 2—The Yoke in Honor Shirts is cut to fit the shirt drape correctly, eliminating wrinkles and puckers.
- Reason No. 3—The Front of the Honor Shirt is made fuller than back to allow for ribs, collar bone and chest, cut extra long to allow drape.
- Reason No. 4—The Back is properly tucked over each shoulder, giving the extra fullness necessary at this point, back of shirt also extra long and wide.
- Reason No. 5—The buttons used are extra quality ocean pearl, securely sewed and knotted twice underneath, good for life of shirt.
- Reason No. 6—The Button are whipped at both ends, beautifully finished, extra strong.
- Reason No. 7—The linings, one grade only is used on all shirts; an extra fine 60x80 pre-shrunk lining; a much better quality than used by the majority of shirt makers.
- Reason No. 8—The Sleeve has a continuous facing; proper length; is correctly set in at the shoulder; roomy elbow; hangs perfectly.
- Reason No. 9—The Cuffs are finished with outer edges slightly wider showing a two-edge cuff instead of four; makes a neater finish and the patterns are always matched.
- Reason No. 10—The Patterns are all specially selected for their attractiveness; are all perfectly matched on fronts, cuffs, etc.; are guaranteed fast colors.
- Reason No. 11—The Sleeve Lengths are 33 inches, 34 inches, 35 inches—and measure perfectly.
- Reason No. 12—The Tailoring Honor Brand Shirts are all cut by hand with a knife, insuring the greatest accuracy. Each neckband has its own individual body size; some manufacturers mark the same body with two different neckbands and sizes; each shirt receives fifteen examinations before being passed as perfect; nothing left undone to make this shirt the peer of them all.

In This Sale Will Be Found the Following Cloths:

800 Fibred Striped Shirts made to sell at	3.50
800 Lortex Rep Cloth Shirts made to sell at	2.50
1800 Mercerized Jersey Shirts made to sell at	2.50
1800 Woven Madras Shirts made to sell at	2.50
1290 Corded Madras Shirts made to sell at	2.25

Take advantage of this sale. High grade shirts are very scarce and the price most impossible. The makers of these shirts can only supply about twenty large dealers with this fine product, and The Brandeis Store is the one store in Nebraska to be chosen. Extra large selling space—plenty of salespeople to insure quick service. But his Xmas gift today.

Main Floor—South.

New Winter Styles in Hats For Men

Men's 5.00 and 6.00 Hats at 3.50—Velour and fur materials, silk lined; new Fall and Winter styles; in all the wanted colors to please men of all tastes and builds.

Men's and Boys' Caps—With or without fur in bands; new Fall and Winter mixtures; priced at 75¢ to 3.00. Fourth Floor—South.

Stetson Hats—Derby or soft styles; complete showing in staple or young men's styles; priced at 7.00 and up

Serviceable Quality and Low Price in Men's Shoes at 6⁰⁰



An unusual opportunity to obtain well made serviceable footwear at a great saving. Made of select quality brown leathers in every approved style. All sizes in the lot. Special, per pair, 6.00

Holland Shoes for Boys—Made of very best leathers obtainable; English and wide toe effects; 5.00 and 6.00 values; special 3.95

Main Floor—West

Interesting List of Bargains in Boys' Clothing

- Boys' 1.50 Flannelette Night Shirts and Sleeping Garments—Good weight flannelette materials in neat stripes; cut full and roomy; all sizes. Priced at 1.00.
 - Boys' 2.50 Woolen Knickers—Cut full, well lined throughout; new fall and winter mixtures; for boys 6 to 18 years. Priced at 1.95.
 - Boys' 1.00 Blouses—Pereale or madras materials; collar attached; light or dark colors; all sizes. Priced at 79¢.
 - Boys' All Wool Suits and Overcoats 14⁹⁵
- Values to 20.00—Suits with an extra pair of knickers. Single or double-breasted coats—trousers lined. Gray, brown, olive and blue mixtures as well as plain blue serge. For boys 7 to 18 years.
- The Overcoats are in gray, brown, olive and tan mixtures, with fancy plaid backs—a wonderful variety of fabrics and patterns. For boys 8 to 18 years.
- Boys' Overcoats at 4.05; Values to 10.00—For small boys, 3 to 8; chinillas; button to neck style; belt all around; larger boys, 10 to 14 years—long, warm, roomy coats; full lined belted models with convertible collars; in gray, brown and green mixtures.
- Boys' All-Wool Suits Worth 15.00 at 9.95—With an extra pair of knickers—best mixtures; every one a new fall and winter model; cut full and well made. For boys 7 to 18 years. Priced at 9.95