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NEWS OF NEBRASKA

Fremont Normal School Scorched.
Fremont, Neb., Oct. 15.—Fire in the Fremont normal school building caused damage to the amount of \$55,000, with \$20,000 insurance.

Five Hundred Hounds at the Meet.
Minden, Neb., Oct. 15.—Beginning today the 1907 national coursing meet will continue to the 26th inclusive. All indications point to the best meet in the history of the national association. There will be 500 of America's best hounds here.

Quarrel Results in Killing.
Falls City, Neb., Oct. 15.—Charles Wilson, aged twenty, was shot and killed here by Clyde Ellington. Both are negroes of about the same age. They had quarreled the night before. After the killing Ellington hunted up the sheriff and surrendered.

Omaha Horse Show Opens.
Omaha, Oct. 15.—The fourth annual horse show opened in Omaha last night at 8 o'clock with an exhibition of park horses driven before gigs. From that time on until midnight there was an exhibition of thoroughbred horses which called forth continual applause. Society turned out en masse to the opening night.

Ferguson's Preliminary Trial.
Lincoln, Oct. 15.—The Rev. Wilbert P. Ferguson, accused of adultery, appeared for preliminary trial in the court of Justice Stevens. Mrs. A. E. Cross is the complaining witness. Rev. Ferguson was until recently minister of the Methodist church of University Place. Adelaide Wisby, adopted daughter of the complainant, told of alleged acts of Ferguson which preceded the offense.

Prey Kidnaping Case.
Lincoln, Oct. 15.—Judge Holmes entered an order that Samuel T. Prey, the youthful son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Prey, who is alleged to have been kidnaped by Mrs. Prey and taken to Denver, be restored to the father. The child was taken to Denver last Saturday by the mother, who is separated from her husband, and the father immediately started in pursuit of the two. All three are now in Denver. A copy of the court's order was sent to Prey at Denver.

FOOTBALL PLAYER INJURED

Fred Jones of Bellevue Believed to Be Near Death from Injury.

Omaha, Oct. 15.—Because of the injury to Right Guard Fred Jones of the Bellevue football team and his serious illness, the game at Vermillion, S. D., was called off. Latest reports from the South Omaha hospital, where the young man is being cared for, are that he cannot survive longer than twenty-four hours. He is suffering apparently from a clot of blood pressing on the heart, caused by injuries received in football play. He is in a stupor and is subject to violent coughing spells.

The parents of Jones arrived from Cody, Neb. Jones was a sophomore and this was his second year of football.

PRODS NEBRASKA GUARDSMEN

Adjutant General Proposes Payment for Attendance at Drills.

Lincoln, Oct. 12.—Adjutant General Charles F. Schwarz of the Nebraska National Guard has sent out a warning to the company officers that unless many of the companies bestir themselves they are liable to be mustered out on account of inefficiency and the state will lose the pro rata share of government support.

The loss of the government appropriation would prove a serious blow to the Nebraska guard. Adjutant Schwarz finds it difficult to keep up interest and secure attendance at the drills. He is now working on an order which will propose the payment of 25 cents each week to each member for attendance at drill. By Jan. 22 the guard must be up to a certain standard, the adjutant says, or lose its share of the government appropriation.

FIRES STARTED BY LOCOMOTIVE

Reign of Terror Exists Along Line of Burlington West of Ravenna.

Lincoln, Oct. 15.—Immediate and effective relief for town and rural property owners along the line of the Burlington railroad west of Ravenna is declared to be right in a document filed by Railway Commissioner Williams. As Commissioner Williams describes it, a reign of terror exists in the district on account of fires started by locomotives, which are declared to be of almost daily occurrence. "No

other words can adequately describe the situation," said the commissioner.

The railway commission set the hearing of the complaint filed by Nebraska creameries against certain railroad and express companies, charging discrimination, for Oct. 25.

Attorney General Thompson received a certified copy of the order of the federal court at Omaha remanding the express rate case from the federal to the state courts. The cases involve the reduction of express rates in Nebraska 25 per cent, ordered by the state railway commission. Since the state courts have been given jurisdiction, the attorney general will move for an order before the supreme court that the reduction be enforced.

When the supreme court meets this week, the Union Pacific railway's action against the state board of equalization will be taken up. The road seeks an order which will compel the board to disclose its method of valuations. The road claims the method of assessment is unfair.

Peoria Policeman Slain by Burglar.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 14.—During a pistol fight with a burglar who had robbed a residence of several thousand dollars' worth of diamonds, Ed Barrett, a policeman, was shot and killed. The man who fired the shot escaped. This is the second murder of the kind in Peoria in five days.

To Investigate Accidents.

Lincoln, Oct. 14.—Railroad accidents will be investigated thoroughly by the state railroad commission when a velocipede has been purchased giving the board the opportunity to make flying trips so that the scene of trouble may be reached before railroad men have visited the scene and official investigations by county authorities have fixed the responsibility.

RANCHMAN AGNEW ARRESTED.

Wyoming Cattle Baron Charged With Conspiracy to Defraud Government.

Omaha, Oct. 15.—Federal officers have received word of the arrest at Rawhide Buttes, Wyo., of John Agnew, who was jointly indicted with G. T. H. Babcock a year ago on the charge of conspiring to defraud the government in securing public land. Agnew is a ranchman. He was taken before a commissioner at Lusk and gave \$3,000 bond.

FORGER HUDSON PLEADS GUILTY

Five and Half Years' Sentence is Passed by Judge Kelligar.

Tecumseh, Neb., Oct. 14.—In the district court here Simon Hudson pleaded guilty to the charge of forgery and Judge Kelligar sentenced him to the penitentiary for five years and six months.

Hudson forged and cashed two checks on Tecumseh banks in June, and when the sheriff attempted to arrest him, he shot the officer in the arm. He was apprehended at Kinsley, Kan., and brought back. A big crowd was in the court room and at the depot when Sheriff Miner took him to the penitentiary.

STANDARD'S OIL REJECTED

State Authorities Throw Out Carload of Refined Product.

Lincoln, Oct. 14.—A carload of oil sent to Beaver City by the Standard Oil company has been rejected by the state oil inspector. The first test made by Deputy Inspector William Wheeler showed the oil to register 109 degrees, when the minimum was 112 degrees. Chief Deputy Inspector Allen made the trip to Beaver City to test the oil himself and he ordered it rejected. It is very rarely the oil tested in the state is not up to grade. This is the first big lot of oil thrown out by Inspector Allen. It was shipped direct to Beaver City from the Ohio refineries.

LIMIT ON TENURE OF OFFICE

Short Term Policy Rules at Christian Endeavor Convention.

Omaha, Oct. 14.—The following officers were elected by the twenty-first annual convention of the Christian Endeavor union of Nebraska for one year:

President, Rev. James H. Salsbury, Plattsmouth; vice president, Walter G. Rood, North Loup; secretary, Miss Mary B. Lee, Central City; treasurer, William Watts, Deweese; junior superintendent, Ray Fletcher, Lincoln; Christian citizenship superintendent, H. S. Stone, Omaha.

The election carries out the policy to be pursued in the future of limiting the tenure of office of the president.

GRAND ARMY MEN PROTEST

Denounce Pension Ruling of Nebraska Board of Public Lands and Buildings.

Lincoln, Oct. 14.—At a meeting of the local Grand Army post a resolution was adopted denouncing the action of the state board of public lands and buildings in requiring inmates of soldiers' and sailors' homes to give part of their monthly pensions to the state. The board was asked to rescind its action. The state board recently adopted an order requiring all pensioners in the homes who drew a pension in excess of \$12 a month to pay a certain percent into the cash fund of the home. Under the service pension rule there have been many increases in pensions, but the action of the board has met with strong protest.

FRONTIER FESTIVAL ENDS.

Hilderbrandt of Wyoming Wins Rough Riding Championship.

Hastings, Neb., Oct. 14.—The Hastings frontier festival, which was a success far beyond the expectations of the promoters, closed with the finals in the championship events.

Hilderbrandt of Wyoming won the \$500 prize saddle and purse of \$65, taking first place in the championship rough riding contest. He rode Steamboat, the famous outlaw horse, in his final trial. Hilderbrandt made a most sensational ride, Steamboat pitching and tossing him in a merciless manner.

The company which financed the enterprise was capitalized for \$4,000.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect it.

How To Find Out.
Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours. A sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

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