

**Business Tax Constitutional.**  
Washington, March 13.—The corporation tax provisions of the Payne-Aldrich tariff act were sustained today as constitutional by the supreme court of the United States.

The court was unanimous in the corporation tax decision. Thereby a source of income of approximately \$25,000,000 annually was assured to the government.

Of all the objections to the tax raised by suits in all parts of the country, none of them was found sufficient to nullify the law. The court did hold that the tax was not applicable to the real estate "trust" of Boston, which organization is not under any statute but under the common law. The law was held not applicable to the Minneapolis syndicate, a real estate concern on the ground that it was not "doing business" within the meaning of the law.

By regarding the tax as measured by the income rather than being a tax on income, the opinion as given by Justice Day proceeded to hold that the law was constitutional notwithstanding that the law might reach the income from non-taxable sources.

The fight against the constitutionality of the corporation tax began almost immediately after the enactment of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law of 1909, of which it is a part. During the long days of wrangling in congress over that measure, President Taft originated a plan to raise part of the revenue necessary for the running of the government by imposing a corporation tax. He is said to have made the first rough draft of the proposed law and to have asked the department of justice to perfect it.

Scarcely fifteen years before, the supreme court of the United States had declared unconstitutional the income tax measure enacted by congress. In order to have a valid tax, the errors of that law had to be avoided. Finally the attention of members of the house and senate were called to the proposed corporation tax as a constitutional measure. It was urged as preferable to another income tax which, it was argued, probably would be declared unconstitutional and as under the circumstances better legislation than an inheritance tax. When the tariff bill was in the senate, the corporation tax provisions were inserted as an amendment to the Payne bill passed by the house. They remained there and became a part of the tariff act.

**To Ask Bonds for \$25,000.**  
School bonds to the amount of \$25,000 will be voted upon by the people of Norfolk school district on election day, April 4. The bonds are for the purpose of building needed additions both to the Grant school building and the Lincoln school building. The Grant building is very greatly overcrowded and the old Lincoln building is in such bad condition that it will soon be condemned as unfit for use. The board of education held a special meeting and decided to ask for \$25,000, instead of \$12,000, as was at first announced. The board will issue a statement tomorrow, setting forth the school building situation.

**Zbyszko in Great Form.**  
Minneapolis, March 14.—Zbyszko showed great form here in his match with Jess Westergaard of Des Moines and won two straight falls in 1 hour and 3 minutes and in 10 minutes.

**Domke Wins Mat Title.**  
Sioux City, March 14.—Paul Domke of Pipestone, Minn., wrestled the light heavyweight wrestling title from Jim Asbell of Kansas City. He won the first fall in 16 minutes; lost the second in 22 minutes and won the third in 12 minutes.

**Hack Wins Title.**  
Battle Creek, Mich., March 14.—George Hackenschmidt defeated Charles Olson of Indianapolis in an exciting bout here, winning by two straight falls. The first came in 30 minutes, 30 seconds, and the second in 16 minutes and 30 seconds.

**KANE AND YOUNG GOTCH SIGN**  
Make All Plans for Bout at Ewing on St. Patrick's Night.  
Ewing, Neb., March 14.—Special to The News: "Young Gotch" came over from Orchard and he, with Mart E. Kane of O'Neill, signed the necessary papers with the Ewing Athletic club and also put their money as security for an exhibition of the genuine article on the night of St. Patrick's day. While it is to be regretted that owing to a severe accident "Montana" Gene Sullivan is down and out, Kane looks very much as though he has the mettle to keep up his end of the contest. A further evidence of the confidence placed in his ability to meet Gotch is the statement that O'Neill fans are offering to cover any and all bets made on Gotch. However, St. Patrick's day is not far off, and then we shall see what we shall see.

**Two Tramps Found Locked in Jail.**  
Two tramps mysteriously appeared safely locked behind the bars of the city jail Monday morning and their appearance there was a surprise to Chief of Police Marquardt and Patrolman Sasse, who were notified of the tramps' presence.

"I don't believe there have been any arrests this morning," said Chief Marquardt, when asked if any arrests had been made. "If there have they have got in awfully quiet or Officer Livingstone may have brought a few up from the Junction."

The chief then went to the jail, where he found the tramps walking up and down the cold cement floor.

"Who brought you here?" asked the chief of the prisoners.

"A fellow with a star; I guess he was a policeman," replied one of the "boes."

"What were you doing?" again asked the chief.

"We had built a fire near the rail-

road yards and were cooking a little food which we paid for," came the answer. "Say, marshal, give us a chance to get out of town, will you?"

"The chief then told them that that was up to the judge and, locking the cell door he appeared before Judge Eiseley, whom he told of the prisoners and found that nothing had been docked against them. Apparently Officer Livingstone had forgotten to notify the chief.

**REFRIGERATOR IS ROBBED.**  
Thieves Take Roast and a Chicken from C. S. Bridge Home.  
Lock your doors and keep tab on your refrigerators.

Thieves last night raided the ice box at the residence of C. S. Bridge, 1103 Norfolk avenue, and stole a roast and a chicken.

**Investigate Omaha P. M.**  
Omaha, March 13.—Dan W. Tillotson was the central figure in the joint inquiry being conducted to unravel the charges that Postmaster Thomas used his official position as a club to shake down civil service employees for campaign contributions. He was on the stand throughout both the morning and afternoon sessions. The investigation is still in its preliminary stages. The foundation was laid Saturday and the work of examining witnesses started in earnest yesterday.

The investigation is being made by C. W. Moss, civil service secretary of Cincinnati, and Julius C. Lindland, postoffice inspector, stationed at Kansas City. The inspector joined Mr. Moss this morning. Inspector Lindland has been in Omaha on official business before.

The strictest secrecy will be maintained throughout, though there was an effort made to cause the inquiry to be made public. After all the witnesses have been examined Secretary Moss and Inspector Lindland will report to their respective superiors.

**Sad Death of a Child.**  
Plainville, Neb., March 13.—Special to The News: The funeral of the little 16-month-old Carrie Rasmussen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen, who reside on a farm eight miles southeast of this city, was held at the Methodist church here, conducted by the local pastor, and the remains were interred in the cemetery north of the city. The death of this bright little girl was caused by drinking a quantity of carbolic acid at the home of a Mr. Vanderman, just across the road from the Rasmussen home, where she was visiting for a few hours Wednesday. The Vandermans have no little children of their own and it was thought that there was nothing the little tot could get hold of that would do her harm. However, she opened a drawer and secured a bottle of carbolic acid and drank a quantity before Mrs. Vanderman discovered her. A physician was summoned but the child soon became unconscious and died within two hours. This daughter and a baby 2 months old were the only children and the parents are heartbroken over the death of the little daughter.

**To Call Out the Militia?**  
Simultaneously with the rumor that Captain C. L. Anderson has received orders to be in readiness to take his company of national guards to the Mexican border, orders were given to company officers by the captain Monday to make all preparations for a hurried call from headquarters.

When Captain Anderson was asked if he had received orders for such a call, he neither denied nor affirmed arrangements for any hurried call for his company to entrain.

It has been reported that the rumors originated in the officers' quarters early this morning and there is no doubt whatever but that the commandant has received orders from the adjutant general's office at Lincoln to prepare his company for a trip to the Mexican border. This fact is also strengthened by the refusal of several members of the company to accept orders to go south with regular troops.

An opportunity is now offered to young men to enlist in company D and take advantage of any field service which may be offered by Uncle Sam.

**BRYAN IS IN WASHINGTON.**  
Confers with Democrats of Progressive Brand All Day.  
Washington, March 14.—William Jennings Bryan arrived in Washington yesterday and was busy all day conferring with democratic leaders of the progressive brand. Mr. Bryan lost no time in telling those who talked with him that he by no means considers himself out of politics but when asked if he would be a candidate for the presidency he replied:

"I think I have made that sufficiently plain. For two years I have been saying that I would not become a candidate and yet newspaper men continue to ask me the question."

While he declined to discuss the probable candidacy of Governor Woodrow Wilson, whom he met Sunday for the first time, Governor Harmon of Ohio, Governor Marshall of Indiana or others for the presidency in 1912, Mr. Bryan grew eloquent in predicting great results for the next democratic house under the leadership of Champ Clark.

The Nebraskan said he was in favor of reciprocity that is involved in the present agreement between this country and Canada.

When requested to state his views on the action of President Taft in mobilizing an army along the Mexican frontier, Mr. Bryan said:

"I think newspapers take too much latitude in treating affairs that involve nations. This government must be sufficiently informed to warrant any action of this kind, and the troops are now in Texas because the

governing board of the army wants them there for reasons known to it and which concern it only at this time."

**Saloon Issue at Tecumseh.**  
Tecumseh, Neb., March 14.—At a non-partisan city convention it was decided to give the saloon license issue a direct vote. Two non-partisan candidates were chosen for executive officers, as follows: For mayor, A. O. Shaw and A. P. Fitzsimmons; for police judge, J. A. Lawrence and E. F. Perkins; for clerk, N. M. Davidson; for treasurer, L. M. Davis; for engineer, K. C. Gorte, without opposition; for members of the school board, two to elect, G. H. Rubelman, E. C. Hedrick, J. H. Wolfe and W. P. Campbell. Ward conventions were held and J. C. Bowman was chosen the only candidate from the First ward, David Snyder and George McLanahan from the Second, and G. J. Rubelman and George Ernest from the Third.

**SOUTH DAKOTA AT A GLANCE.**  
Samuel G. Huntington has been appointed registrar of the land office at Lemmon.

The liquor element at Cavour is making a strong effort to land the town in the "wet" column.

P. F. Sherman has disposed of his South Dakota Central railroad stock to other stockholders.

Governor Vessey appointed J. E. Truran of Pierre executive accountant for the state departments.

The 4-year-old daughter of Marcus Cox, living near Wessington, was scalded to death by upsetting a kettle of boiling water which was set on the floor preparatory to its use for scrubbing.

The new Morrell packing plant at Sioux Falls will start killing hogs about April 1. It has a capacity of 500 hogs daily and employment will be given to 250 persons.

Capa, in Lyman county, has just completed a new town well, but is unable to utilize the water because it is warm and gives evidence of being strongly impregnated with gas.

The ice has gone out of the Missouri river at Yankton.

N. O. Borstvald has resigned his place as postmaster at Sinal.

Work has been commenced on Washta's new grain elevator.

The creamery buildings at Kimball have been sold at auction.

M. M. Mathieson, a South Dakota pioneer, died at Yankton.

A Catholic parish school is to be built at Emery this spring.

Mrs. J. C. McWilliams, a former resident of Huron, is dead at McCane, N. D.

**Taft Plays Golf.**  
Augusta, Ga., March 13.—President Taft played the full 18-hole golf course this morning. He was followed to the links by Secretary Norton, who had as guests three friends from Chicago.

Shortly after Mr. Taft came in from the course, it was said he has not so much as glanced at the papers in the proposed Morse pardon case. Reports having reached Augusta, from New York that the president would sign a pardon for the convicted banker now serving a term in the Atlanta federal penitentiary are entirely erroneous.

**No Plague in Peking.**  
Boston, March 13.—No plague in Peking and Manchuria; conditions elsewhere improving on March 6, comprised information received by the American board of commissioners for foreign missions today. The news was contained in a cablegram sent by Dr. Charles W. Young, a medical missionary of the American board connected with the medical college at Peking, to his mother, a resident of Montana, and forwarded to the board's headquarters here by mail.

**"NINE HOURS" IN TELEGRAPHY.**  
The Service Does Not Have to Be Consecutive to Comply With Law.  
Washington, March 13.—Railroads which employ telegraph operators for six hours and then, after an interval, for three hours, comply with the federal "hours of service law" of 1907. Such was the decision of the supreme court of the United States today despite the claim of the government that the nine hours must be consecutive.

**MONDAY MENTIONS.**  
Dr. A. H. Conery of Neligh was here.

Charles Moser of Pierre was in the city.

N. W. Remlin of Humphrey was a visitor in the city.

H. B. Dixon returned from a business trip to Herrick.

David Hodson of Madison spent Sunday here with friends.

Ex-Senator W. V. Allen of Madison was in the city visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clark were returned from a short visit with relatives in Interior, S. D.

Mrs. Weisner, who has been here visiting with Mrs. Anton Buchholz, has returned to her home at Battle Creek.

Mrs. C. P. Christiansen has gone to Lindsay to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Herman Krauth.

Clarence McFarland returned from Madison, where he spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. McFarland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. McGinnis returned from a two months' visit with rela-

tives in Los Angeles and other western coast cities.

P. A. Woods, formerly manager of the Singer Sewing Machine company of this city, but now manager of the Lincoln branch, was here visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Braden arrived in the city Sunday night from Los Angeles, but left Monday noon for Chicago where Mrs. Braden's sister, Mrs. Culver, is very ill with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Meredith returned from Wakefield, to which town they accompanied Mrs. Kelley, who lectured here last week in the Christian church. Mrs. Kelley is the national field worker of the Christian Women's organization.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Perry, a son.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. Frank Osborn, at McAllen, Tex., a son.

A regular meeting of Damascus chapter No. 25, R. A. M., will be held tonight.

A horse valued at \$300, belonging to Fred Klug, died this morning as the result of injuries received when it became entangled in some barbed wire Sunday afternoon.

Guy Nistle, who sustained a broken leg as the result of a team running away from him last summer, is able to be out of his home and walk without the aid of crutches for the first time. Mr. Nistle believes he will have no further trouble from his injury.

Miss Myrtle Hewins has moved her music studio from the Bishop block, room 7, to her residence, 205 South Twelfth street. Next month Mrs. Hewins and Miss Hewins will move into the H. L. Snyder residence on South Eighth street, where Miss Hewins will have her studio.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Buchholz returned from Fremont, where they spent Sunday with their son, E. V. Hulac, the Northwestern brakeman who last week narrowly escaped from death in the east end of the Fremont yards. Mr. Hulac is resting easily but it will be several weeks before he can return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Foster of Cheyenne, Wyo., are in the city spending a few days with the Charles Sheeler family. Mr. Foster was formerly local agent for the American Express company here but is now en route to Salina, Kan., to which place he has been transferred from the Cheyenne office.

An aged gentleman who came to Norfolk from Creighton Saturday was a victim of the heavy wind. He became weak and leaned against a doorway of a business house on Norfolk avenue. The door was blown open by the wind and the Creighton man fell backwards onto the floor. He was slightly injured and was unable to get up without assistance. Chief of Police Marquardt put the Creighton man into a carriage and escorted him to a hotel.

Last week an automobile was brought as far as Hooper from Omaha, its destination being Norfolk. It was consigned to W. P. Logan, but on account of muddy roads it was held in Hooper. Sunday Mr. Logan and a number of Norfolk automobile enthusiasts made the trip to Hooper and brought the car back. Several Norfolk automobiles conveyed the party to Hooper. Among the party were: Morris Irvin, Frank Melcher, J. W. Ransom, C. P. Parish and W. P. Logan.

Fire, caused by an insufficiently generated gasoline stove in the Miller residence at 408 Park avenue at 6:30 Sunday evening caused considerable excitement in that neighborhood. No damage was done, Mrs. Miller having put out the flame before it got any headway. Ralph Miller, son of Mrs. Miller, started the gasoline stove burning in the kitchen but failed to ascertain if the gasoline had generated sufficiently. The kitchen was soon filled with smoke and excited neighbors came to render assistance.

Horses allowed to remain on the streets with a blanket for the purpose of protecting them from the cold are being taken up and put in livery stables by Chief of Police Marquardt who declares more consideration should be given the animals by their owners. Saturday the chief found a horse knee deep in mud and water. He put the animal in a stable and later the owners declined to pay the charges at the barn. The horse had stood in that condition for nearly three hours, says the chief. Patrolman Sasse Sunday night picked up the horse which had been standing on the sidewalk, tied to a telephone pole, for a number of hours.

Police Judge C. F. Eiseley reports that the fine of \$7.10 imposed on the woman arrested Saturday morning for being drunk and disorderly has been paid, but that the money was not forthcoming until the woman had left the city. Judge Eiseley says the woman had some money coming to her from certain parties in the east part of the city and that they paid it.

When asked if a certain resort keeper paid this money the judge admitted it but declared it was given first to Chief of Police Marquardt. At the same time Night Patrolman Sasse interposed and declared it made no difference who paid the money. "That's all right who paid it," said the officer, "it's paid and just let his name out of it" (mentioning the resort keeper's name).

Paul Rudat, a former Norfolk boy, in a letter to F. C. Asmus dubs the Mexican insurgents as "bandits" and the regular Mexican soldiers as "poor looking fighting material." Mr. Rudat is employed as a chemist in the Tabasco sugar factory in Santa Cruz province, Mexico, one of the large sugar factories in that republic. In his letter Mr. Rudat says the management of the factory is constantly threatened from an attack by the "bandits" and that all the "white" employees are armed with repeating rifles which they carry about with them all the time.

"There is a company of regular Mexican soldiers here guarding the factory, but they look like very poor fighting material," says Mr. Rudat. "While we do not think the bandits will come here, we are prepared for them and they certainly shall receive a warm reception should they make their appearance." Mr. Rudat is the son of Mrs. Augusta Rudat of this city.

**A MICHIGAN BANK CLOSED.**  
Loose Banking Methods Cause—Dead Men's Names on Paper.  
Union City, Mich., March 13.—After two days examination, National Bank Examiner F. A. Roraback of Chicago ordered the Farmers National bank closed after banking hours Saturday night and compelled Cashier Henry T. Carpenter to resign.

The failure is attributed to loose banking methods, the carrying of much worthless paper and an alleged intent to defraud. The assets lack \$70,000 of paying depositors and in addition the capital of \$50,000 is wiped out.

The Farmers bank was organized thirty-five years ago by Carpenter, who has had control ever since. Carpenter and members of his family are said to be on the bank paper for \$20,000, and other paper bears names of leading citizens who have been dead for a dozen years.

**For Cider Path.**  
Nobara, Neb., March 13.—Special to The News: The committee appointed by President E. A. Houston of the Commercial club has been soliciting funds with which to make a good kick of cinders between the C. & N. W. depot and town.

**Fewer Failures.**  
Trade Review: Business failures for last week totaled 235 as against 269 for the same week one year ago. This is a considerable decrease and shows that business conditions are getting more firmly settled than they were during the month of January. Proportionately the western and northwestern states show the best record, both in the small number of failures and the amount involved.

**West Point's Declaratory Winner.**  
West Point, Neb., March 13.—Special to The News: The prize at the high school declaratory contest was won by Miss Elsie Koch. Her effort was entitled "Selling a Feller." Miss Koch will enter the district declaratory contest, which takes place at Norfolk the last part of March.

**ROSEBUD SHOULD HAVE WON.**  
New Judge in Eleventh District Should be from South of River.  
Gregory County News: The creation of the Eleventh judicial circuit, composed of the counties of Gregory, Tripp, Lyman and McPherson, brought forth many candidates for the appointment to the judgeship in the newly created district, the candidates being Attorneys McDonnell of Gregory, Davis of Fairfax, Burch of Dallas, Hannett of Winner, Knodell of Winner and Williamson of Osceola. Each were in the light with a liberal number of endorsements and used every available means to impress upon the governor their particular fitness for the place.

On Wednesday the governor made his appointment and Mr. Williamson of Osceola was designated to be the judge of the new circuit. The news was received here in the afternoon.

There was much surprise expressed at the action of the governor, for it was felt that it would be his object to place the judgeship in either Tripp or Gregory county, for the reason that a greater number of people would be in closer proximity to the judge than to appoint a candidate at Osceola, which is located in Lyman county, across the White river. The population of Tripp and Gregory counties is 21,000 to Lyman county's 10,000. Again, the appointment of Mr. Williamson is unsatisfactory for the reason that he is a very young attorney, having been in the practice but a few years, and his experience is very limited. In point of ability either Davis, McDonnell, Burch or Hannett were far his superior, either of whom have had many years more experience than the successful candidate.

The News has only this comment to offer, that when the time comes for the election of a judge for the new circuit by the voters of the district, we feel confident that they will place the judgeship where it belongs, south of the White river and in the thickly settled portion of the district, and where Governor Vessey would have placed it had he acted advisedly in the matter.

**400,000 Japs See Americans Fly.**  
Osaka, Japan, March 13.—"Bud" Mars and Captain T. S. Baldwin, the American aviators, made three successful flights here in the presence of 400,000 spectators. Prince Kunyoshi Kuni, grandson of the emperor, was present and complimented the aviators on the success of their feats. This was the first demonstration of aviation in Japan.

**Port Royal Dock Yard Burns.**  
Kingston, Jamaica, March 13.—The fire that broke out in the dock yard at Port Royal yesterday was got under control last night. The principal buildings and machine shops were saved, but a large quantity of stores were destroyed. The military has been in charge of the establishment since it was closed as a dock yard five years ago.

**West Point Nominee.**  
West Point, Neb., March 13.—Special to The News: The people's party of the city of West Point have placed in nomination the following municipal ticket: For mayor, Frank D. Sharrar; for clerk, J. C. Hansen; for treasurer, Robert H. Kerkow, and for police judge, D. J. Crellin. These are the present incumbents of the offices named. Mr. Sharrar has only

served one term. O. C. Anderson and Joseph Jerman were nominated for members of the board of education of the West Point independent school district. For councilmen the following were selected by the convention: First ward, Henry Ickman; Second ward, E. M. Von Bogaern; Third ward, Louis Zepin are the present members of the council from their respective wards.

**NOMINATE "BOB" ECCLES.**  
Is the Candidate of Fourth-Ward Republicans for City Council.  
R. J. Eccles was nominated by republicans of the Fourth ward at their caucus Saturday night, for the city council. It was said at the Junction that the democrats of the Fourth ward would probably endorse Mr. Eccles, at their caucus tonight.

The following delegates were elected to the convention: George Kendall, H. H. Luke, W. H. Livingston, R. M. Fraser, Robert Eccles.

**Gene Sullivan is Laid Up.**  
"Montana" Gene Sullivan, the O'Neill lightweight pugilist, was injured in falling ten feet when a ladder broke, Saturday, and will be unable to fight "Young" Gotch at Ewing St. Patrick's day. Sullivan was struck on the chin by a box and a gash made that required four stitches. Martie Kane of O'Neill will probably take on Gotch in Sullivan's place.

**Taylor to Butte.**  
G. A. Taylor of Newman Grove (Burke Giant) passed through Norfolk Monday enroute to Butte, where he meets three local wrestlers Tuesday night. He will have to throw all three within an hour to win the match.

**DUGAN TO GET \$8,000 AS JOCKEY FOR BELMONT**  
Crack Rider Re-engaged to Pilot Millionaire's Horses at Big Salary.

Eddie Dugan, one of the cleverest jockeys in the country, was re-engaged recently by August Belmont to wear the famous maroon colors during the coming season. For his services Dugan will receive \$8,000, which is equal to \$1,000 per month. Considering the unstable situation of racing this salary is remarkable and proof

on the part of the United States to retrace and definitely determine the boundary line between Texas and New Mexico as provided for in a resolution adopted by the last congress. Texas also is to appoint a commissioner to act with Commissioner Cockrell.

**Horse Fell on Him.**  
Written Notice: Dave Cole was riding a horse and driving some cattle when in some unexplained manner the horse slipped or stumbled and fell, bruising one of Mr. Cole's limbs in a serious manner. Though no bones were broken, the leg was bruised from the ankle to the knee and caused him considerable pain. He has been laid up for the past two days and has not been able to care for his stock.

**Moved to Norfolk.**  
Pierce Call: Walter Melcher moved to a farm northwest of Norfolk Tuesday, his wife and baby going to Norfolk Monday afternoon. It took seven teen teams and wagons to move Walter to his new home, the neighbors joining in hauling his goods. During his stay in Pierce county Mr. Melcher has done exceptionally well and leaves with the best feeling towards all old friends and neighbors.

**School Notes.**  
The operetta which was to have been given the 24th of this month has been postponed until the early part of May.

Invitations have been issued by a number of the Junior class for a class party to be given at the home of Miss Lois Hardy on St. Patrick's day, March 17.

Dr. Condra, head of the department of geography in the state university, addressed the high school during the last period Friday afternoon. His theme was the qualities in the high school student that will help him to "make good" in the life of the university, and in the outside world. He emphasized the necessity for enthusiasm and a keen sense of responsibility as well as the need of a strong mind in a healthy body. Dr. Condra spoke with much earnestness and what he said was straight to the point and carried conviction with it. Again at 4:29 he addressed the entire corps of teachers and the members of the normal training class regarding geographical influences on the development of Nebraska. He illustrated his points by means of a large map upon which much time and money has been spent, showing the soil areas as well as the physical features of the state. The subject of teaching geography has been studied during the past few weeks in the regular teachers' meeting, and this opportunity to hear Dr. Condra, who is the author of the text used in our schools on "The Geography of Nebraska," was deeply appreciated.

**Will Go to the Front.**  
Uncle Sam is not giving out much information about the hurried movement of troops to the Mexican border even to the militia officers, whom he has invited to take part in the "maneuvers."

"Do you want to go?" "When can you go?" "How long can you stay?" This is about all that is contained in the invitation which was received by Captain C. L. Anderson, commander of company D, local company of national guard.

"I believe I will go next week," said Captain Anderson, "although I believe the militia officers are asked only to fill vacancies there may be in the regular army, I also think there is a possible chance for some excitement on the border."

**COMING SPORT EVENTS**  
The horse meeting at Tampa, Fla., which was originally scheduled to close March 11 has been extended to March 25.

Wealthy New York turfmen are raising a fund of \$250,000 to continue the sport next summer. Admission at the gate will be \$5, but there will be free admission for the public.

Harvard added another big game to her football schedule for next fall when the Carlisle Indians were given the date for Nov. 11. This game will take the place of that at Cornell.

Alfred W. Dunlop, the Australian international tennis player, captain of the Australian team that won the Davis cup for the first time in England, will visit this country during the coming summer and may take part in the "schemers" tournament at Newport, which will be played in August at the club.

**To Retrace Texas Boundary.**  
Washington, March 11.—President Taft has appointed former Senator Cockrell of Missouri as commissioner



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