

MUST STOP FOOLING

FEDERAL TROOPS MAY BE WITHDRAWN FROM COLORADO.

TO SERVE OUT SENTENCE

Dynamite Men Out on Bond, to Be Returned to Leavenworth Prison

Western Newspaper Union News Service. Denver, Colo.—An ultimatum hinting that United States troops might be withdrawn from the Colorado strike zone unless the Colorado legislature ended its "inaction," has been served on the state of Colorado by President Wilson.

Much Mortality in Canal Zone. Washington.—Nearly 2,200 workers on the Panama canal died from accidents and fevers between May 1, 1904, and March 31, 1914, according to statistics read by Representative Young of North Dakota in the house.

MUST GO TO JAIL

Dynamiters Will Have to Serve Out Sentences. Chicago.—The twenty-four labor leaders sentenced in the "dynamiting cases," who are at liberty on bonds, have but a few more weeks of liberty.

Sporting Event of Interest. Lincoln, Neb.—A sporting event of unusual interest is booked for this place Thursday evening, June 4.

Nebraskans Graduate at West Point. Lincoln.—Five Nebraska boys will graduate at West Point with rank of second lieutenant on June 1.

Appropriation for Indian School. Washington.—Material increases in appropriations for the Genoa Indian school, and for the Omaha and Winnebago agencies are provided in the Indian appropriation bill, reported in the senate.

Flag for Grand Island School. Grand Island, Neb.—Thursday morning's program of the Grand Army encampment consisted of a parade and the presentation by the Ladies of the G. A. R. of a fine silk flag and a portrait of Abraham Lincoln to the Dodge school, the oldest in the city.

Ten Killed in Chemical Explosion. Detroit, Mich.—Ten men, most of them chemists, were killed by an explosion of acid and chemicals in the mixing room of the Mexican Crude Rubber company.

1914 BASEBALL SCHEDULE NEBRASKA STATE LEAGUE

Table with columns for teams (Kearney, Grand Island, Norfolk, Columbus, Hastings, York, Beatrice, Superior) and dates for games. Includes sub-sections like 'THE LIVE', 'SPORTING', 'NEWS', 'PRINTED', 'IN', 'THESE', 'COLUMNS'.

ELKS NAME OFFICERS

ATTRIBUTES LONGEVITY TO THE HABIT OF SMOKING.

NEWS FROM OVER THE STATE

What is Going on Here and There That is of Interest to the Readers Throughout Nebraska and Vicinity.

- Western Newspaper Union News Service. COMING EVENTS. State convention of Nebraska. Eagles at Hastings in June. State Sunday school convention at Aurora in June.

Nebraska Elks at North Platte. North Platte.—F. L. Rain of Fairbury was elected president of the Nebraska Elks at the state convention here.

Hastings.—Comfortable and happy in her extreme old age and enjoying better health than is the lot of many persons forty years her junior, Mrs. Clara Dawson Briley last week celebrated her 114th birthday anniversary at her home, one-half mile south of Hastings.

G. A. R. Memorial Services. Grand Island.—When the annual encampment of the G. A. R. meets here, May 13, the names of 149 comrades who have died during the past year will be reported by J. H. Presson.

Omaha.—On May 18th and 19th the Mendelssohn Choir of this city, consisting of about 100 voices, with the Theodore Thomas Orchestra of Chicago, of more than forty pieces, will give a series of concerts at the Auditorium.

Balloon Quickly Returned. Harvard.—Harvard camp, Woodmen of the World, sent up a paper balloon here to which was attached a card entitling the person who returned it to Deputy W. D. Askin to free entrance fees into the order, and within an hour it was returned by Melvin Kitzinger of this city.

J. M. Farmer, near Stella, has a field of fifteen acres of volunteer wheat which is nearly eighteen inches high and will probably produce a big yield.

BRIEF NEWS OF NEBRASKA

Mayor Nelson has placed an embargo on the tango dance in York. Elbert Vaught has been named by the president as postmaster at Genoa.

Joe Estep was robbed and beaten by a tramp in the railroad yards at Fremont.

Over 1,000 children participated in the May day festivities at Athletic park in Hastings.

A stereopticon machine of the latest design is being installed in the Methodist church at York.

H. W. Haig, aged 50 years, founder of the town of Haigler, died in a Denver hospital last week.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed all but two buildings in a block in the business section of Dubois.

Knights of Pythias grand lodge is in session at Lincoln this week.

The thirty-eighth annual grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star convened at Lincoln, Tuesday.

The Commercial hotel at Kenesaw was badly damaged by a fire that for a time threatened to destroy it.

Dean Fordyce of the state university will deliver the address at the Ohio commencement exercises May 28.

Mrs. A. C. Spencer of Stella received seven letters from sons and one from a daughter on Mothers day.

Miss Francis Paddock, daughter of the late Senator Paddock, died at her mother's home at Lincoln last week.

The Mendelssohn choir of Omaha will give a series of concerts in the auditorium at that place May 18 and 19.

Harry Gerdis of Auburn was killed when the timbers of a roof upon which he was working gave way and crushed him.

Burr, a small village in Otoe county, has taken the lead of most of small towns by organizing a commercial club.

Sunday baseball games scheduled at Beatrice in the Nebraska State league will be played in Wymore this season.

Henry Fithian lost several fingers by getting them caught in the gearing of a windmill on his farm near Tecumseh.

Will Fox, a Plattsmouth electrician, fell from a ladder at the new Elks building at that place, and was badly injured.

J. P. Gibbons, manager at Kearney for the Trans-Mississippi Grain company, has purchased the elevator at Kearney.

Rev. J. H. Salsbury, for several years pastor of the Presbyterian church at Falls City, has tendered his resignation to accept a charge at Auburn.

The next meeting of the association of Nebraska commercial clubs will be held at Lincoln during the legislative session in February.

C. G. Eakin, a well known traveling man of Lincoln, was found dead in a room at a Fremont hotel where he was stopping. He remarked that he was feeling badly when he was shown to his room.

Coach W. G. Kline of Nebraska Wesleyan is sending out invitations to members of the Nebraska Intercollegiate Athletic association for the annual state track meet to be held at University Place on Friday, May 29.

The call to the beet fields of western Nebraska is not being listened to by the usual number of German-Russian laborers in the cities this season.

The congregation of the First Baptist church at Beatrice has extended a call to Rev. F. B. McAllister of Rochester, N. Y. The church has been without a pastor for some time.

Mrs. Lucy A. Reed, claimed by the Hebron Champion to be the oldest member of the order of Rebekahs in the United States, is dead at that place. She joined the order in 1857, and at her death was nearly 87 years old.

Rev. John E. Spencer has been formally installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Kearney.

Henry Ruff of Grand Island had his left leg badly crushed when his team, frightened by a motorcycle, dragged him for some distance under the wagon wheels.

The penitentiary baseball league is prospering. A number of players have been released from the several teams.

These men, Warden Fenton says, would be gobbled up in a minute by the state league if the players themselves were not bound by the penitentiary agreement.

MUST BE ABODE O. CLEANLINESS

IS NO PLACE FOR "PUSSY" OR "ROVER."

GOSSIP FROM STATE CAPITAL

Items of Interest Gathered from Reliable Sources and Presented in Condensed Form to Our Readers.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Purring old Pussy, who has long held forth under restaurant stoves or around bakery kitchens, will have to go. So will Fido and Rover, as well as all dogs and cats.

This and other commandments were evolved in terse form from the sanitary law of the state. All food-producing plants and dispensaries will be under this law during the summer.

Strict enforcement will be had by the food commission inspectors. The most important provisions are as follows: "The clothing and person of those who come in contact with or handle food, must be clean at all times, and such persons must wash their hands thoroughly before beginning work each day and after handling any article which is unclean."

"No person who is afflicted with any contagious or infectious disease shall be allowed to work in any establishment where food is cooked, served, prepared or distributed. Neither shall any person or persons be allowed to sleep in any such place."

"Spitting on floors, walls or utensils is positively prohibited. Cuspidors must be provided and the same shall be emptied and cleansed daily. "Every food producing or distributing establishment during the fly season shall have all doors, windows and other openings properly screened. The floors, walls and ceilings of every such place, must at all times be kept in a clean and sanitary condition."

"Refuse, dirt and all other waste and unwholesome products must be removed daily. "Unsanitary conditions will be deemed to exist in any food establishment where proper precautions are not taken for the extermination of rats and mice, cock roaches or vermin."

"The presence of cats or dogs is positively prohibited in any kitchen, dining room, bakery, meat market, or other place where food is produced or prepared. "Unwholesome conditions will be deemed to exist in any kitchen, bakery, meat market or other food producing establishment where the smoking of cigars, pipes or cigarettes is permitted, and the same is positively prohibited."

An examination of wheat fields in Dodge county and the western part of Washington county, conducted by Professors Bruner, Schwenk and Vasey of the University of Nebraska convinces them that blight of the plants is not due to any insect, but rather to high winds which have crusted the ground.

Applications for space for implement and farm machinery exhibits have been coming in at the office of the state board of agriculture and a complete display in this line is now assured. There will be a number of new exhibitors for the 1914 fair.

Automobile Owners Liable. In instructing the jury in the damage suit of Richard N. Steiner and Albert B. Steiner, administrators of the estate of Samuel Steiner vs. Lumley E. Evans and Isabelle Slocum, Judge Cornish laid down the rule that an automobile owner who allows the members of the family or servants to use his car is liable for any damages arising from the negligence of the driver, no matter if at the time the accident the latter is disobeying the owner.

A course teaching students how to operate every sort of motor on the farm, ranging from the traction engine to the automobile, will be offered at the Nebraska University Farm from June 8 to July 3, this summer. Any able-bodied man over eighteen years of age may register. No educational requirement is made, although applicants are supposed to have completed the eighth grade.

NEWS FROM STATE HOUSE

Professor Persinger of the state university will sail May 30 for South America, where he will spend three months studying life and conditions in that country.

H. W. Smith, editor of the Seward Independent-Democrat, and a member of the 1912-13 legislature, has filed for the nomination for state auditor on the democratic ticket.

The Nebraska soil survey in conjunction with the government will make a survey of Gage and Thurston counties this summer.

Assessment of the seven railroads of the state has been completed by the board of assessment and equalization. No changes were made over last year. The Union Pacific's total will be increased because of added mileage, but that will be the only change for the state.

State Treasurer George has issued a call for \$150,000 worth of general fund warrants, effective May 15. The call is for warrants up to No. 8934, and the last was registered January 26. In all there are \$170,000 in warrants outstanding and the state board of assessment may have to levy a 1 mill assessment to call them in.

An order issued by the railway commission last year directing the railroad companies not to accept improperly packed eggs for shipment is believed to have greatly reduced the loss annually in Nebraska on account of breakage and rotting of eggs. The egg crop of the state is estimated at \$20,000,000 a year.

The committee in charge of the outing of the Nebraska press association, to be held at Epworth Lake park June 18 to 25, is still hard at work, although they have already arranged for the most elaborate and enjoyable program ever before presented to the newspaper people of the state. There will be eight days of relaxation, each succeeding morning ushering in a series of events, every one of them of increasing interest.

The supreme court has handed down an opinion of what may prove to be of far-reaching importance to the future of the state railway commission. It declared the physical connection and "direct appeals" laws constitutional and asserted in a positive way that it would not change the orders brought up from the railway commission unless prejudicial error was found or the commission was discovered to have grossly exceeded its powers.

A suit involving the right of homesteaders to retain land claimed by the state draw a large crowd of people to the town of Hyannis, Grant county. Assistant Attorney General Edgerton attended the court as attorney for the state. He is making every effort possible to protect the state's rights in several cases that have arisen in the northwestern part of Nebraska. He obtained an order from the department of interior for a resurvey of Grant and Hooker counties.

The question that has been put up to the attorney general by Chairman Epperson and Currie of the opposing republican state committees as to the basis of apportionment was recognized by those chairmen as furnishing a serious problem, on the solution of which might readily depend whether another factor will be interposed to keep the factions from completely joining forces this fall. Since the question has been made public it has been a subject of much comment among those taking an active interest in politics.

Because a Woodman of the World sent up toy balloons in several towns of the state containing cards entitling men who returned them to free entrance to the order, inquiry was made at the state insurance commission whether or not the proceeding was allowable under state law. Insurance Commissioner Brian declared that there is no provision against this in the case of fraternal. Rebating or discrimination in the case of life insurance companies is specifically prohibited, but fraternal orders are not subject to that law.

HANGS IN BALANCE

FUTURE OF MEXICO TO BE DECIDED THIS WEEK.

INTERVENTION THE SOLUTION

Many Mexicans Anxious for the United States to Take Control—Shortage of Arms a Problem.

Western Newspaper Union News Service. Washington.—Peace delegates of the Huerta government who departed from Washington Sunday for Niagara Falls, Canada, to attend the mediation conference, are confident of the success, which, it was learned, is the broad question of pacifying all of Mexico. The three Mexican envoys have little idea how long the arrangement of a settlement will keep them at Niagara Falls, but they are confident that their trip will not have been in vain. The Mexican delegates are said to realize that the present administration in Mexico City is fast crumbling and that the choice of some one to succeed Huerta is inevitable.

Purchasing Agents Get Busy

El Paso, Tex.—The attitude of the American administration with regard to the embargo on arms has caused immediate activity along this section of the border. The shortage of ammunition has been recognized by those in close touch with constitutionalist affairs to be the greatest problem the government of northern Mexico had to face. When the announcement came over the wires that there was no prohibition against shipping arms and ammunition into Tampico from the United States or elsewhere there was an immediate exodus eastward of constitutionalist purchasing agents.

INTERVENTION ONLY SOLUTION.

Many Mexicans Praying for United States to Take Control.

St. Louis.—American intervention is the only solution of the Mexican trouble, according to Wayne A. White, grand master Mason of Mexico, who is here to attend a conference of Masonic grand masters.

"Some of the Mexicans who are allied with Huerta for protection," he said, "are praying that the United States take control of affairs in Mexico so they will be sure their business is safe."

"The impression that Americans are cowards has become so prevalent that Mexicans do not hesitate openly to insult our citizens. But they respect the flags of Great Britain and of Germany."

Fighting For Possession.

Juarez Mexico.—Actual fighting for the possession of Saltillo has begun. News brought here via Torreon from Parras, said constitutionalists composing Gen. Francisco Villa's advance guard had encountered federal outposts north of Saltillo. After an hour's engagement, the federals withdrew. Villa's main Torreon division of more than 15,000 men began leaving Parras, forty miles from Saltillo. They are marching overland for the onslaught on the federal stronghold.

Demand Details of Parks' Fate.

Washington.—The United States has demanded of the Huerta government details of the fate of Private Parks, the American infantryman who strayed into the Mexican lines near Vera Cruz, declaring that unless information about him was given immediately by the American government would consider that an "unfriendly and hostile" act had been committed in violation of the understanding for a cessation of hostilities pending mediation.

Determined Huerta Must Go.

Washington.—General Victoriano Huerta may choose between safety in Europe or death before the guns of a victorious constitutionalist army. But he will have to make the choice. His reign as dictator of Mexico is about to end. No matter what the result of the mediation conference in Canada—whether they suggest that Carranza or a commission shall succeed Huerta—it is already a certainty the mediators will agree that Huerta must go.

Says Huerta Has Fortune in Europe.

San Francisco.—That President Huerta of Mexico has 8,000,000 pesos in Paris ready for him whenever he finds it necessary to flee his own country was the declaration of Captain Fred J. Eason, commander of the steamship Mazatlan, which came into port from West Mexican ports. Captain Eason says the 8,000,000 pesos were obtained from the government through the organization of a trading company, in which Huerta held most of the stock and his cabinet officers the balance.

New York.—The second quota of nurses to be sent to the front will be from New York city, according to Miss Annie Rhodes, secretary of the National Red Cross Nursing society, who said that each of the large cities of the country would be expected to furnish fifty-one nurses for service if conditions in Mexico require the presence of more troops. Washington has already furnished its quota, Miss Rhodes said. Several Red Cross nurses have been inoculated against typhoid fever and next week will be vaccinated.