

# SLUG SHERIFF, MAKE GETAWAY

## Worthless Check Passers Drove Car With Iowa License Plate

NORTH PLATTE, NEB.—(UP)—Sheriff A. J. Salisbury was badly cut about the head and face while attempting committing to a cell two prisoners he had arrested for passing worthless checks, Wednesday night.

One of the prisoners struck Salisbury with a medicine bottle, stunning him momentarily. Both then dashed to the street and escaped in their automobile with an Iowa license.

The men were unsuccessful in efforts to pass bad paper here, but are said to have passed forged checks in towns west of here.

Sheriff Salisbury was not badly injured.

## MOST OF CORN CROP SAFE FROM FROST

LINCOLN—(UP)—With corn ripening satisfactorily, the crop is largely safe from injury by frost, the weather bureau reported Thursday in its weekly crop bulletin.

Abundant sunshine prevailed over the state in the last half of the week and was of great benefit to the corn, the bulletin stated.

Rapid progress was made in the seeding of winter wheat and some of the early sown is now up and showing an excellent stand. Potato digging is progressing rapidly and the beet harvest is beginning in the western part of the state.

## HE KILLED MAN, FOUND GUILTY SIMPLE ASSAULT

RUSHVILLE—(UP)—Wes Jacobs will be sentenced by Judge Meyer Saturday as the result of a jury finding him guilty of simple assault in the death of George Hunter. The maximum penalty is 3 months in jail or a fine of \$100.

Witnesses at the trial testified of bitter feeling between Jacobs and Hunter for several years and finally last spring the men argued over a gate. In the course of the disagreement, Jacobs struck Hunter with a fence post, inflicting injuries which resulted in Hunter's death a few days later.

## UPHOLD DISMISSAL OF SOLDIERS' HOME AIDS

GRAND ISLAND—(UP)—Upholding the action of Commandant Carlisle, two members of the board of control have approved the dismissal of John P. Tefft and Clemens Goehring as employes of the Nebraska soldiers' home here.

Mrs. Nellie G. Benson and E. T. Westervelt were the board members conducting the investigation. Westervelt indicated it was a case in which the commandant was justified in the dismissal.

The men were dismissed by Commandant Carlisle on grounds they failed to carry out assigned duties in a satisfactory manner. Neither of the discharged men appeared at the hearing.

# USE SYSTEM IN ITS PURCHASES

## State of S. Dakota Adopts Method for Various Institutions

PIERRE, S. D.—Standardized purchasing, designed to save time and money for state institutions, is planned by the advisory committee on standardizations, which concluded its first meeting here Wednesday.

Appointed by John P. Belhn, state secretary of finance, in accordance with the law passed by the 1927 legislature, the committee met to draw up technical specifications for the state purchasing department.

When completed, this plan is expected to enable state institutions to purchase all required supplies jointly, and on a standard basis prepared by the committee.

"The new plan will eliminate many items now being used," it was pointed out by D. W. Forbes, secretary of the committee, "and the consolidation and purchasing power on standardized requirements will eventually save thousands of dollars for the taxpayers of the state."

"Quality merchandise is the first consideration, and consolidation of all requirements of the state institutions will enable the purchasing agent of the state to secure all classes of merchandise at the lowest price consistent with quality."

The committee consists of three members of educational institutions, three of penal institutions and three members of the state offices.

Committee members are: E. J. Freidal, steward, state hospital, Yankton; M. L. Miller, steward, state penitentiary, Sioux Falls; O. E. Harper, steward, state sanitarium, Custer; J. H. Julian, vice president, University of South Dakota; W. M. Oates, secretary, Northern Normal; Lew T. Skinner, administrative assistant, State college; A. J. Moodie, state treasurer; William Dunn, state auditor; T. B. Thorsen, state banking department, and Mr. Forbes, secretary.

## THINKS HIS RECOMMENDATION WAS WORTH \$100,000

OMAHA—(UP)—Halpin Dexter, sales manager for an Omaha music house and formerly a nationally known banjo player has filed suit for \$100,000 against Montgomery Ward and company.

Dexter alleges that the mail order house against his wishes and without his authority printed a recommendation purporting to come from him in its 1929 and 1930 catalogues.

The article stated Dexter highly recommended a banjo sold by Montgomery Ward.

For several years Dexter was with Paul Whiteman's band, taking the leading banjo part and had played professionally for 24 years. His suit was filed in federal court here.

# SHERIFF QUILTS JUST IN TIME

## Jgly Charges Against Him Had Reached Ears of the Governor

LINCOLN, NEB.—(Special)—It is developing that in resigning his position as sheriff of McPherson county, Horace Shriver barely headed off a suspension from the governor and a judicial investigation of his conduct as an officer. Members of the county board complained to Attorney General Sorenson that Shriver was carrying on with a North Platte woman, spending days with her and leaving the prisoners in the county jail to the tender mercies of the janitor; that he was addicted to drink and that he was too friendly with bootleggers.

An agent sent out by the attorney general gathered evidence along these lines, and the attorney general was about to ask the governor to act when Shriver, who probably had been tipped off, quit and left the county. Among the charges made against him is that he paroled prisoners whenever he pleased without asking anybody, and that two men one waiting for trial on a forgery charge, and another serving a term for bootlegging, had been given keys to the jail and went out and in when they pleased. Several men claimed Shriver accepted bribes from bootleggers, but would not sign affidavits.

## WAYNE YOUTH FIRES BULLET INTO FOOT

WAYNE—(Special)—Marvin Shriverman, 14 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Simmerman shot himself in the right foot Sunday when putting his gun away after hunting. The bullet went through the flesh on top of the foot and lodged over the large toe. No bones were injured. The lad was taken to the Wayne hospital where the bullet was removed.

## FARMER KILLED BY DISCHARGE OF HIS GUN

LINCOLN—(UP)—A series of accidents with shotguns, intended to be used in hunting ducks, took a toll of one life Tuesday and injured two children.

In another shooting affray, C. L. Miller, of Bridgeport, was shot in the hand and leg while chasing a thief who had stolen his automobile. The shots were fired from a revolver as Miller, riding on the running board of another car caught up with the thief, who escaped after the shots were fired.

Clemens Keber, 41 years old, a farmer, was killed instantly when his shotgun accidentally discharged as he crawled through a fence near Greeley.

Two children were injured in accidents at Alliance. Ruth Miller, 6 years old, was shot in the shoulder by the accidental discharge of a shotgun, which she had picked up to examine.

While hunting with a shotgun, Robert Diering, 10 years old, of Alliance, shot off the end of his left thumb.

## HUNG JURY PLEASES ALLEGED BANK ROBBER

NEBRASKA CITY—(UP)—Charles C. Clinton expressed satisfaction Wednesday that his trial on charges of having robbed the Nebraska City National bank in 1927 had ended in a hung jury. But of course it would have been nicer if he had been acquitted, he said.

"I had a fair trial—there's no doubt about that," Clinton said "I'm very well satisfied, although I should have liked to have been acquitted a lot better."

Clinton will be held until the next term of court when he will be tried again, according to County Attorney George H. Heinke. Sheriff Carl Ryder said Clinton probably will be taken to the state penitentiary for safe keeping as soon as he can be admitted.

After 20 hours of deliberation, the jurors were discharged Tuesday afternoon, hopelessly deadlocked with the count at six for acquittal and six for conviction.

## HAS NOVEL CLAIM AGAINST RAILROAD

OMAHA—(UP)—Women now have the right to vote and there's no reason why they shouldn't also have the privilege of accompanying shipments of livestock to market, Mrs. Mary A. Estes, Bassett, Neb. ranchwoman, said in explaining her claim against a railroad for \$124.04.

Mrs. Estes has shipped cattle to Omaha livestock market for seven years. On each occasion she has been told by train crews that caboose were for men only and she was forced to pay her fare and come in on a passenger train.

## TO VOTE ON BONDS TO PROVIDE AN AIRPORT

HASTINGS—(UP)—A special election to be held within six weeks to vote on a bond issue for the purchase and equipment of an airport was authorized Monday night by the Hastings city council.

It is estimated the cost will be approximately \$50,000, of which \$7,000 will be for a hangar, \$30,000 for lights, and the balance for the land. The present site now being used for an airport is expected to be purchased. This field is between Hastings and Ingelside and north of the D. L. F. highway.

## BELIEVE FISH IN LAKE WERE BEING STARVED

CLUMBUS—Starvation or disease of fish in the Pawnee park pool here was indicated recently when bullheads were seized from the waters by E. C. Lake and Harry Webber of the state fish, game and forestation commission.

One of the fish taken from the pool was forwarded to the University of Nebraska for dissection to determine the nature of the affliction of the fish. Crappies and sunfish seized from the pool also appeared not to have made the usual growth during the last year.

Seining operations here are being conducted to remove rough fish from the Pawnee pool and the Wayside pool. About 40 pounds of carp and approximately 450 pounds of skip jacks and other rough fish have been removed. The carp were sold to residents of Columbus.

# BANK SHORTAGE IS MADE GOOD

## President Institution Keeps Faith With Depositors at Personal Expense

SCOTTSBLUFF, NEB.—(UP)—So that depositors will lose very little and to restore faith in his bank, J. H. Casselman, president of the Irrigators bank here, voluntarily closed recently, has turned over mortgages to the bank. He retains only a small farm tract adjoining the city on which he makes his home.

The mortgages were delivered to a committee of depositors and state banking officials with the understanding the property is to be sold and the proceeds divided among the depositors in case the sale of assets proves insufficient. His surrendered holdings are valued at \$90,000.

The institution lacked but \$10,000 of having sufficient funds to meet all obligations at the time of closing, Casselman said.

## EARLY TRIAL PLANNED OF OMAHA STILL CASE

OMAHA—(UP)—With surrender of Gene Livingston, alleged "alcohol baron" Thursday afternoon, District Attorney J. C. Kinsler said he would move for immediate trial of the Howard street still case when the liquor docket is reached by Federal Judge Woodrough upon his return from Chadron, expected next week.

Livingston, who had been a fugitive from justice since last July, walked calmly into U. C. Commissioner Mary Mullen's office and gave himself up. He refused to tell his hiding place.

## APPEALS IN MATTER OF HOMER ACCIDENT

LINCOLN—(Special)—An appeal has been filed in supreme court by Walter Legg from a judgment rendered in Dawson county in favor of Cora C. Dow, whose husband was a division sales manager for a lighting company of which Legg is state manager and was killed in an automobile collision at Homer.

Dow had won a prize of a vacation at a Minnesota resort, in a state contest, and was on his way there when a car driven by Roy Lieb of Sioux City ran into his machine. Lieb was accused in the petition of being intoxicated and driving recklessly.

Mrs. Dow sued for \$50,000 while Legg denied legal liability, asserting that they were on a joint enterprise.

A judgment for \$15,000 also was rendered against Lieb, but he did not appeal.

## WAYNE COUNTY ESTATE CASE TO HIGH COURT

LINCOLN—The supreme court has ordered a reargument in the case of George Buskirk appealed from the allowance by the probate court of \$5,000 as attorney fees to A. R. Davis and M. O. Cunningham. Mr. Davis has died since the appeal, and his estate has been substituted seven of the heirs did not get any appreciable share, while most of it went to two other children. Those left out contested and the will was finally overturned, after having once been upheld. The fees are for the attorneys who represented the estate.

## CLOSED WAYNE BANK PAYS FINAL DIVIDEND

WAYNE—(Special)—The defunct Citizens National bank of Wayne is paying a final dividend of 9.3 per cent this week, making the total realized from the trust 89.3 per cent. George G. Cronkleton, receiver, announced that he or his representative would be in Wayne September 27, 28 and 30 to distribute final dividend checks.

## LAND NEAR WINSIDE BRINGS GOOD PRICES

WINSIDE—(Special)—U. S. Corp. of Wayne has sold his 240-acre farm four miles east of Winside to Henry Westerhaus for a consideration of \$143 per acre. One of Mr. Westerhaus' sons will move on the farm March 1.

Louie Walde has purchased the 70-acre farm owned by Art Atker located two miles southeast of here for a consideration of \$165 per acre.

## DOCTOR'S ILLNESS REVEALS HIS SECRET MARRIAGE

OMAHA—(UP)—Secret wedding of Dr. Raymond J. O'Neill, son of William O'Neill of Emerson, Neb., to Miss Bernice Killeen, daughter of Mrs. Patrick Killeen of North Bend, is announced following announcement of serious illness of Dr. O'Neill.

They were married August 22 at St. Cecilia's cathedral. Dr. O'Neill was graduated from Creighton University and has been practicing a specialty and general

# WILL CASE IN HIGHEST COURT

## Burt County Woman Appeals from Verdict Upholding Administrator

LINCOLN, NEB.—(Special)—Arguments have been submitted to the supreme court in the appeal of Alice Mussack from a decision of the district court of Burt county. Under the will of Pearl B. Gordon, Mrs. Mussack received the sum of \$500. The case grew out of an oral agreement between Mrs. Amy Gray mother of Mrs. Mussack and Gordon to the effect that if she would permit her daughter to become a member of the Gordon household he would remember her substantially in his will.

Gordon had married a daughter of Charles Canfield, one of the leading bankers of northwestern Nebraska. Mrs. Canfield died and her husband remarried. After Canfield's death the second wife made her home with the Gordons. Mrs. Gordon died in order to avoid probate because of Gordon and Mrs. Canfield residing in the same home it was arranged to have Mrs. Gray send one of her daughters. This girl, now Mrs. Alice Mussack, lived with the family four years but when Gordon's will was opened it was found that he had left her but \$500. She therefore filed a claim against his estate for \$7,500.

This administrator defended on the ground that she worked as a school teacher when living with the Gordons and that she was allowed to keep the money she earned. The court below held that she was entitled to recover the difference between what she earned while a member of the family and what she would have earned had she remained at home, and the jury gave her nothing.

## COMPENSATION CASE IS HEARD BY HIGH COURT

LINCOLN—(Special)—Attorneys representing the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevator company of Ponca were in supreme court Thursday urging a reversal of a judgment of the Dixon county district court which held them liable to Lee Devore under the workmen's compensation act. Devore had been employed for a number of years in hauling coal and lumber from the railroad yards to the elevator and on one of these trips a cinder got in his eye, totally destroying his sight. As the other eye had long been of no use the man was left totally blind. The company says that he was not working for wages but was paid by the load, and hence in the eyes of the compensation law was an independent contractor.

## MIDLAND COLLEGE WILL SHOW LARGER ENROLLMENT

FREMONT—(Special)—Assurance that Midland college's first semester enrollment will near the 400 mark this year for the first time in four years, was given when the enrollment reached 300 in all departments. Of this number, 43 are taking work in more than one department, leaving a net registration of 257 as compared to 223 at this time in 1928-29.

The present enrollment by classes and departments is: Freshmen, 97; sophomores, 49; juniors, 32; seniors, 23; irregulars, 2; sub-freshmen, 3; fine arts, 40; business, 54. The extension, theological and short term registered students are yet to be registered.

## EMERSON TEACHER GIVEN GOVERNMENT SCHOOL JOB

EMERSON—Prof. E. E. Bruce, who has had charge of the mathematics and athletic departments of the Emerson high school for the last four years, has received an appointment as principal of the government Indian school at Poplar, Mont. Mr. Bruce will continue his work here until the end of the present school month.

## EMERSON BAKER SELLS BUSINESS TO BROTHER

EMERSON—William Greenwood has purchased the Greenwood bakery from his brother Roy Greenwood and will take possession October 1. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Greenwood, and family expect to leave soon for Florida where they will spend the winter.

## WILD DUCKS ARE SCARCE AND FARMER IS HAPPY

ALLIANCE—(Special)—Wild ducks have not been so plentiful in the vicinity of Alliance, Neb., much to the joy of Walter E. Kent, who was plaintiff in the suit to recover \$7,200 damages from the state of Nebraska for damage done his crops by wild ducks. He lost in both district and supreme courts. "My suit seemed to amuse some people," said Kent, "but to one who has corn or small grain near a lake it is not so funny."

Kent, who was a member of the state legislature in 1911 was permitted by a special bill passed by the legislature to sue the state, which he did unsuccessfully. He has a ranch bordering on Long lake in Sheridan county, where many wild ducks gather, spring and fall.

## SEEKS PATENT ON DEVICE DESIGNED TO SAVE LABOR

LAUREL—(Special)—A machine for loading manure has recently been perfected by Ray Grant of Laurel. The machine is attached to a tractor. The manure is scooped up in a large bucket, elevated to the height of a wagon or spreader and dropped into it. Grant has applied for a patent on his invention.

## PART OF NEBRASKA CORN CROP DAMAGED BY FROST

LINCOLN—(UP)—In the lowlands of extreme western Nebraska, frosts already have done some damage to the corn crop. A. E. Anderson, federal and state agricultural statistician, told the United Press, "while the low temperatures and wet weather so far this month have not done extensive damage to the crop, the conditions are such as to delay the maturing of the corn so that the crop may not be entirely out of danger of frost by the first of October." Anderson said.

## MAYORS OF TWO CITIES TOLD TO STOP GAMBLING

LINCOLN—(UP)—A war has been declared on gambling by Attorney General C. A. Sorenson asking the mayors of Omaha and Lincoln to clean up the situation in their town so that "no drastic action against any official will be necessary."

The letters that Sorenson wrote to Mayor James Dahman of Omaha, and Mayor Don Love of Lincoln, charging that race horse betting was being conducted in the two cities were given to the press in the belief that "pitiless publicity is the best way to put an end to public gambling."

Thirteen places were named in Omaha as operating resorts where bets could be telegraphed to other places and states on race horses. Only one place, the Saratoga pool hall, was named in Lincoln as a gambling place.

# SALE OF LAND LEADS TO SUIT

## Wayne County Man Seeks to Evade Payment of \$500 Judgment

LINCOLN, NEB.—(Special)—A vigorous protest was filed in the supreme court here by William E. Kendrick against a judgment rendered against him in Wayne county district court. The case grew out of a suit filed by W. H. Eastburn of Randolph, who alleges that Kendrick agreed to pay him \$500 if he would bid \$16,000 for some property belonging to the latter which was sold at sheriff's sale. The property had been sold at a sale to the owner of the adjoining land for \$15,000 and Kendrick wanted it reopened.

After a bid for \$16,000 was submitted by Eastburn in writing, the sale was set aside and the farm again offered for sale. Eastburn appeared at the sale and made his bid, but the owner of the adjoining land once more overbid and bought the property. Eastburn states that he was informed Mr. Maas, who purchased the land, would raise his bid. Kendrick claims that the offer was not made merely to raise the sale price, but to give him a chance to buy his land. Attorney for Kendrick claim that the plan falls under the statute of frauds; that the court was a victim of a fraud in that he was not informed of the agreement between Kendrick and Eastburn, and that this opens the way for all sorts of fraud.

## ELEVATOR OPERATORS WILL CONSIDER FARM BOARD PLAN

LINCOLN—(UP)—The first large convention of farmers to hear and consider the proposals of the Federal Farm board on grain marketing will convene here October 17 to 19 when the annual convention of the Farmers Elevator association of Nebraska will be in session.

The federal board's plan for cooperative grain marketing will be presented to the convention by W. J. Kuhn, of Washington, who is one of the government's specialists in co-operation grain marketing and who has been working with the farm board since its organization.

To promote greater co-operation between farm organizations, H. G. Keamy, president of the Nebraska's Farmers union, will address the convention on the subject of "Co-operation Between Farm Organizations."

"The theme of the convention program will be more co-operation between farm organizations," J. W. Shorthill, secretary of the elevator association, declared. "It is hoped that the organizations may all find a way to work with the federal board. Closer co-operation is the big need of the farmers of Nebraska."

## TABLET IS ERECTED TO MEMORY OF ARMY MAN

CENTER—(Special)—The grandfather of Warren Woodbury of Center, Maj. Lawrence Tallferro, formerly Indian agent for the Sioux Indians at Fort Snelling, Minn., had a bronze tablet erected to his memory by the D. A. R. at St. Paul, Minn., recently. Mr. Woodbury's sister, Mrs. Hannah O. Gammell, 80 years old, who spent 25 years of her life at Santee, attended the exercises. Mr. Woodbury lives here with his daughter, who is postmistress here.

Maj. Tallferro's wife was an Indian girl. He was noted for his fair dealings with the Indians during his 21 years at Fort Snelling. When his daughter married a Fort Snelling soldier, Warren Woodbury father of the Woodbury here, Major Tallferro officiated.

## WEED FOUND RESPONSIBLE FOR LOSS OF MANY HORSES

ALLIANCE—(Special)—A weed known as senecel ridell, commonly called squaw weed or groundsel is found responsible for the deaths of many horses in this vicinity recently. Dr. Simpson, director of the government field service for animal diseases examined animals dying from it and found that the liver was affected. When horses become overheated from turning or from being worked and returned out to pasture they seem to hunt for this particular weed.

The weed is securing a foothold in the range country. It grows about 18 inches high and bears a flower resembling the marigold.

## BEATEN AND ROBBED BY MEN HE GAVE RID

OMAHA—(UP)—Harold Allison, Omaha auto salesman, and Morris Bowler of Carroll, Ia., bakery owner, were beaten, robbed and tossed from Allison's car by four men Allison had invited for a ride Sunday night.

He met the men at a drinking place, Allison told police. As they drove near the river the men suddenly threw Bowler from the car. Allison, who was driving was ordered to stop the car. As he did so he was beaten into unconsciousness and tossed into the weeds.

# KILLED WHILE HUNTING BEES

## Nebraska Man Pinned in Crotch of Tree by Limb He Cut Off

BEATRICE, NEB.—(UP)—Mark J. Kelley, 51 years old, was killed instantly Monday while bee hunting on Sicily creek, 10 miles south of here.

Kelley climbed into a large tree and while standing on a heavy limb sawed another limb above him in which the bees were lodged. In falling, the sawed off limb pinned him in the crotch of the tree killing him.

County officials experienced difficulty in removing the body from the tree on account of the enraged bees.

## CRAB APPLE TREES IN BLOOM AT HOMER, NEB.

HOMER—(Special)—Another unusual fall phenomenon to be seen here. Crab apple trees profusely blooming on the Skidmore place now owned by Mrs. Bessie Dixon of South Sioux City. These blossoms appear in all their usual spring felicity of color, fragrance and profusion.

Added interest centers in this property as the village council of Homer has called a special election, September 27, to consider the purchase of this property, as springs, the source of the city water supply, are located there.

## MORE O'CONNOR 'HEIRS' LOSE IN FEDERAL COURT

LINCOLN—(UP)—Claims of two groups of purported heirs of the late John O'Connor, recluse cobbler who died at Hastings in 1913, leaving an estate now valued above \$150,000 were denied by Federal Judge I. C. Munger and their petitions dismissed.

These claims were of Charles O'Connor and eight others from Jackson, Mich., claiming to be nephews and nieces of John O'Connor; and the Anna Beebe heirs, scattered all over the west, claiming the same relationships. A third group, from the neighborhood of St. Joseph, Mo., failed to get into the federal court in Nebraska, and have an appeal pending in the appellate courts.

## WOMAN KILLED BY AN ACCIDENTAL SHOT

LINCOLN—(UP)—Accidentally shot with a revolver in the hands of Claude Winkler, 22 years old, Mrs. Mary Posse, 30 years old, died Sunday afternoon and a child that was delivered through a caesarian operation followed the mother in death several hours later.

Winkler is held in the jail here in connection with the allegation of representative Victor Hovis that the revolver with which Winkler accidentally shot Mrs. Posse was stolen from the National Guard armory at Lexington.

Just before Mrs. Posse died, she exonerated Winkler claiming the fatal shooting was accidental. Dr. George Posse, veterinarian and husband of the dead woman, also exonerated Winkler.

Saturday evening Posse and Winkler had arranged to go duck hunting and Dr. and Mrs. Posse came to his apartment about noon Sunday. While demonstrating the army revolver, Winkler accidentally discharged it and the shot entered Mrs. Posse's back, severing several arteries. She died from hemorrhages a little later on the operating table.

In an effort to save the life of her unborn child, a caesarian operation was performed. The child lived for several hours.

Representatives Hovis, who is connected with the armory here, claimed the revolver was stolen from the National guards, and Winkler was arrested. Winkler is a laborer.

## NEBRASKA WOMAN HAS SECOND MYSTERY STORY

VALENTINE—(Special)—Mrs. A. C. Eberhart, who under the name of Mignon Eberhart write, "The Patient in Room Eighteen," a popular mystery novel of last season, has written a second mystery story which has been accepted by wellknown publishers. The new book has not been given a definite title as yet and will probably not appear until next spring. The company's editor-in-chief has sent her a laudatory letter on the new book.

Mrs. Eberhart's husband is an engineer with the state highway department. They have been living in Valentine about a year, having come here from Lincoln.

## SEA SCOUTING ADDED TO DISTRICT PROJECTS

LINCOLN—(UP)—Although lacking large bodies of water, sea scouting will be introduced into the Boy Scout activities of region eight, comprising Nebraska, Iowa, Colorado, Missouri, Kansas and Wyoming.

Commodore Keane, director of sea scouting, outlined plans for the organization of the activities and said of the six regions already having this phase of scouting, only the eighth is without a large body of water. Dr. J. E. M. Thompson, of Lincoln, was appointed regional sea scout commodore.

## SORENSEN'S AID

LINCOLN—(UP)—L. E. Newkirk of Omaha, was named Monday by Attorney General C. A. Sorenson as an assistant attorney general to work in the Lincoln office. He assumed his duties immediately. Before taking the position, he was a member of the Omaha law firm of Waldron, Silverman and Newkirk of Omaha. At one time he was associated with the law firm of John L. Kennedy and former Judge Rait. Prior to that he was for five years attorney for the Omaha Trust company.