

Nebraska.

POLLARD TALKS OF REMOVAL

Appeals to Nebraskans Not to Change Location of University.

SAYS COST WOULD BE TOO GREAT

Advocates of Keeping Institution Where it is Adopt New Line of Argument to Support Contention.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., May 24.—(Special.)—In a laborious article covering several columns in local papers E. M. Pollard, who has taken upon himself the task of creating a demand that the state university should not be moved to the state farm, where it can expand without any danger of bumping up against some of the old dilapidated buildings which seem to have become sacred in the memory of past graduates, appeals to the people of the state not to move the institution because of the cost and tries to make out of the special levy will not be sufficient to cover the proposition of removal if the people make up their minds to vote that way.

Strangely, the Lincoln paper which has been asserting so strongly that the institution should stay down town where the smoke of the railroad yards and the rumble of moving trains near by disturb the students, speaking of the police of Mr. Pollard says: "The best way to win adequate support for the university is to avoid every suggestion of a waste of funds."

Change of Front. This is a direct change of front from that heretofore advocated by Lincoln interests which have opposed removal to the farm. During the session of the legislature advocates of the downtown campus used column upon column of newspaper space and spent many dollars in preparing and publishing plans and specifications to show that it would cost more in their minds to move the university to the farm than it would to keep it where it is. Just why this sudden discovery that the old fake argument about "loss to the state because of abandonment of the present buildings" does not pan out when the real facts are known, it is pretty hard work to convince the average Nebraskan that \$23,411 now in buildings and the \$23,500 plot of ground on which they stand is going to be a total loss to the state if the university is moved to the farm. This is where the anti-removalists have been lame in their arguments. They have been trying to convince the public that this amount invested will be a loss to the state.

Report of Regents. The annual report of the university regents places the estimated value of the grounds alone at \$23,500. Situated within three blocks of Lincoln's very best center, it is not possible that the state would be unable to dispose of this land. With the buildings now on it it will be worth at least half of the value of the buildings more, so it is plain to be seen that the old argument cannot be made to work, hence the change of front by the Lincoln newspaper.

NOTES FROM WEST POINT AND CUMING COUNTY WEST POINT, Neb., May 24.—(Special.)—Charles Repschlaeger, one of the pioneer settlers of Cuming county, died at the family home ten miles northwest of town. The body was interred Friday at the German Lutheran cemetery in Neligh township, Rev. William Harna, pastor, celebrating the obsequies. The death of Mr. Repschlaeger was quite sudden, being caused by an attack of heart failure. He was 66 years of age and a man universally respected in his community. He leaves a large family and a considerable estate.

An epidemic of accidents has befallen some of the citizens of Cuming county during the last week. Victor Poledna had his body badly lacerated by being dragged along a wire fence by a runaway team. Frank F. Scharfen experienced a bad runaway, his wife and two sisters being in the carriage at the time. This resulted in one of the girls breaking an arm and Mrs. Scharfen suffering a severe wrench to her back. The young son of Charles Guenther became the victim of a violent attack of insanity and two other persons in the community are lying at the point of death.

Dr. Samuel Avery, chancellor of the State university, will address the graduation class at the commencement exercises of the West Point High school occurring May 28. There are seventeen graduates in the class. The largest number for many years.

Rev. Ferdinand Pelch, the new rector of the Catholic parish of West Point, arrived here Friday and is installed in his new charge. He celebrated his first mass in this city on Sunday morning.

DEATH RECORD

Mrs. James B. Sturdevant. ATKINSON, Neb., May 24.—(Special.)—Mrs. James B. Sturdevant, one of Nebraska's oldest settlers, died at her home here last Sunday, aged 83 years. Josephine I. Mowry was born February 8, 1826, near Meeshoppen, Pa., being the second child of George and Margaret Mowry, she being one of a family of twelve, two sons and ten daughters. March 30, 1848, she was married to James B. Sturdevant of Black-walnut, Pa. To them were born eleven children. Their early life was spent in northeastern Pennsylvania. In March, 1871, they with their family moved to Saunders county, Nebraska, settling upon a farm in Marietta precinct. Living there until the fall of 1875, when they moved to Wahoo. In 1883 they settled on a homestead one mile east of Atkinson and the following year moved into Atkinson, where they have since resided. Two years ago last January she suffered a stroke of paralysis, from which she never fully recovered. She leaves her husband, James B. Sturdevant, who is 90 years old, and five sons, Joseph H. of Kansas City, Mo.; Edward E. and Charles L. of Atkinson, Neb.; Frank M. of Chadron, Neb.; and Edward F. of Osceola, Neb. and one daughter, Mrs. Bertha J. Mills of Gordon, Neb., and twenty-four grandchildren and seventeen great-grandchildren, making forty-seven living lineal descendants. The funeral was held at the home of Dr. C. L. Sturdevant on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Cunningham, assisted by Rev. W. S. York, officiating.

Going to the "Movie" Tonight? If you want to know in advance what pictures are going to be shown at your favorite theater tonight, read "Today's Complete Movie Programs" on the first page of the Bee. Complete programs of practically every moving picture theater in Omaha appear EXCLUSIVELY in The Bee.

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Investigator Finds Cherry County Jail Hardly Fit for Brutes

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Neb., May 24.—(Special.)—According to Secretary Shahan of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, the Cherry county jail is hardly a fit place for animals let alone humans. The secretary visited the jails of Cherry, Brown, Rock and Holt counties. Neither of these counties have poor farms and the jails are not modern, except that of Holt.

In speaking of the Cherry county jail, Secretary Shahan says: "I consider this jail as one of the very poorest class. It is a disgrace to Cherry county and many citizens there agree with me." He does not blame the sheriff for conditions.

The Brown county jail, like that of Cherry county, is in a frame building, used both as a jail and a residence for the sheriff, but, however, is kept in good shape and has electric lights and fairly good ventilation.

The Rock county jail is also a frame affair and the cage is one which went through the fire at the time the Brown county court house was burned a few years ago and is badly warped. In order to keep prisoners in it a guard has to be hired at \$4 a day to guard the place.

The Holt county jail is the best of any of the counties visited, being built of cement and has a padded cell for insane prisoners, though there is no separate cell for female prisoners.

Commencements.

ANSELMO, Neb., May 24.—(Special.)—Commencement exercises of the Anselmo High school were held in the Methodist Episcopal church Friday evening. A class of seven received their diplomas. The address to the graduates was delivered by Frank M. Currie of Broken Bow.

The primary and intermediate grades gave their closing program on Wednesday evening in the Christian church. The senior class play was given at the Eweeey Opera house last evening.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., May 24.—(Special.)—Thirty-nine high school graduates received diplomas at the commencement exercises Friday night. This is by far the largest class that has ever graduated from here. The address was given by Dr. C. M. Sheppard of Lincoln, grand orator of the Masonic grand lodge of this state. A feature of the program was the presentation of a magnificent American silk flag to the Broken Bow High school by the Callaway chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The presentation speech was made by Mrs. R. E. Brega of Callaway and the flag accepted on behalf of the school by Superintendent Martin. The class roll follows: Eunice L. Anderson, Roscoe C. Austin, William L. Bruce, Dorothy S. Dean, William H. England, Ethel L. Hauptmont, Marion F. Hays, Sarah M. Hettler, Marietta M. Purcell, Lillian G. Johnson, Harry H. Kretzlar, Alice P. Longfellow, Mary F. McArthur, Clyde H. McIntosh, James H. Pedmore, Calvin H. Remington, Meredith T. Reneau, Irene S. Sargent, Pearl E. Sheppard, Mary Eastham, Ferdinand E. Ash, Ray Hennis, Mary Z. Gibson, Pearl Hennis, Kent Crawford, Georgia M. Boggs, Ethel H. Bass, Fred A. Humphrey, Esther R. Johnson, Irma V. Lowry, Edward L. McCull, Vivian M. Bahr, Jennie M. Taylor, C. Earl Yarnsey, Lella A. Shackelford, Helen T. Reneau, Leona D. Shreve, Leonard R. Waters and Marjorie C. L'Amoreux.

Notes from Beatrice. BEATRICE, Neb., May 24.—(Special.)—Patrons have been filed for the Nebraska State bank, which has opened for business in this city. The bank is capitalized for \$50,000 and the officers are: William A. Wolfe, president; Dwight Coit, cashier, and H. W. Ahlquist, assistant cashier. The Wolbach block has been purchased by the bank, which will occupy it as soon as the building is put in proper shape.

John Schmitt, living five and a half miles southeast of the city, Friday reported that he had discovered that the Hessian fly had damaged his wheat crop considerably.

The village board of De Witt met Friday to hear the remonstrance against Jacob Wunnenberg. A remonstrance was also filed against Fred Schroeder, who applied for a liquor license last week, and the board adjourned until next Monday without taking any action in either case.

Albert Dusch, son of a farmer living near Lanham, was arrested at St. Joseph Friday upon complaint of the local authorities charging him with a statutory offense. The complaining witness is Anna Merle Edne of Lanham.

Three Loved at Sidney. SIDNEY, Ia., May 24.—(Special.)—Sidney will furnish its share of June brides this year. On Tuesday, June 2, Miss Lolita Gould will wed Roy C. Dady of Des Moines. Miss Gould is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gould. She is a graduate of Columbia college of expression, Chicago, and her reputation as a reader extends to several different states. On June 19 there will be two weddings. Miss Pearl Nix, one of Sidney's most popular teachers, will be united in marriage with L. N. Harbour of Thurman and Miss Beulah Spittler will wed Alphonso E. Cook of Lincoln, Neb. Miss Beulah is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Spittler. She is a graduate of Tabors musical conservatory.

Howe Woman Seriously Hurt. STELLA, Neb., May 24.—(Special.)—Mrs. E. J. Tucker suffered a painful accident at her home in Howe last evening. Her husband was putting a screen on a large window and she was helping him from the inside when the window fell on both arms, breaking one at the wrist and badly crushing the other near the wrist.

WOMEN DELEGATES TO EPISCOPAL CONVENTION LEAD, S. D., May 24.—(Special Telegram.)—For the first time in the history of the Episcopal church in South Dakota women are accepted delegates to the annual convention now in session here, the first state convention of the church west of the Missouri river. Bishop George Biller, Jr., Sioux Falls, is presiding, with Rev. Fred Frederick B. Barnett of Mitchell secretary. One-third of the delegates present are Indians. The council of advice for the year, appointed by Bishop Biller, consists of six men all west of the river.

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Many Relatives and Friends Witness Athletic Contests.

HONORS TAKEN BY MISS SMITH

Wins Eleven Points and Receives Letters Which Are Awarded to Only One Girl During School Year.

As the first event in the program of exercises preceding the commencement at Brownell hall, the annual field day and interclass athletic meet was held Saturday afternoon.

Miss Marjorie Smith, a senior girl, took individual honors in the athletic contests, winning eleven points and receiving the coveted "B. H." letters, which are awarded to only one girl during the whole school year.

A prize pennant for first place in the class competition was won by the senior girls, who totaled twenty-two points against the sub-freshmen's sixteen. The sophomores and juniors made eight tallies.

The various contests proved spectacular and exciting, and aroused much enthusiasm among the large gathering of supporters of the various individuals and classes. The events were under the direction of Miss Dorothy Ringwalt, physical director of the school, who received high commendation from the parents and friends of the young women for the capable showing made by her pupils.

Silver Urn Presented. A feature of the afternoon was the presentation by the senior class of a handsome silver coffee urn to the school. Miss Naomi Towle, president of the graduates, made the presentation and expressed the regret of the seniors at severing their connection with Brownell hall. Mrs. Johnson replied with a brief speech of acceptance.

With Saturday's field day, the final activities of the school for this year are now in full swing. For each day during the coming week, and until the senior graduation is held on Tuesday morning of next week, the senior women will be busy attending either festivities of the school or social affairs given in their honor.

The junior school, consisting of younger girls preparing to enter Brownell hall, will hold its commencement exercises Wednesday at 3:30 o'clock. Saturday will be junior day, with an original play presented by the class. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered next Sunday at St. Matthias' Episcopal church. The musical students will give a recital and informal reception Monday evening. The graduation takes place Tuesday morning, June 2, and will be followed by a luncheon.

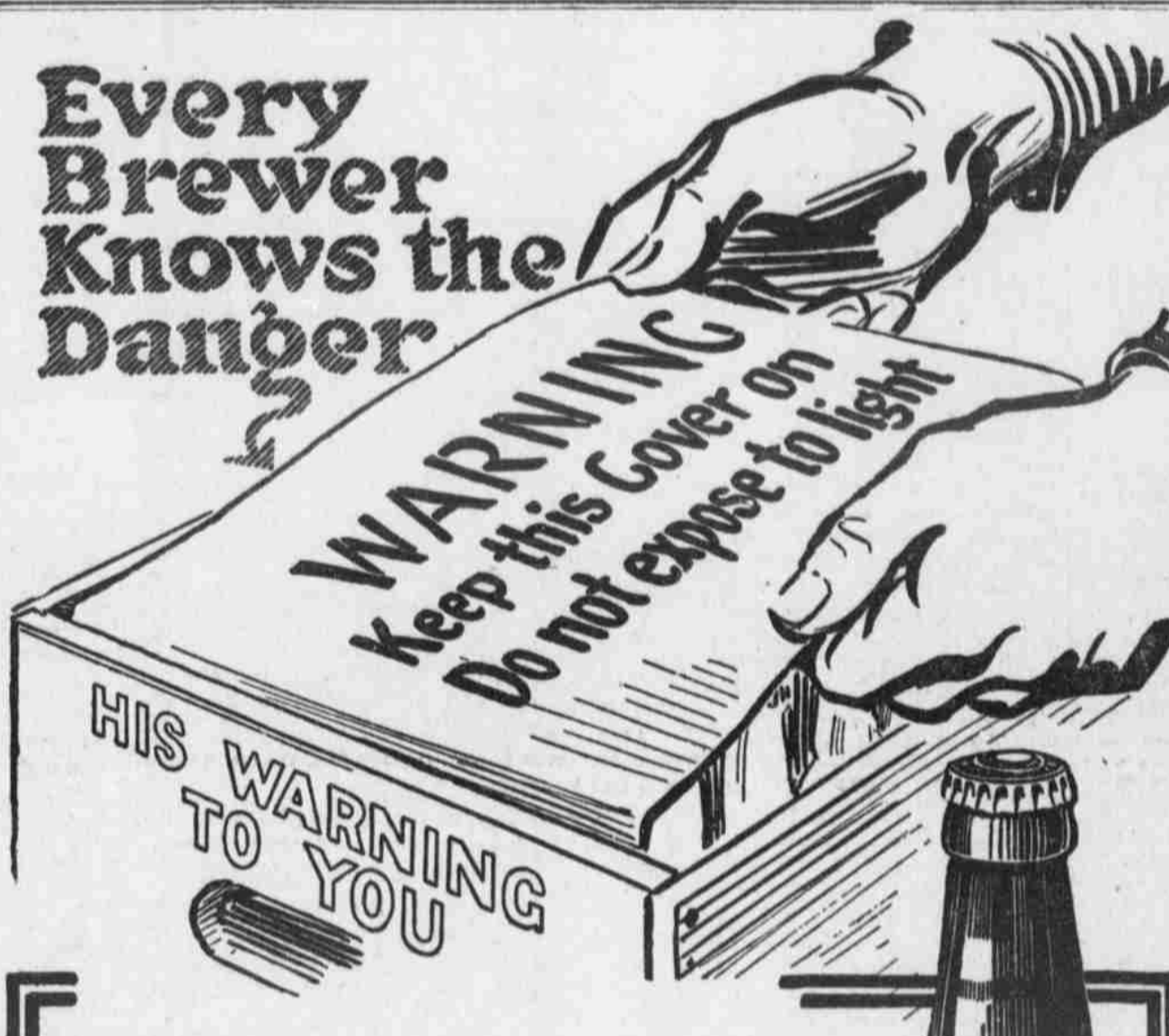
Results of Athletic Events. Results of the athletic events yesterday were as follows: Basket Ball—Boarding students, Captain Frances Nebel defeated day students, Captain Gertrude Stout, 12 to 10. Archery—Marjorie Smith, senior, first, score 8 out of possible 12; Belle Guss, senior, second, score 6. High Jump—Mary Taylor, junior, first, 3 feet 10 inches; Marguerite Boggs, sophomore, second.

Shotput—Ruth Ackermann, sub-freshman, first; Mary Taylor, junior, second. Broad Jump—Marjorie Smith, senior, first; Marguerite Boggs, sophomore, second; Geraldine Hess, junior, and Elizabeth Ringwalt, sub-freshman, tied for third.

Fifty-Yard Dash—Mary Taylor, junior, first; Bertha Grapenaiser, freshman, second; Marjorie Smith, senior, third. Walking Race—Elizabeth Williams, sub-freshman, first; Geraldine Hess, junior, second; Bertha Grapenaiser, freshman, third.

Junior School Race, Fifty Yards—Phyllis Hartman, first; Gracie Jean Eastman, second; Harriet Tipton and Jean Roberts tied for third.

Obstacle Race—Lois Craig, sub-freshman, first; Esther Smith and Elizabeth Ringwalt, freshmen, tied for second; Lenora Williams, sophomore, third.



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