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HOPE FOR PACKERS

JUDGE KOHLSAAT INTIMATES A FAVORABLE RULING.

RELY ON REMARKS OF JUDGE

Decision Will Be Handed Down Shortly—A Writ of Habeas Corpus Will Probably Be Issued.

Chicago.—Indicted packers who are seeking a ruling from the United States supreme court on the validity of the Sherman anti-trust act, expressed themselves as much encouraged when United States Circuit Judge C. C. Kohlsaat said he saw little reason to question the effectiveness of the custody of the defendants upon which the disputed habeas corpus proceedings originated. Although Judge Kohlsaat announced that he would not hand down his decision on the government's motion to quash the habeas corpus writ until later, some of those of the defense hailed the court's decision of the point of custody as a forerunner of victory for the packers in the habeas corpus fight.

Comment regarding the point of custody was made by the court while United States District Attorney James H. Wickersham was concluding his arguments against the packers' writ. "I don't think there is much question that these parties were in custody that would justify the issuance of the writ," said Judge Kohlsaat.

Should Be Found in Every School.

Galesburg, Ill.—"Taking the Bible out of the schools is the greatest literary calamity that has ever happened to the state or country," declared Prof. Francis Shure Botter of the University of Minnesota in his address on conservation of moral and spiritual forces before the Illinois federation of woman's clubs in this city. He said the Bible should be found in every school, either as a required or an elective study.

Appointed Divorce Proctor.

Kansas City, Mo.—A divorce proctor, whose duty will be to investigate uncontested divorce suits brought in the local courts has been appointed here. W. W. Wright obtained the appointment. The naming of a proctor is a result of a fight waged by prominent men and women of Kansas City who felt that decrees of separation were being granted without proper investigation of the parties concerned.

To Save the Babies.

Chicago.—The American association for the study and prevention of infant mortality, which was organized several years ago at a meeting in New Haven, assembled in this city and began what promises to be the most notable and profitable meetings in its history. Before an adjournment is reached it is expected plans will have been completed for a nation-wide campaign to save the lives of the babies.

Are Chased by Wolves.

Meade, Kan.—A band of coyotes, ordinarily afraid of man, chased F. A. Norris and two women relatives for several hours across the prairie near here Tuesday night. The party was driving home in a buggy. A large amount of fresh meat was carried in the vehicle and it is supposed this attracted the animals.

To Promote Sound Banking.

New York.—It was reported in financial circles that the clearing house association of this city is endeavoring to raise a fund of \$150,000 to aid the movement of the national citizens' league, organized recently in Chicago for the promotion of a "sound banking system."

Fifteen Sailors Lose Lives.

Quebec.—Fifteen of a crew of eighteen men lost their lives when the Norwegian bark Antiquan was driven ashore at Martin river.

Now Up to the Harvester Trust.

Washington.—The next move looking to the voluntary disintegration of the International Harvester company rests with that corporation. The negotiations between the department of justice and the company have been temporarily suspended, pending action by officials of the so-called harvester trust upon the department's objections to the plan of dissolution submitted by the representatives of the company.

Will Buy Them at Par.

Washington.—In order to maintain the parity of the postal savings bonds, the trustees of the postal savings banks have announced that they would purchase these securities at par from persons compelled to relinquish their investment. This action resulted from the recent reports that the market value of these bonds is only 92. Postmaster General Hitchcock has declared that no depositor will endanger his principal by exchanging his postal savings deposit for postal savings bonds.

EVENTS OF THE DAY

SOME PARAGRAPHS OF TIMELY INTEREST.

ARE BRIEF BUT TO THE POINT

Items of Events That Are Transpiring in Our Own as Well as in Foreign Lands—Washington Political News.

Washington.

Ambassador Wilson has protested against the withdrawal of troops garrisoned at Torreón, Mexico, where thousands of Mexicans are on strike. Champ Clark asserts that the democrats will carry every western state that has been touched by insurgency if Mr. Taft is nominated for president.

The withdrawal of 500 federal troops from Torreón, Mexico, leaves Americans there in great danger, according to a telegram received from Torreón.

It would appear as though the situation in China has about reached a climax. The thoughtful and well informed men of both sides are anxious for a settlement.

Every phase of trust legislation and control is to be under inquiry during the senate committee on interstate commerce during the hearing which has begun at Washington.

A protest to the United States senate against the alleged atrocities by the Italian army in Tripoli has been received from the Egyptian high committee for aid for Tripoli at Cairo.

United States Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan claims the unique distinction of being the only member of congress whose mother is a qualified voter, she having registered at Santa Ana, Cal.

Postmaster General Hitchcock has issued an order granting a full year as the period in which publications entitled to the second class privilege, but on which subscriptions have expired, will be accepted at second class postage rates.

Amendment of the Sherman anti-trust law at the coming session of congress is to be undertaken in earnest by democrats of the house, according to a declaration by Representative Henry, ranking member of the committee on judiciary.

To amend the constitution changing the date of the inauguration of the president and vice-president of the United States from March 4 to the last Thursday in April, and altering the official term of the session of congress, is to be one of the features of the sixty-second congress.

General News.

The British Columbia herring output this year is valued at \$2,000,000.

Yuan Shi Kai has accepted the premiership of China and will assume office at once.

The juvenile court conference of the mid-western states is in session at Louisville, Ky.

Sharp earthquakes occurred at Munich, Strassburg, Mayence, Frankfurt and Stuttgart.

The thermometer registered 20 degrees below zero at Crookston, Minn., Wednesday morning.

Charles Phillips, a hunter of Harts-horne, Okla., was found frozen to death in the woods near McAlester.

The first session of Canada's twelfth parliament was opened by his royal highness, the Duke of Connaught.

Eight million people are in immediate need of relief owing to the failure of crops in twenty Russian provinces.

A deer was killed on the main street of Duluth, Minn., by hunters who had chased it from the woods nearby.

A fortune of over \$200,000 left to charity at Omaha by Anna Wilson may be contested by a brother of the woman.

Bishop Alexander Mackay-Smith of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Pennsylvania, died suddenly at his home in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Elizabeth Atchison of Sydney, N. S. W., lays claim to the land upon which Atchison, Kan., a city of nearly twenty thousand, is built.

Brand Whitlock, who was elected mayor of Toledo for the fourth time, has filed with the board of elections a certified statement that he did not spend a cent for expenses during the campaign just ended.

United States Senator-elect Hoke Smith, governor of Georgia, has offered his resignation as chief executive of the state.

A fire entailing a loss of about \$750,000, and resulting in the fatal injury of two firemen, wrecked the Eccles building at Ogden, Utah.

A silver cup valued at \$1,000, donated by Horace Havemeyer for presentation to the grower of the best beet sugar beets in the United States, was awarded to P. C. Timothy of Greeley, Colo.

The will of Joseph Pulitzer ratified the gift of \$1,000,000 to Columbia university for the establishment of a school of journalism.

On application by counsel for Mrs. Russel Sage her assessment for personal property was reduced from \$5,000,000 to \$2,510,000.

The backbone of the New York street cleaners' strike appears to have been broken, when a force of 1,800 strike-breakers, under heavy police guard, made substantial progress in ridding the streets of the accumulation of health-endangering refuse.

Thirty former insurrecto soldiers in the state of Sinaloa, Mexico, have mutilated because they had been paid no wages since September.

Frank W. Ross, nineteen years of age, of Port Washington, O., a telegraph operator, was found dead in bed. He weighed 400 pounds.

The first Woodrow Wilson club in Iowa has been formed by local democrats at Sioux City who are for the New Jersey man for president.

The last weekly report accounts for 6,667 deaths from the plague throughout India, 4,700 of which are in the presidency of Bombay itself.

Two armed men beat the driver of a Chicago express wagon into insensibility when they found the box they had robbed him of contained nothing.

Mistaken, it is supposed, for a deer, Jerda Sundbery, aged four, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sundbery, was shot and killed near Condoray, Wis.

Latest reports from Bombay tell of horrible plague conditions which will greet King George and Queen Mary on their arrival in India for the Durbar.

Delegates from all parts of the country are attending the eighth annual convention of the American Road Builders' association at Rochester, N. Y.

The Chilean minister, Senor Suarez, has delivered to Secretary Knox a draft for \$996,000 in settlement of The Hague court in favor of the Alsop claimants.

The Arabs are preparing for a holy war and have sent delegations to Tunis to invite the natives to cross the frontier and join the Mohammedans in Tripoli.

For taking a drink of liquor on board a Burlington train in Wisconsin, Charles Buckenridge of Highland, N. Y., was sent to jail for thirty days under the new law.

Dr. Charles Wainwright of New York has filed a claim against the estate of Banker Thomas F. Walsh for \$42,000 for medical services during his last illness.

The battleship Nebraska will be used as an exhibit in the trial of James Beeks, who last May shot and instantly killed a negro mess attendant aboard the ship.

Two thousand carpenters, masons, bakers and other members of a number of crafts at Torreón, Mexico, have gone on strike to enforce a demand for an eight-hour day.

The state department has decided to send a regiment of troops from Manila to Chin Wing Tao, a seaport in China about 250 miles from Peking, on the gulf of Pechili.

To distribute \$1,500,000 where it will be most effective is the program confronting the board of home missions and church extension of the Methodist Episcopal church at Denver, Colo.

William A. Gant, a clerk at \$7 a week, has been arrested and confessed to having attempted a "black hand" extortion of \$500 from H. C. Adams, a sawmill operator at Fortville, Ind.

A sixty-five million dollar corporation has been organized under the laws of New York to take over practically all the five and ten cent stores in the United States, Canada and England.

It is thought that Johnas Olsen, who shot and killed his brother-in-law, John Rudtmark, by mistaking him for a deer, while hunting near Bowstrong lake, Minn., is losing his reason.

For the third time in fifty-seven years a woman will head the teachers of Iowa. Miss Alice Dilley, principal of the Osceola schools, having been elected president of the Iowa state association.

Charges that a coffee combine exists, that "is the most monstrous imposition in the history of human commerce," were made before the National Coffee Roasters' association in convention at Chicago.

Governor Mann of Virginia has declined to interfere in the case of Henry Clay Beattie, jr., and the young wife murderer's last hope of escaping the electric chair on Friday, November 24, has been swept away.

Beet sugar manufacturers, at a meeting in Chicago, formulated plans to combat the propaganda in the interest of "free sugar" alleged to be carried on by the cane sugar refiners and the New York importing interests.

Thirteen vessels of the Chinese imperial fleet have gone over to the revolutionists by hoisting the white flag.

An Indian band of forty pieces will furnish music at the Transmississippi commercial congress now in session at Kansas City.

As the result of the first sale of postal savings bonds in New York recently at the low rate of 92.5, the trustees of the postal savings banks are considering the adoption of prompt methods to maintain the securities at their face value.

Six thousand children sang "bon voyage" in St. Patrick's cathedral to Archbishop John Farley of New York and the Most Rev. Diomedo Falcano, apostolic delegate to Washington, who sailed for Rome, where they will be elevated to the college of cardinals.

The commission form of government for Des Moines, Iowa, was defeated by over 300 votes.

Red Cross Christmas stamps may now be sold in any building under the control of the treasury department. Assistant Secretary Bailey of the department having issued the necessary permission.

The state department has heard from Turkey or Italy nothing that would suggest an extension of the good offices of the United States to terminate the present war since the notification of the annexation of Tripoli.

DEDICATE A BRIDGE

LARGE CROWDS ATTEND CELEBRATION AT PLATTSMOUTH.

NEWS FROM OVER THE STATE

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

Plattsmouth—Large crowds from Omaha, Nebraska City, Lincoln and other points attended the opening of the new bridge built by T. H. Pollock, president of the Plattsmouth Commercial club, and Ralph A. Duff of Nebraska City, which marks the completion of the route between Omaha and Kansas City known as the Omaha-Kansas City scenic road.

Will Teach Domestic Science.

Tecumseh—Under the direction of Superintendent V. L. Strickland of the city schools, the women mutual league has completed plans for domestic science instruction in the high school on the Crete plan. Both the ladies of the league and the high school girls are enthusiastic over the scheme.

Found Money in Old Book.

Franklin—While cleaning out the debris from the old postoffice building, Earl Rush found \$25 in two tens and a five dollar bill between the pages of an old book that had been thrown away several years ago. There is at present no claimant for the money.

Finest in the State.

Nebraska City—Company G, Nebraska National Guard, has received from the state sixty steel lockers for its armory. They have been put in place and another requisition has been made for forty more. The company has the finest fitted armory in the state.

Institute at Chadron.

Chadron.—The first farmers' institute to be held in this section of the state was greeted by a large crowd Monday forenoon. Visitors from all parts of the county were in attendance and the enrollment was large.

NEWS FROM THE STATE HOUSE.

The state of Nebraska is out of debt and over one million to the good.

John C. F. McKesson of Lincoln has been appointed by Governor Aldrich a special deputy fire inspector in the fire commissioner's department.

Superintendent C. B. Manuel of the state industrial school at Kearney reported 186 boys at the school November 1. Five were admitted during October and seven were let out on parole.

Warrants to the amount of \$103,636 are now registered against the general fund of Nebraska, and to the amount of \$185,483 against the university fund. The state treasurer called in \$17,000 of warrants during the past week, but expenditures are still in excess of receipts.

Through the energetic efforts of the business men of Lincoln, the local Y. M. C. A. has reached 2,000 and by so doing receives the distinction of having the largest membership of any association in the state and also acquires the honor of having the largest membership of any city of its size in the world.

Secretary Marshall of the state board of horticulture announces that the winter fruit show of the association at the state farm stock judging building, January 16 to 18, will be the largest ever held in the state. The association is to occupy one-half of the second floor and the corn improvers' association the other half. The fruit show will be a box show and a demonstration will be given of the western method of packing apples.

State Superintendent Dalsell has returned from the meeting of the State Teachers' association. He is enthusiastic over the success of the industrial education exhibit which was in charge of Miss Anna V. Day, assistant state superintendent. The exhibit filled the entire stage of the auditorium and was viewed by thousands of people, many of whom were not teachers. A great many teachers spent half a day viewing the exhibit and taking notes.

Paul F. Clark of Lincoln has filed nomination papers with the secretary state as a candidate for congress in the First district and asks that his name be placed on the official primary ballot next year as a candidate on the republican ticket.

R. H. Wheeler, compiler of statutes, has been elected to fill the vacancy in the state legislative roster caused by the death of A. J. Minor of Lancaster county. Sixteen persons wrote Wheeler's name on the ballot, as there was no candidate for this office.

Governor Aldrich will address the Transmississippi Commercial Congress, in session at Kansas City, on the rights of states to fix interstate traffic rates.

State Game Warden Miller has been informed that the buck deer seen near Sterling, Johnson county, went north and crossed the Platte river near the state fisheries at South Bend and then started east along the banks of the river. He believes it was the mate of the doe shot and killed near Wahoo several weeks ago and that both came from the Missouri river thickets in Potawattamie county, Iowa.

BRIEF NEWS OF NEBRASKA.

Hastings is getting out a new city directory.

A farmers' institute will be held at Brock, January 23 and 24.

John Ketter, a farmer near Steinauer, suicided by hanging himself to a tree.

The next meeting of the Nebraska Retail Implement Men's association will be held at Omaha.

The League of Nebraska Municipalities has just closed an interesting and profitable session at Omaha.

The Burlington's new passenger station at Grand Island has just been thrown open to the public.

The Congregational church at Franklin is raising a fund for the erection of a \$10,000 building.

Aurora will have another newspaper, articles of incorporation having been filed with the county clerk.

Applicants for charity or the exploiting of schemes are now referred to the commercial club at Hastings.

The Fairbury alfalfa mill resumed operations Tuesday, after being closed down for the past five or six months.

The new Catholic church at Alliance was dedicated Wednesday, Rt. Rev. Bishop Scannel of Omaha officiating.

The big sam at Ainsworth furnishes more power than can be used by the city for lighting and power purposes at present.

An explosion in a hot water heater at Hay Springs seriously scalded Mrs. R. W. Reid, who was thawing out the frozen pipes.

John Rosenthal, a deaf mute at York, was held up by thugs, who beat him and robbed him of \$45, a watch and other valuables.

Benedict Stimbirt, one of the pioneer residents of the inland community, near Hastings, died at his home Saturday at the age of 82.

The German Congregationalists at Sutton have recently remodeled the church edifice and now have one of the finest in that part of the state.



W. F. CHAUNER.

Right End, U. of N. Eleven. Who is playing a great game in his position and has been picked by many for the All-Western end.

Governor Aldrich and State Treasurer George will make addresses November 27 at a reception to be given at Kearney by the state normal school.

Fortunato Zancanella, an Italian cripple, hobbled all the way from Omaha to Lincoln to find out why the supreme court did not take up his damage suit against the Omaha Street Railway company.

Miss Cora E. Simpson of Guide Rock has departed for the Pacific coast, whence she will sail for Foo Chow Ching to resume her work as medical missionary at the Llang An hospital there.

The Arcadian board of education has refused to allow the girls of the high school to play basket-ball upon the school grounds, contending that it is immodest for the players to appear in basket-ball uniforms.

Miss Edith L. McKeighan of Red Cloud, elected clerk of the district court of Webster county, November 7, has the honor of being the first woman elected to fill the office of district clerk in the state of Nebraska.

The Mid-West Retail Implement Dealers' association, in its session just closed at Omaha, re-elected Paul Herpolsheimer of Seward president and elected Ed Lehmkohl of Wahoo vice-president. Oscar Rystrom of Stromsburg and Mr. Wappes of Castina, Ia., were elected new directors.

John H. Deeder died Saturday at a Lincoln hospital from the effects of exposure during an attempt to escape while in delirium.

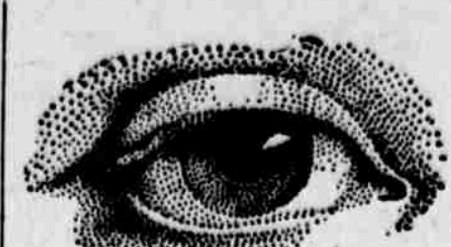
Harry Bowlin, a Hamilton county boy, husked and cribbed 167 bushels of corn in a little over ten hours. He shoveled the corn and unloaded four times.

Bettie Clayburg, while working in the laundry at St. Elizabeth's hospital at Lincoln, was so badly burned by her clothes catching fire that her life is despaired of.

Holdrege has an amateur sculptor who recently completed a statue of the goddess of justice.

Some 3,000 acres of land around Salem have been leased to a company that will explore for oil and gas as soon as it gets some 2,000 acres now under lease. It is thought oil indications are excellent.

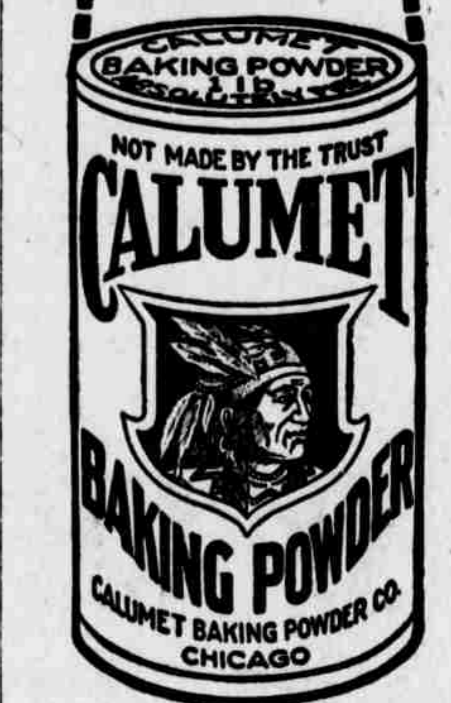
The cornerstone of the new Catholic church at Hastings will be laid on November 22, Bishop Tihen of Lincoln having charge of the services. When completed this structure will cost \$80,000, and will be one of the finest Catholic edifices in the state.



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Legal Charges.

The Judge—You say you don't get your alimony?
The Complainant—I don't get it all your honor. It's only five dollars a week; and I need every cent of it.
The Judge—And what is the reason you get only part of the amount?
The Complainant—It's because my former husband sends it to me by a lawyer; and the lawyer charges me car fare, brokerage, transportation and time—and that leaves only 90 cents.
Heathen Nations Invent Nothing. Bishop Thornburn, who has been a missionary in India for 50 years, and knows India better than any other living American, says: "If you visit the patent office at Washington, you will see 600 improvements on the plow. India has not invented one improvement on the toothpick in 2,000 years. The nations without God have no inventive faculty. They are almost universally the savage, unenlightened nations of the earth."

Poor Conversationalist.

"Is your husband a good after-dinner talker?"
"No, indeed. As soon as he's had dinner he lies down on the couch and falls asleep, and I never get a word out of him."

To strike at all involves a victory achieved over sloth, inebriety and indifference.—Dickens.

The bright side is sure to be the right side.—Mary D. Brine.

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