

RANCHERS RENT THE LAND

School Property in McPherson and Arthur Counties in Demand.

MANY ACRES LEASED AT A BIG BONUS

Commissioner Wolfe Reports a Very Successful Trip to the Unsettled Cattle Country in Western Nebraska.

LINCOLN, July 20.—Commissioner Wolfe returned today from his trip into McPherson and Arthur counties, where he has been offering school lands for lease.

The Army and Navy Journal reports that Major Edmund G. Fehet of the Sixth United States Cavalry was put on the retired list on July 9, "having been found incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto."

Under the two calls issued by the state asking for volunteers the quota of Nebraska, according to the census reports, was 3,557. The number of men sent to the field in the First and Second regiments, 2,048; recruits to the First and Second regiments, 84; 301 in the First regiment, 1,326; total, 4,058 men, or 761 in excess of the quota.

Carlisle F. Drips, the postal clerk who was arrested at Hastings yesterday by Inspector Sinclair, was brought to this city today.

The Nebraska Telephone company has secured an order of the circuit court restraining the company to restrain the State Board of Public Utilities from interfering in the matter of rates under the Yellow Act.

The colored men of this city organized a new republican club last night with good membership. The officers elected are President, James Bedell; vice president, B. J. Crampton; secretary, Amos Walker; assistant secretary, Charles Hollinger.

A novel entertainment was held in East Lincoln last night for the benefit of the Old Fellows' home endowment fund. The price paid for each one by his lunch and general good time was determined by his height.

The annual outing of Grace Methodist Sunday school yesterday was a success in every way. The special train started early in the morning with a load of about 300 and returned last night.

The faculty of the medical department of Cotner University has been strengthened by the addition of two new members.

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Another Bad Man Gone. BUTTE, Neb., July 20.—(Special.)—One week ago, Grand Juror J. W. Bonesteel, S. D., turned up missing.

Cuming County Delegates. WEST POINT, Neb., July 20.—(Special.)—The republicans of Cuming county met in convention yesterday for the purpose of electing delegates to the state convention.

Barre. During the night he picked the lock to his cell, and wrenched a leg of his bunk and also the hook which fastened the bunk to the wall.

SAVES TROUBLE OF A TRIAL

Nebraska City Man Who Attempted to Kill His Wife Takes His Own Life.

NEBRASKA CITY, July 20.—(Special Telegram.)—The lifeless body of Charles Tolliver, who attempted to kill his wife yesterday morning by shooting her with a revolver, was found this morning hanging from a limb of a tree in a secluded spot about two miles west of town.

REPUBLICANS IN FIGHTING TRIM. Those in the First District Are Out to Make a Winning.

LINCOLN, July 20.—(Special.)—The republican convention of the First congressional district will be held in this city on August 10.

For some time the friends of the various candidates for the district are being sent out about the disaffection among the imaginary factions. The republicans of the district are in good shape to wage an enthusiastic campaign for the man selected by the convention.

Some of the democrats are now pushing Matt Gering of Plattsmouth for the congressional nomination and they assert that the holding of the convention at Plattsmouth almost insures the success of the Gering boom.

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NO TWENTY-EIGHT HOUR TRAINS. Schedule to Denver to Be Lengthened to Thirty-Five Hours.

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RAILWAY AGENTS MEET. BUFFALO, July 20.—The second annual convention of the National Association of Railway Agents opened here today.

Killed by Lightning. CHADRON, Neb., July 20.—(Special Telegram.)—John Pliska, a farmer living six miles east of this city, was struck by lightning a week ago and was instantly killed.

a single man, and it was several days before his body was discovered. Pliska was a young man and a member of a well-to-do and prosperous family living in the eastern part of Dawes county.

Rain in Nebraska. SYRACUSE, Neb., July 20.—(Special.)—Heavy rain fell yesterday afternoon, accompanied by hail. The precipitation was 1.31 inches. It came just in the nick of time to save corn. Lightning struck the house of Mrs. William Beckman, but did no serious damage.

NEBRASKA CITY, July 20.—(Special.)—A heavy rain accompanied by a terrific wind visited this section last evening. Trees were uprooted and blown down and small out-buildings overturned.

Shipment at Bertrand. BERTRAND, Neb., July 20.—(Special.)—During a period of four weeks from June 17 to July 14, there were received and unloaded at this station forty-seven carloads, including twenty-four cars of lumber, the remainder being machinery, wire, building stone, brick, etc.

Farmers' Institute. WHITEWOOD, S. D., July 20.—(Special.)—A great many farmers and ranchers have been in constant attendance at the farmers' institute, which has been in session in this city, conducted by members of the State Agricultural college.

Struck by a Train. OGALLALA, Neb., July 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Wm. Williams, a youth of 15 years, was found unconscious on the depot platform at 1:30 p. m. today.

Lock of Rain. BERTRAND, Neb., July 20.—(Special.)—Lack of rain will cut the wheat crop short in this vicinity and many estimate that the average yield will be considerably less than last year.

Bicycle Thief's Work. ASHLAND, Neb., July 20.—(Special.)—A few days ago a man came to town with some bicycles and effected a sale of one to William Coon, yesterday Attorney W. Bert Clark received notice from Dr. Payne of Lincoln to search for the stolen wheels.

Improvements at Blair. BLAIR, Neb., July 20.—(Special.)—The Danish Lutheran Publishing company, which is connected with the Danish Lutheran college of this city, has purchased a large brick building about 100 feet with two stories and basement.

Widow's Jail. BLOOMINGTON, Neb., July 20.—(Special.)—Franklin Jones, after a continuous fight for years, has decided to build a \$12,500 jail. It having spent several times this amount in guarding and taking prisoners to other jails.

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FORMER WEARERS OF GRAY

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CHEER NAMES OF PRESENT DAY HEROES

General Gordon Makes a Stirring Speech, in Which He Refers to the Present Era of Good Feeling.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 20.—The morning trains brought thousands of people into Atlanta to attend the opening exercises of the reunion of confederate veterans.

The interest of the day centered in the convention at Piedmont park. The Kentucky delegation was early at work among the delegates in its efforts to secure the next encampment for Louisville.

Among those who arrived early and took seats on the stand were General Charles E. Hooker of Mississippi, General John B. Gordon, the commander-in-chief.

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General Hooker's Address. The oration of the day was delivered by General Charles E. Hooker of Mississippi. He said that when the surrender was made the confederate soldiers separated with arms in their hands.

Rebuilding Electric Plant. MITCHELL, S. D., July 20.—(Special.)—For the last six weeks the streets of this city have been in darkness owing to the burning down of the electric light plant.

Four Years for Arson. CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., July 20.—(Special.)—Hendrik Pothoven and Barney Cole, charged with the crime of setting fire to the home of a settler named Gussel on the eastern portion of the Yankton Indian reservation, and using firearms to prevent the settler and his family leaving the burning building, were found guilty and have been sentenced to four years' imprisonment in the Sioux Falls penitentiary.

Delegates Chosen at Pierre. PIERRE, S. D., July 20.—(Special Telegram.)—The republican primaries in this county today to select delegates to the state convention at Mitchell were very quiet, and there was no contest.

Western Killings Show a Marked Increase Over Those of a Year Ago. CINCINNATI, July 20.—(Special Telegram.)—The Chicago-Cincinnati route is having a record killing of hogs, reaching 410,000 for the week, compared with 360,000 the preceding week and 300,000 last year.

South Dakota Pharmacists. CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., July 20.—(Special.)—Cattle shipments from the great ceded Sioux land ranges west of here will, it is expected, begin this morning.

ST. LOUIS, July 20.—A special to the Republic from Natchez, Miss., says that a telegraph received here today announced that an infuriated mob had stormed the Simpson county jail at Westville, killing W. T. Patterson, who was confined therein under a quarantine.

MANY FREE HOMES YET LEFT

Considerable Government Land Subject to Entry in the South Dakota District.

HURON, S. D., July 20.—(Special.)—There are 158,223 acres of land within the limits of the Huron land district subject to entry under the land laws of the general government.

Improvements by the Government. HELENA, Mont., July 20.—(Special.)—The sundry civil bill, as finally passed by congress, carries \$10,000 for the improvement and protection of the Yellowstone National park.

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mer commanding, four officers, 122 men. In addition to these organizations the state has furnished three commissary officers with the rank of captain and four second lieutenants for the regular army. The yearly salaries of the officers commissioned from Wyoming amount to the sum of \$95,500.

SUMMER IN THE NATIONAL PARK.

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bringing with it numerous fish of immense size. All of the fish are eyeless. Although the bed of the canyon was dry, it is now well filled with the water pouring from its side.

Missouri News Notes. The Grady county jubilee will be held at Trenton July 25.

Colorado News Notes. The western slope fair will be held at Montrose, beginning September 21.

TODAY'S WEATHER FORECAST

Fair; warmer; southerly winds. Promised for Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa and South Dakota.

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