

MEANING OF WORD ELIGIBLE

Attorneys Argue McKelvie Case Before Judge Stewart.

STATE DEPARTMENT HAS PART

Cases Cited by Deputy Edgerton in Support of Contentions Against Official Filing Are Attacked.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Jan. 25.—(Special).—What the word "eligible" as found in the constitution of Nebraska means was the subject of a discussion before Judge Stewart of the Lancaster county district court yesterday between Assistant Attorney General Edgerton, appearing for the state, and W. T. Thompson, representing Lieutenant Governor McKelvie in his application for a writ of mandamus to compel Secretary of State Wall to place his name on the primary ballot as a republican candidate for governor.

Suffragists Secure Many New Names

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 25.—(Special).—Advocates of woman suffrage were busy last week, taking advantage of the presence of so many from out in the state to circulate petitions in the interest of the movement to give women votes.

STATE REFORMATORY BIDS MUST BE FILED SOON

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 25.—(Special).—Any town in Nebraska that wants the new \$100,000 reformatory must get in its bid to the Board of Control before February 15, or it will be too late, according to members of the board.

Notes from North Platte.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Jan. 25.—(Special).—The attendance of the public schools of North Platte is now at its greatest point in the history of the city, the total enrolled being 1,337 pupils. This is 11 1/2 per cent greater than the number enrolled just a year ago.

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Maggi Returns From Iowa Trip

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LINCOLN, Jan. 25.—(Special).—E. G. Maggi, a member of the Nebraska state board of pardons returned from Iowa yesterday where he had accepted an invitation to meet with the Iowa board at several hearings before them last week. The Iowa board which issued the invitation to Mr. Maggi is composed of W. H. Barry, an attorney, J. E. Howe, a physician, and D. C. Mott.

Notes from Beatrice and Gage County

BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 25.—(Special).—County Attorney Cobey Friday filed a complaint against Guy H. Bealer, a chiropractor of Wymora, charging him with practicing medicine without a state certificate. Five counts are cited in the information.

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Suffrage Sign Goes and Students Blamed

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 25.—(Special).—Guiltily or not guilty, "frat" students are again under suspicion. The reason of it all is that the other night during the senior hop at one of the hotels, the sign over the door of the woman suffrage headquarters in the hotel disappeared for the second time and the "frat" boys are accused of the "crime."

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(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 25.—(Special).—The story of a divided and reunited Council Bluffs home was told in justice court in Lincoln yesterday.

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STEPHENS ASKS FOR PRIMARY

Requests Ex-Senator Allen to Take Charge at Madison.

RULES SAME AS USED BEFORE

Requested to Form Committee of Seven to Take Charge of Election to Choose Postmaster at Early Date.

MADISON, Neb., Jan. 25.—(Special).—Congressman Dan W. Stephens has requested former Senator W. V. Allen to form a committee to take charge of the postoffice situation here and to hold a primary election for the purpose of recommending a candidate for postmaster at Madison.

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BANKS OF THREE STATES WOULD ENTER SYSTEM

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(Special Telegram).—The following banks have filed applications to join the new banking system: Nebraska—Aurora National, Aurora; West National, Lawrence; First National, Hubble; Stock Yards National, South Omaha; First National, Wynot; First National, Oakland.

BUTTER WITH BORACIC ACID IN IT ORDERED DESTROYED

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 25.—Government food inspectors seized yesterday 67 boxes of New Zealand butter which contained boracic acid.

ARTHUR PELKY KNOCKED OUT BY "KID" KENNETH

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Jan. 25.—"Kid" Kenneth knocked out Arthur Pelky in the sixth round of a scheduled twenty-round fight at Taft last night.

SEATTLE PASTORS WON'T CLOSE CHURCH FOR SUNDAY

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 25.—The pastors of four big downtown churches, the First Presbyterian, First Methodist, First Baptist and Plymouth Congregational, have refused to submit to the demand of Evangelist "Billy" Sunday that they close their churches during the period of his revival services here should he come.

POLICE RAID "ANATOMICAL MUSEUMS" OF ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 25.—Raids on so-called "anatomical museums" were made by the police today as a result of the protests against such institutions at a public meeting last night.

WOMAN CUTS HER THROAT ON NEWS HUSBAND COMING

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Jan. 25.—(Special Telegram).—Mrs. A. Wilkes, aged 50, the mother of eight children, took her own life this morning by cutting her throat with a razor.

NAMES OF POSTMASTERS WHO HAVE BEEN CHOSEN

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(Special Telegram).—Postmasters have been appointed as follows: Nebraska—Pine Camp, Keys Paha county, Gerrie Hollenbeck, vice O. B. Hollenbeck, resigned.

PEN TERM A "VACATION" PUT IN COUNTY'S CUSTODY

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 25.—Declaring that when a man is sentenced to the penitentiary he gets a vacation in many instances, while his wife and children suffer the widows' woes, Judge Charles Monroe, after a conference today with other superior court judges, turned L. A. Houseman, a convicted burglar and forger, over to the county instead of sending him to prison.

Kidney and Liver Troubles

quickly helped by Electric Bitters; sure and prompt relief; stimulate the kidney and liver to healthy action. 50c and \$1.00. For sale by all druggists.—Advertisement.

Foreign Notes

It was announced from the Vatican yesterday that the health of the pope is normal. A newspaper of Rome had printed a story saying that he was growing weaker.

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Socialists Against the Recall of the City Commissioners

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

The city commissioners are not to be recalled, at least not by the socialists of Omaha. At a mass meeting of Omaha socialists yesterday afternoon at socialist headquarters the proposal to institute a recall was voted down by a large majority.

SHADE OF IMPROVEMENT IN CULLOM'S CONDITION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—A shade of improvement was noted last tonight by physicians attending former Senator Shelby M. Cullom of Illinois.

Nose and Head Stopped Up From Cold or Catarrh, Open At Once

My Cleansing, Healing Balm Instantly Clears Nose, Head and Throat—Stops Nasty Catarrhal Discharges. Dull Headache Goes. Try "Ely's Cream Balm."

ARMOUR COUNSEL CANNOT CROSS-QUIZ WITNESSES

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—Attorneys for the Armour packing interests were today denied the right to cross-examine witnesses at the Interstate Commerce commission's hearing on refrigerator car lines. Attorney George P. Boyle, counsel for the Armour interests, had asked the commission to allow him to cross-examine witnesses.

Washington Affairs

The ancient custom of senators filing claims for the seats of others in the senate chamber promises to be abolished. The rules committee will ask the senate to pass a resolution to cancel all filings and prohibit new ones.

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Dreyfus Gets Offer.

President Barney Dreyfus, of the Pittsburgh club, is seriously considering an offer received last week from the Chamber of Commerce at Columbia, S. C.

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"Syrup of Figs" For Constipated Child

Delicious "Fruit Laxative" can't harm tender little stomach, liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 5-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs."

PILES

A mild system of treatment that cures Piles, Pustula and Rectal Diseases without the use of a knife. No chloroform, ether or other general anesthetic used. No unnecessary delay in business. An absolute cure guaranteed unless cause accepted. PAY AFTER YOU ARE CURED.

7% ON YOUR MONEY

(GUARANTEED) 7% PLUS 1/2 OF SURPLUS HOME BUILDERS—THE OMAHA

Wait Ads BRING RESULTS

IF ITS AT THE GAYETY ITS GOOD Devoted to Strictly Clean, Classy MUSICAL BURLESQUE ALL WEEK Mat. Today COMES NOW THE "DADDY" OF ALL THE WATSONS—

BILLY WATSON —and his— BIG SHOW —with— MARGARET FLAVIN First time at this theater of the attraction that is positively breaking records in house attendance all along the Columbia circuit.

DEAR READER: We sure did stack 'em in last night; looks as though the whole town had been waiting to see the famous Watson show in its new unexcelled form. I know Bill could do it. Yes, the chorus contains some "bawlers."

Orpheum PHONE DOUG. 494, Mat. every day, 2:15; every night 8:15. ADVANCED VAUDEVILLE Popular Song Writers "MAKE A DATE" K. H. KASKEL & CO. "BEAUX-ARTS" GROUCHO & WELCH

HIPP Omaha's Cozy Picture Theater, 15th and Barney—Where Everybody Goes. Open from 11 A. M. to 11 P. M. TODAY'S PROGRAM—So "PATRICK'S CONSCIENCE" (Drama) "THE WINDFALL" (Drama)

January 20—Evening FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 29th and Barney PIANOFORTE RECITAL by MAX LANDOW

Drink more pure beer. The nations that drink the most of it suffer the least from nervousness and dyspepsia. But the slightest taint of impurity ruins its healthfulness. Be sure you get pure beer. Get Schlitz in Brown Bottles. We make Schlitz pure—employing every innovation approved by science—the Brown Bottle keeps it pure from the brewery to your glass. It will not cause biliousness—it gives you the good without the harm. See that crown or cork is branded "Schlitz."