

# WILL GO TO BORDER

ORGANIZING TROOPS OF CAVALRY FOR SERVICE IN THE SOUTH.

Items of General Interest Gathered From Reliable Sources Around the State House.

Western Newspaper Union News Service. That attempts are now being made to organize a troop of Nebraska cavalry for border service is the assertion of a member of Adjutant General Hall's staff, who was left behind when the government refused to muster in members of the adjutant general's department. General Hall, he says, is determined to go to the border. Twenty Lincoln men have already promised to join in case the troop is organized. Ninety are needed.

Staff officers left behind will check up the accounts at each company's home station, after which it is said that they will resign and get to the Nebraska troops on the border in some manner. General Hall presumably will be made captain of the troop, if organized, as he was deprived of his office as captain of company H of the Fifth regiment by the orders of the war department. Endeavors will be made, according to the staff member, to recruit for the cavalry when the officers visit the various towns to close up company affairs. He said that little trouble in getting the men was expected.

Temporary structures at the fair grounds erected for the convenience of the guardsmen during their late encampment are being dismantled, and soon every vestige of their presence will have disappeared, with the exception of the grass-worn company streets. Sheep have already been turned back into the grounds.

### Biggest Camp on the Border.

The Fourth Nebraska under Colonel George Eberly and Lieutenant Colonel William Baehr, detained at Llano Grande, Tex., in a terrific rainstorm and immediately set about pitching camp.

Many delays were encountered along the last one hundred miles of the journey. Mercedes had been selected for the concentration camp, but a suitable tract large enough to encamp all the soldiers expected could not be obtained and the camp was moved three miles west. It is expected that this will be one of the biggest concentration camps along the border.

### Find Misbranded Patent Medicines.

State Food Commissioner C. E. Harman reports that his inspectors found 1,492 packages of patent medicines in stores between June 15 and July 1 that were misbranded because they bore on the label the word "cure" and other false claims. The packages were ordered off sale, which means an invoice is taken and the druggist ordered not to sell the packages unless he supplies new labels or returns the goods to the factory or destroys them. This is done to prevent loss to the dealer who is supposed to have unintentionally violated the law.

The number of automobiles registered in Nebraska jumped from 59,000 in one year to 84,400. The latter number was registered one day last week, at the office of Secretary of State Pool. He has run out of number plates but has placed orders for a total of 95,000 with manufacturers. During a period of eighteen months, ending July 7, the office fees received by secretary of state amounted to \$216,892.27, not including a fee of 35 cents for each automobile registration. The expense of his office during that period was \$15,591.50.

Lieutenant George Hughley of Omaha has been in charge of the hospital work at Camp Llano Grande until the arrival of the field hospital with the Fifth regiment. While it has rained almost continually since the Nebraska boys reached camp, the men are suffering no discomfort.

Almost 2,000,000 rounds of ammunition have arrived at Mercedes, Tex., for the two Nebraska regiments.

The Nebraska Patriotic league has started funds for purchasing regimental standards for the Fourth and the Fifth Nebraska regiments, now south for border duty.

Organization of the proposed Sixth regiment of troops for Nebraska has not been abandoned according to John G. Maher, but is still going on. Mr. Maher states that an election has just been held, resulting in the choice of these officers:

Colonel, John G. Maher, Lincoln; lieutenant colonel, Mr. Steele, Omaha; majors, Allen G. Fisher of Chadron, L. H. Warner of Geneva and probably L. W. Colby of Beatrice.

The war department has not as yet authorized the formation of this regiment.

The special muster blank which would permit Captain George A. Beecher of Hastings to go with the Fifth regiment as chaplain arrived "O. K." and he was mustered in in time to get with the regimental staff in the first section. It was found that under the new federalized act, a chaplain is unassigned, when he is first mustered in with the regimental staff, and that it is necessary for him to sign a special muster blank and take a separate oath before he can be considered attached to any one regiment.

### FIFTH REGIMENT DETRAINS.

First Detachment on Hand to Welcome Newcomers.

The Fifth regiment, under Colonel Herbert Paul, arrived at Camp Llano Grande, near Mercedes, Tex., Friday morning and immediately began to detrain. The entire Fourth regiment, including Colonel Eberly and staff and the regimental band, was on hand to welcome the newcomers.

Almost six days were required in bringing the Fifth from Lincoln to camp. Many delays were encountered along the way. At Muskogee the regiment was tied up nearly twenty-four hours. A freight train just ahead of the troop train went into the ditch, derailed three cars and an engine.

At Bishop, Tex., the troops were again delayed by washouts. Along a distance of seven miles the tracks were under two and three feet of water. At Denison, Tex., the troops were transferred into tourist sleeping cars. Twenty-seven of these cars were awaiting the Nebraskans when they reached that town.

By night there were more than 2,000 Nebraskans encamped.

All mail for the two regiments should be addressed to Mercedes, Tex.

### Remarkably Free from Casualties.

Although Nebraska regiments have encountered two wrecks but one man has been seriously injured. This is considered remarkable when the fact is taken into consideration that over 2,000 men were transported nearly 2,800 miles to the concentration camp. One of the inspiring sights on the trip was an eighty-six-year-old man, a veteran of the first Mexican war, planting two large flags on the engine of the first Nebraska section.

Lieut. John Madgett of Hastings, lost eight pounds en route from Lincoln to the border. He expects to classify in the lightweight class before long. When he went to Camp Morehead he weighed 230 pounds. Morning runs about the race track and dieting got him down to 220 pounds, Uncle Sam's avoirdupois limit. Now he balances the scales at 214.

Captain Monte Lum, company A, Lincoln, is the Beau Brummel of the Fifth regiment. It is said he presses his uniform twice a day.

All members of company G, Fifth regiment, have decided to ignore the company barber. All have shaved their heads and are allowing their beards and mustaches to grow unrestrained.

### Fifth Nebraska Held Up by Wreck.

The Fifth Nebraska regiment was held for some time at Muskogee, Okla., because of a freight wreck near Hoffmann, Okla., which blocked the railroad. The third section was held on its arrival, and the first and second brought back for route diversion.

The Fifth regiment followed the trail of the Fourth through Oklahoma, and it was common gossip on the train that it will be encamped near the Fourth when it reaches its destination at Mercedes, Tex.

Railroad officials are said to believe this was a plot to wreck the Fifth regiment and hospital corps.

### To Enable Soldiers to Vote.

Representative Sloan has introduced a bill at Washington giving the right to national guard volunteers who may be on the Mexican border on election day to vote for presidential electors, senators and congressmen, such elections to be conducted by officers of the troops chosen by the men, and the votes to be counted in accordance with an election certificate to be sent to the canvassing board of the respective states.

State Fire Commissioner W. S. Ridgell reports that inspectors of his department made 4,135 inspections in June in ninety-six different towns and issued 652 clean-up and condemnation orders. Two buildings were condemned and removed at Ewing. The fire losses in June as reported to the state warden amounted to \$53,428. The department is endeavoring to make an inspection of the whole state with the object in view of making the state as free as possible from fire hazards.

### Harry Pease Has Feet Crushed.

Harry Pease of company L, Gothenburg, had his feet badly crushed at Sinton, Texas. He disobeyed orders and with several others climbed to the top of the coach. A lurch of the train threw him between the cars. He will be crippled for life.

In the injunction case, long pending, whereby William Kearney sought to prevent Commandant Walsh from ejecting him and his wife from the Soldier's Home at Grand Island on the ground that they were not dependent, having property and Mr. Kearney conducting an automobile line between the city and the home, the court has decided the injunction against the commandant will hold until such time as the state board of control adopts a ruling under which the commandant would have authority to act.

### Pay Nebraskans Deserved Tribute.

A deserved tribute was paid to the Nebraska troops by the citizens of Denison, Tex., who declared they were the most orderly, the most obedient, and the most manly soldiers who have passed through that town. Guardsmen from eight or nine states have passed through Denison in the past ten days en route to the border. A committee of business men met the boys at the station and distributed cigars, stamped postal cards and newspapers among them.

# NEBRASKA STATE NEWS

DATES FOR COMING EVENTS.

- July 25—Nebraska Democratic convention at Hastings.
- July 25—Nebraska Republican Convention at Lincoln.
- July 28-29—Northeast Nebraska Editorial Association Meeting at Norfolk.
- July 30-August 6.—Summer Assembly of the Church of Brethren at Beatrice.
- Aug. 7 to 11—Tractor Week in Fremont.
- Aug. 7 to 10—State Press Association's North Platte Valley excursion.
- August 7 to 12—Merchants' Market Week in Omaha.
- Aug. 9 to 12.—Frontier Days Celebration at Silver Creek.
- August 10.—Second annual barbecue at Seward.
- Aug. 17-27—Seventh Day Adventists' Conference at Hastings.
- Aug. 17 to 20.—Biennial Nebraska Saengerbund festival at Grand Island.
- Aug. 21-25—Mo. Valley Photographers' Association Convention at Lincoln.
- Sept. 4 to 7.—Nebraska State Fair at Lincoln.
- Sept. 13.—Annual Convention State Federation of Labor at Fremont.

Nebraska's corn crop this year will amount to 180,000,000 bushels, according to the July 1 forecast made by the bureau of crop estimates, United States department of agriculture. Last year the final estimate of the corn crop in Nebraska was 213,000,000 bushels. The winter wheat crop in Nebraska on the same date was within 1,000,000 bushels of the final estimate for last year. The comparative figures were: 1916, 65,700,000; 1915, 66,618,000. The oats crop on July 1 was forecasted at 69,900,000 bushels compared to 70,400,000 bushels in 1915, and the potato crop at 9,300,000 barrels or about 22,350,000 bushels compared to 11,550,000 bushels last year. The production of apples this year in Nebraska was estimated July 1, at 791,000 barrels, or about 2,350,000 bushels compared to 1,267,000 barrels in 1915.

Of special interest to employees operating under the workmen's compensation law in Nebraska is a case just decided by District Judge Cosgrave in Lincoln in favor of the Nebraska Manufacturers Casualty association, which had insured the defendant. A demand had been made by an injured employe for \$11,477 despite the fact that the wage percentage and allowance for medical attention had been paid as required by law, the plaintiff insisting that he was entitled to compensation for permanent disability. The judge held that the case was prematurely brought and declared in open court that there was no excuse for litigation in such instances where the compensation law protects the rights of all without court procedure.

The progressive state committee after a short executive session at Lincoln passed a resolution approving and endorsing the action of the national committee taken at Chicago June 26, whereby it endorsed the candidacy of Charles E. Hughes for president, and recommend to all progressives that they give him their support in the coming campaign. The committee also endorsed Judge Sutton of Omaha for governor, J. L. Kennedy of Omaha for U. S. senator, Addison Waite for secretary of state, G. W. Marsh for auditor and W. H. Reynolds for state treasurer.

The township levies for Cuming county for the year 1916 show a remarkable increase in the amount asked for road purposes. The levy this year for the entire county, outside of the municipalities, is 132 mills, as against 92 mills for last year. In the years preceding, from the year 1899 to 1912 and 1913 the levy for road purposes was from 30 to 40 mills for the entire county.

Kearney people are somewhat alarmed over the death of Bessie Lemon, age 5, of infantile paralysis, the malady which is taking hundreds of New York babies. This is the first death from this cause in Kearney, and no other cases are known to exist.

A frontier day's celebration will be held in Silver Creek August 9, 10, 11 and 12.

Eleven people were injured, none seriously, which is considered remarkable when a big truck loaded with members of the Recreation club, returning from a picnic ran off the wooden bridge over the Platte into the river near Kearney.

The biggest wheat harvest in the history of Adams county, with yields estimated at forty bushels per acre has started. Urgent demands for help coupled with high prices, has robbed the Hastings paving contractors of half of their employes.

Tom Meyers, solicitor for a Fremont paper, who makes his territory in a roadster, captured a coyote after he had chased it for about a mile, as he was coming home from a trip to Saunders county.

George Trexler, Union Pacific engineer, was instantly killed and his wife and three children seriously injured when an automobile driven by Trexler, fell off a bridge near Ogallala. Trexler fell on June 1st had 1,385 automobiles according to figures compiled by County Assessor J. W. Barnett.

Ninety-nine years old, pioneer frontiersman, Indian fighter, but still voting. This is the record of Jacob C. March of Lincoln, probably the oldest voter in the state. When questioned as to politics, he said that he is a "democrat, b'gosh, and always will be." He is also a woman suffrage booster. At the time of the civil war he was too old for service, but sent two of his sons.

The Commercial Club of Kearney has sent forth its annual appeal to Nebraska congressmen to use what influence they may have with the federal government to secure a release of the flood waters of the Pathfinder dam. The Kearney canal is practically dried up and the cry for water is being heard on all sides.

A campaign has been launched by Lincoln Commercial club to secure one of the twelve regional banks provided for in the rural credits bill which just passed congress. W. J. Bryan is taking an active part in the campaign to land the bank for Lincoln.

North Platte has responded generously to the call of the guardsmen of Company E. A check for \$225 has been sent to Captain P. R. Halligan to be used as a mess fund by the boys. Fifty-one persons contributed to the fund, the contributions ranging from \$1 to \$25.

In the first heat of a 2:10 pace during the races at Fremont last week pacer Bud Williams, owned by a Washington man, dropped dead within 100 feet of the wire. The driver was thrown several feet but was uninjured.

The Pentecostal church of the Nazarene, more familiarly known as the Nazarene church is being organized in Beatrice. The organizers say two hundred people have signified their intentions to join the new church.

The Burlington railroad company is surveying around Scottsbluff with a view of ascertaining the cost of building branches to transport sugar beets from a large area to the big factories at that place.

The present membership of the Hastings Y. M. C. A. is 443, including 77 sustaining members. A membership campaign is to be launched early this fall when it is hoped to increase the enrollment to 1,000.

A red letter day was held at the Methodist church in Burchard recently for the pastor, Rev. A. C. Spencer. In all he baptized twenty-nine persons and had forty-six accessions to the church.

The campaign of fish spearing in the water holes of the Platte, has extended so that meat markets in Grand Island estimate the decrease in the sales of meat is over \$100 a day.

During the first day of the J. W. Fleming closing out sale of twenty-four improved stock farms at Wisner five farms were sold, comprising 1,438 acres, at an average of \$142.82 per acre.

Small grain harvest in Red Willow county is well under way, the yield being large and the quality fine. It will be one of the largest harvests in the history of the county.

Seventy head of cattle were drowned at the Coffee Cattle Co. ranch near Harrison when they broke down a fence and crowded into an overflowed reservoir.

The new \$40,000 St. Charles Catholic church at North Bend was dedicated last week. Bishop Tihen of Lincoln delivered the dedicatory sermon.

William Woodhurst, warden at the state penitentiary under Governor Garver and a pioneer Nebraskan, died at his home in North Platte.

On July 28th the voters of Newman Grove will pass on a proposition to issue \$2,000 bonds for the purpose of procuring a town park.

The Gage county board of supervisors turned down a petition signed by 150 residents of Filey for permission to play Sunday baseball.

Material to be used in the construction of the new bridge over the Platte at Kearney is arriving daily.

The Nebraska Saengerbund festival will be held at Grand Island August 17, 18, 19 and 20.

President Woodrow Wilson will be invited to speak in Omaha during the semi-centennial celebration this fall. Work will commence soon on the new federal building at Alliance.

Fire at North Bend did \$3,000 damage in the Empress theater.

John Schmitz of Edgar, a boyhood friend of Henry Ford, the Detroit automobile manufacturer, mailed a check to Mr. Ford just recently for \$135, asking him to ship a new Ford to him. Ford called the bluff and shipped the car.

A brick yard belonging to Fred Brinkman at Arlington was totally destroyed by fire. The fire is supposed to have started from the kiln where Mr. Brinkman had just begun to "burn" 150,000 brick. The loss is placed at \$2,500.

Dr. A. P. Fitzsimmons, formerly of Tecumseh, but who for the last few years has been holding a position in Manila, has been appointed treasurer of the island by the governor general, with a salary of \$12,000 per year.

The Lincoln highway through Keith county is undergoing some extensive improvements. It is being graded and dragged a good many places and an excellent roadway entirely across the county is promised to the tourists.

Clover blight has killed a large number of cattle in southeastern Nebraska lately.

# ORDER GUARDS HELD

ORDER SITUATION PRONOUNCED LESS ACUTE

## SAYS SUBMARINE A MENACE

French Writer Declares Deutschland is Intended to Intimidate.— Floods Cause Immense Damage to Crops.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Washington.—The war department has sent orders to all department commanders to delay transportation to the border of national guardsmen now mobilizing until they are thoroughly equipped and organized. The order will revoke a ruling issued when the Mexican situation was acute, waiving certain requirements. The order affects about 25,000 men still held in camps. The latest information of the department is that about 100,000 guardsmen now are at the border. With the 50,000 regulars there and the 5,000 additional men called from the reserve, officials estimate that there is sufficient forces to cope with any present emergency.

### Floods Cause Immense Damage.

Atlanta, Ga.—Serious floods in North Carolina, South Carolina and Virginia, caused five known deaths, rendered hundreds homeless, damaged property and crops to the extent of \$10,000,000, according to first estimates, and demoralized railway, telegraph and telephone communication. Following the hurricane that struck the south Atlantic coast last week, unprecedented rains have fallen, driving rivers and smaller streams from their banks and imperiling many lives.

### DEUTSCHLAND A MENACE.

Intended to Intimidate, French Writer Declares.

Paris.—Gabriel Hanotaux, former minister of foreign affairs and president of the Franco-American commission for the development of economic literacy and art, in a political leader in the Figaro declares that the appearance of the German commercial submarine Deutschland in American waters is a part of German diplomacy. It will be followed, he asserts, by a reopening of the question of German resumption of the submarine campaign against merchant ships, and he alludes to it as a diplomacy to intimidate neutral powers and sow discord between neutrals and members of the entente.

"It is as if Germany said to the nations beyond the seas, 'The sea no longer is an obstacle; there we are, and beware our coming.' It is a part of the German system to try intimidation rather than persuasion."

### Jury Frees Orpet.

Waukegan, Ill.—William Orpet, the university student charged with murdering Marion Lambert, a high school girl and his former sweetheart, was found not guilty by a jury in Judge Donnelly's court after five hours' deliberation. The jury retired at 2:50 o'clock. At 6 o'clock its members were taken to dinner at a boarding house where they spent half an hour. One hour later came the flash that a verdict had been reached. Probably fifty persons were waiting for it.

### Foreign Trade Exceeds All Records.

Washington.—The country's foreign trade during the fiscal year ending with last month, reached a total of \$6,525,000,000, exceeding by many millions all previous records, according to preliminary figures announced by the commerce department. Exports were valued at \$4,325,000,000 and imports at \$2,180,000,000. The figures are based on complete returns for the first eleven months of the year and estimates for June.

### Hughes' Notification July 31.

New York.—Charles Evans Hughes will be notified that he is the republican candidate for president on July 31, at 8 p. m. in Carnegie hall, New York City. Selection of this date for the prefatory notification ceremony was announced by Senator Warren G. Harding, chairman of the notification committee, following a conference with Hughes and Chairman Wilcox.

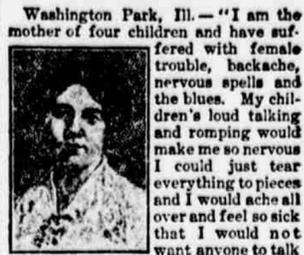
Presido, Tex.—One detachment of the United States border patrol fired on a second detachment near here, mistaking it for a body of bandits. One soldier, Private Milhoun of the Sixth cavalry, was wounded. Milhoun, with several other troopers, was returning to camp with several horses they had rounded up. Nearing a small thicket in which they detected a movement they called out and fired several shots. A patrol hidden in the brush, mistaking them for enemies, fired upon them, Milhoun being shot through the jaw.

### Railroad Opened for Shipment.

El Paso, Tex.—The Mexico Northwestern railroad has again been opened for the shipment of supplies to American troops in Mexico. This action follows the lifting of the embargo on food and other exportations to Mexicans. Shipments are being made by El Paso concerns, by way of Juarez, to Casas Grandes merchants, who in turn dispose of their supplies to the quartermaster at the field base. Army officers welcome the indirect use of the Mexican railroad for transportation of supplies.

# I OWE MY HEALTH

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### Activities of Women.

Over 6,000 women marched in the Boston preparedness parade. Queen Wilhelmina of Holland is the only woman who is a reigning sovereign. There are between 3,000,000 and 4,000,000 woman voters in the United States. To wed a man she never saw, Viola Kieckner recently left Sanbury, Pa., on a 7,000-mile trip to Seward, Alaska, where she will become the wife of James M. Foley, a mining engineer. It cost the suffragists of the country over \$60,000 to get a suffrage plank in the Republican and Progressive party platforms. Empress Augusta Victoria of Germany visits the hospitals every week to console the wounded soldiers of her country.

### IF YOU OR ANY FRIEND Suffer with Rheumatism, Neuritis, acute or chronic, write for my FREE BOOK on Rheumatism—Its Cause and Cure. Most wonderful book ever written. It is absolutely FREE. Jesse A. Case, Dept. C. W., Brockton, Mass.—Adv.

### Anatomy From Experience.

The former big league baseball manager, who had been canned because the team finished last as usual, was taking a civil service examination in order to secure a political job. He was amazed at the list of foot questions on the examination paper. He didn't know the distance from the earth to the moon, so he passed that one up. And he could not describe a syzygy, so he called that test a loser. But the third question interested him. It said: "Name the largest bone in the human frame." And with a grin of confidence the former manager wrote this answer: "The head."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The vacuum cleaner ought to work well on many heads we have seen.

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