

News from Over the State

Landlords Must Be Prompt.
Had they only known it many tenants in the state during the past year might have had a nice time with their landlords. When rent day came around the landlords would have had to appear promptly or wait until the next rent day. Such is the decision of the supreme court in the case of Godwin against Harris, from Douglas county, in which section 1,020 of the civil code, as enacted in 1875, is discovered to be unconstitutional on the ground that it was not properly titled, and therefore was without legal effect. This left the old common law rules in force, says the court. These required that the landlord must make prompt demand for the rent on the day fixed in the lease, neither before, nor after. He was allowed to make the demand any time between sunrise and sunset. Had the lawyers of the state discovered the defect in the law sooner landlords might have found many burdens added to the cares which weighed them down. The last legislature, however, amended the law, so that it is constitutional and now a tenant is deemed to be holding over whenever rent day has been passed without payment of the amount fixed in the lease.

The State Treasury.
For the first time in many months there is money in the permanent school fund and the attention of bankers has been called to the fact that the board of education lands and funds will at its next meeting be ready to buy securities to the amount of \$50,000 to \$100,000. The state treasurer's January statement shows that the permanent school fund contains \$37,537.24. During the month the receipts in this fund were \$120,818.96, while \$83,287.72 was paid out. The general fund has a balance of \$38,896.30, while at the beginning of the month it had \$28,495.07. The cash in the temporary school fund has grown during the month from \$120,207.76 to \$138,023.81. All of the state funds have increased from \$225,445.17 to \$294,450.80. The total receipts were \$292,679.17, while the payments were \$256,618.05.

Talk About Senatorship.
Now that the official call for the republican state convention May 18 has been issued, it is up to the republicans to seriously consider the advisability of adopting the recommendation of the state committee to have the convention indorse a candidate for United States senator to succeed Senator Dietrich. And from reports the matter is being seriously considered and the indications are now that if there is not a radical change of opinion throughout the state there will be a fight in the convention. The indorsement of the state committee will not be turned down without a fight.

Crime Not on the Increase.
At the state conference of charities and corrections at Lincoln, Judge E. P. Holmes talked on the "Need of a Juvenile Court" and denied that crime was on the increase in Nebraska. He said: "In 1892 there were 360 convicts in the penitentiary, in 1898, 300; in 1902, 290 and in 1903, 277. In the school at Kearney in 1892 there were about 224 boys, in 1897, 160 and in 1903 only 140. In the girl's home at Geneva in 1892 the number of inmates were 77; in 1896, 90; in 1899, 66; in 1901, 42; in 1902, 57 and in 1903, 245."

Cattle and Hogs Fall Off.
The January report of the Union Stock Yards company at South Omaha shows a considerable decrease of business in cattle and hogs over the same month in 1903. Three thousand one hundred and seventy-five cars of cattle have been received during the month, bringing 76,061 head of cattle, as against for last year 3,289 cars and 76,988 cattle, the decrease being 927 head. The total number of hogs received this year has been 184,588, a decrease for the receipts of January, 1903, of 12,845.

No Fight on Bryan.
Even though a number of the democrats of Nebraska do not believe as does William J. Bryan that the Kansas City platform should be reaffirmed, the indications are now that no fight will be made on Mr. Bryan's candidacy for a place on the Nebraska delegation to the national democratic convention.

Sues Saloon Keeper.
Suit for \$5,000 was brought at Plattsmouth by Louis A. Pope, Mary E. Pope, John J. Pope and William F. Pope, minors, by their next friend, B. F. Laughlin, against George Oberle, a saloon keeper in Greenwood, who is charged with having sold liquor to the above named minors.

Weather Service for Newman Grove.
Senator Millard has secured daily telegraphic weather service for Newman Grove, Madison county, with a set of flags, etc., which will be established at post offices, the postmaster furnishing the weather conditions there to the weather bureau.

Saves Life, But Loses Team.
Last summer nearly all the boats forming the Plattsmouth pontoon bridge broke loose and went down the river. They lodged on various sand bars along the river. When the river froze over Till Sheldon, a well-known farmer residing near Percival, Ia., took a team and started to cross the main channel of the river to get one of the boats, which he thought he could use to advantage at home. When near the center of the channel the ice began to crack and thinking that his life was of more value to him than the boat made haste to save himself and reached the shore in safety, while the team, wagon and harness went under the ice.

Father Fights for Son.
Application was made to Judge Munger at Plattsmouth for the discharge of Chester Deles Dernier from the United States navy, for the reason that at the time of his enlistment he was a minor and did not have the consent of his parents. After a year or more of service the young man became tired of it and took French leave, reaching his home in Cass county. His father, William Deles Dernier, a member of the lower house of the Nebraska legislature from Cass county, realizes the irregularity of the boy's procedure and is taking steps to save him from the dishonor of arrest and desertion.

Can't Stretch City Tax Limit.
The provision in the statutes fixing the limit of the city levy in Broken Bow at seven mills has been upheld by the supreme court in the case of Young against Edward Roysse, mayor of that town, in which payment of \$8,000 due the water company was sought for in the courts. The local water company furnished water in excess of the capacity of the city to pay, and brought suit for the amount, but the city replied that it has been levied the limit of the law each year without obtaining enough each year to pay the claim.

Insurance Companies Pay.
The insurance department of the auditor's office is just now busy receiving money for agents' licenses and for taxes imposed on insurance companies. Last month \$16,000 was taken in and this month Deputy Pierce figures that all of \$22,000 will be paid in. Already 2,500 agents' licenses have been issued and it is believed the list will be greatly increased over last year. This is due to the large number of agents being put into the field by home companies in an effort to keep at home most of that \$2,000,000 which is sent out of the state for insurance.

Gymnasium for Fort Robinson.
Fort Robinson, Neb., is to have a new gymnasium, to cost \$40,000. Some time ago a recommendation was made for a gymnasium at Fort Robinson to cost \$16,000. Later an effort was made to divert this amount to other forts in greater need of improvements. Quartermaster General Humphrey, however, was firm in his determination that Fort Robinson should have a gymnasium commensurate with its importance as a cavalry post, and it was decided to build a "gym" to cost \$40,000 instead of \$16,000, as originally planned.

Motive Was Robbery.
Daniel Barker and his wife have been found murdered in their home near Riverton. Barker's brother, Frank, is under arrest for the crime. The Barkers are related to Thomas Madison, the murderer who was a fugitive from justice during a long chase in Smith county, Kan., several weeks ago. The dead couple had \$200 in the house and this was missing after the murder.

Dogs Cause Serious Accident.
While the wife of Councilman Frank Buttery was walking along a street at Plattsmouth some dogs rushed out of a yard and commenced to bark at her. She became frightened and started to run, but had not got gone far when she stumbled and fell, causing a painful fracture of her left limb.

Beatrice Commercial Club.
The Home Consumers' banquet, held at the Paddock hotel in Beatrice was attended by 200 representative business men who met and discussed trade interests and organized what is known as the Beatrice Commercial club by the election of J. T. Harden president and G. H. Johnson vice president.

Banquet for Thompson.
D. E. Thompson, who was given a reception at Lincoln upon his departure for Brazil to serve as United States minister, was welcomed home this week with a reception and banquet.

Loses Hand in Feed Grinder.
B. Knox, living near Grand Island, lost his left hand, the member being caught in a feed grinder and literally ground off.

Killed a Large Wolf.
While hunting on the farm of A. T. Cole, adjoining Beatrice, Fred Gould killed a large wolf.

CURTIS BEAT HIM THERE.

D. R. Anthony Couldn't File His Nomination Certificate with Secretary of State Without a Protest.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 4.—J. R. Burrow, secretary of state, refused to accept a certificate of nomination tendered by D. R. Anthony, Jr., as the republican nominee for congress in the First district, because he had accepted a similar certificate from Charles Curtis. The Curtis managers hurried from the Holton convention, drove to the secretary of state's office in a carriage and filed the certificate.

Thinks Harvey Could Win.
St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 4.—Ex-Senator Harris, of Kansas, who is here attending the Shorthorn breeders' convention, believes that in view of the split of the republicans of the First Kansas district Maj. A. M. Harvey, of Topeka, could be elected to congress on the democratic ticket.

STARVED HIMSELF TO DEATH.

J. G. Myers, a Wealthy Farmer Near Carthage, Dies After Fasting for Forty-Nine Days.
Carthage, Mo., Feb. 4.—J. G. Myers, a farmer nine miles northeast of here, died yesterday afternoon, having starved himself to death. He had not eaten food for 49 days, according to a statement made by two local physicians who had been called to examine him. Myers was a believer in a form of spiritualism and said recently that his wife was calling to him in Heaven to come to her. He also was a Christian scientist and called no physicians until he was near death. Myers was 60 years of age and owned a fine farm.

A BLOW TO CO-EDUCATION.

Kentucky Legislature Passes a Bill Affecting Berea College, Which Must Now Pass Away.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 4.—By a bill which passed the Kentucky legislature yesterday co-education in Kentucky must cease. It remains only for the governor to sign the measure to make it a law, and then Berea college, one of the most famous educational institutions in this part of the country, must pass out of existence.

In a Hurry to Be Sentenced.

St. Louis, Feb. 4.—In the United States district court yesterday Harry Hazard, charged with robbing the Caldwell, Mo., post office, pleaded guilty and immediately asked Judge Adams to pass sentence. "I guess you can wait two minutes," remarked the court. And then Hazard was sentenced to five years at hard labor in the penitentiary.

W. J. Bryan Speaks to Kentuckians.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 4.—William J. Bryan spoke last night by invitation of the Kentucky legislature to a crowd that filled the Capital theater, while many were turned away. Both sides of the general assembly adjourned and held memorial services in honor of William E. Goebel yesterday in the hall of the house of representatives.

Roosevelt at Army Banquet.

Washington, Feb. 4.—President Roosevelt, Gen. John C. Black, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army; Secretary Taft, Gen. Nelson A. Miles and other well-known officials were guests of honor at the banquet last night to the department of the Potomac of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Paper House Changes Hands.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 4.—Carpenter Bros., of Omaha, have purchased the interest of E. J. Penfield in the Kansas City paper house, the latter retiring after 25 years' connection with the house. J. A. Carpenter will be resident manager of the Kansas City house.

Wants Kaw Cleared of Wreckage.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 4.—The Commercial club has taken action looking to securing government aid to have the channel of the Kaw river cleared of the wreckage left there by the flood of June, 1903.

Won't Disfranchise Kentucky Negroes.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 4.—Consideration of the Heflin bill, which, in effect, seeks to disfranchise the negro voter on the ground of illiteracy, was postponed indefinitely by the house. This virtually kills the measure.

A Mother of Fifteen Children Dies.

Sturgeon, Mo., Feb. 4.—Mrs. G. A. Mathis died at her home near here of inflammation of the stomach. She was the mother of 15 children, said to be the largest family in Boone county.

Fire Destroys Grand Chain, Ill.

Cairo, Ill., Feb. 4.—Nearly the entire business section of Grand Chain, Ill., has been destroyed by fire. Grand Chain is located north of Cairo and has 500 population.

Too Sensitive to Political Criticism.

Chillicothe, O., Feb. 4.—John H. Miller, county auditor, brooded over political criticism and committed suicide yesterday in the rear room of the auditor's office.

\$6,000 Fire at Manchester, Kan.

Manchester, Kan., Feb. 4.—E. J. Kneer's general merchandise store and J. W. McKillip's meat market burned. The loss is \$6,000.



Fibroid Tumors Cured.

A distressing case of Fibroid Tumor, which baffled the skill of Boston doctors. Mrs. Hayes, of Boston, Mass., in the following letter tells how she was cured, after everything else failed, by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Note the result of Mrs. Pinkham's advice—although she advised Mrs. Hayes, of Boston, to take her medicine—which she knew would help her—her letter contained a mass of additional instructions as to treatment, all of which helped to bring about the happy result.

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