

Nebraska

FIRST KICK EVER ON RAISE

State Departments Object to Lift to the Fourth Floor.

THEY WILL GO, NEVERTHELESS

Quarters Furnished Under the Roof Said to Be Most Modern of Any in the State House.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Oct. 24.—(Special.)—"I don't want to go up on that fourth floor," is the wail that is going up from all points of the state house this morning from different departments which have been assigned offices in the new rooms which the state has just completed on the fourth floor of the state house at a cost of something like \$25,000 or \$30,000.

The board which has charge of the state house met this morning and after looking over the situation, decided that the following departments must go on high:

Board of Agriculture, adjutant general, Grand Army of the Republic; Stallion Registration board, state veterinarian, Pardon board, Labor commission, Fire commission, Hotel commission and game warden.

The offices now used by the adjutant general will be taken by the State Banking board, which will then give to the Board of Control the rooms occupied by the Board of Agriculture, State Banking board, the Grand Army of the Republic and the basement rooms used by the Stallion Registration board.

Secretary Mellor of the State Board of Agriculture says that on account of the large number of people who come to his offices in the summer he does not feel that he can go up and will probably secure room down town. Other departments do not want to leave their present quarters, fearing that the rooms will be hot in the summer. However it is probable that the adjustment will be made.

Most Modern of All.

The fact is that the rooms on the fourth floor are the neatest and most modern of any in the state house. Of course the inside rooms will not enable the employees to gaze out of the windows, as there are no windows, but the rooms which have windows, notably those on the corners, are the most pleasant of any in the whole building.

It is expected that the elevator will be completed, and in running order by another week, so that it will be an easy matter to reach the fourth floor. The rooms will be numbered and a directory placed at the entrance to the elevator on each floor so that it will be easy to find the different departments.

Numbering of the offices began this afternoon. Those on the ground floor starting with 100 at the state superintendent's office, while the governor has 101, secretary of state 102, treasurer 104, auditor 106, land commissioner 10 and so on.

The second floor starts with 200, the third with 300 and the fourth with 400.

Policeman Resigns.

A Lincoln policeman, new on the force, is said to have turned in his star this morning because a man was slugged on his beat last night and robbed of \$40. It is said that he refused to be a policeman in any town where such stunts were pulled off.

Inspectors Schupp and Gall of the weights and measures department of the pure food office started out this morning on an inspection of the state institutions, which according to the new law must have their weights and measures inspected once a year. When this is completed the state will be divided into two sections, an inspector to confine his work to his own section. It is probable that Mr. Schupp will be given the North Platte country and Mr. Gall the South Platte.

Call for Reports.

The State Banking board under date of October 21 has made a call for reports from the state banks under its jurisdiction.

Omaha People to Marry.

The following Omaha people have secured license to wed from the Lancaster county judge: Louis M. Wright, age 35, and Clara Van Syke, age 29; Jake Jensen, age 28, and Maude R. Hartman, age 28.

Notes from Table Rock.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., Oct. 24.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Stratton, who live four or five miles southwest of here, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at the Presbyterian church in Pawnee City last night. Mr. and Mrs. Stratton have lived in this vicinity for forty-three years. They came from Dayton, O., where they were married October 22, 1862.

Miss Mayme E. Chapman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Chapman, who lived south of here many years, moving to Marshall, Okla., three or four years ago, was married at the residence of her parents in Marshall yesterday to John Henry Bridal of that place.

Ralph L. Johnson, eldest son of M. B. Johnson of this place, was accidentally shot by the discharge of a revolver in the hands of a companion in the vicinity of Creighton, Neb. The bullet entered his chin and his tongue is paralyzed, so that he has been unable to speak since. His condition is not regarded as serious.

Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

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Too Much Profit in Wrong Place is the Spillman Verdict

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Oct. 24.—(Special.)—The man on the smaller farm must come to the rescue of the under supplied meat market if prices are to be permanently reduced. So declares W. J. Spillman, agriculturist in charge of the office of farm management of the bureau of plant industry. The result of his labors for the last two years are embodied in a report.

In order to avoid the permanent scarcity of meat which comes sooner or later to all densely populated countries, the causes of the present shortage must be remedied, he says. The farmer is not making exorbitant profits from live stock and its products. If such were the case he would produce more instead of less of them. Except on ranges beef cattle have been produced at a very small average profit, frequently at a loss. Farmers have produced beef mainly because they have been taught that live stock in some form is necessary to conserve soil fertility.

We are now beginning to learn that this is not necessarily true, Mr. Spillman declares. The farmer feels that he is no longer compelled to keep unprofitable animals, hence the decrease in the number of cattle in the last few years. This factor seems likely to increase instead of decrease as time goes on.

Defective distribution is described as follows:

"An important reason why farmers produce less meat than formerly is to be found in the method of distribution from producer to consumer which has grown up in this country. In most of the countries of Europe public abattoirs have been constructed, to which farmers may consign their fat stock, the meat from which is then sold to the consumer without passing through the hands of an interminable line of middlemen, each of which takes his toll. In this country the farmer receives only a small fraction of the price paid by the consumer. Enormous packing establishments have monopolized the business and there is little or no competition in buying the farmers' stock. The enormous fortunes which have grown up in this business in recent years show that the farmer is not getting his full share of the profits.

"Again, the retail meat business as at present conducted in cities renders enormous profits necessary. Numerous small groceries, each with its independent delivery system, clerks, fixtures, etc., each serve a few patrons scattered over considerable overlapping areas. Better organization of the retail business, whereby it shall be conducted in larger units, with well systematized methods of delivery, are seriously needed. Such organization would greatly lessen the retail price of meats and at the same time permit the farmer to receive better prices. This would encourage greater production. Private organizations for systematizing the retailing of meats, without public supervision, will not meet the situation. Such organizations have grown up around the retail milk business, but instead of cheapening the price to consumers or increasing the price to producers, they have converted the saving thus effected into exorbitant profits. Public abattoirs, with the public sale of the animals slaughtered at them, have become a crying need in this country."

Young Christians Meet at Beatrice

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 24.—(Special.)—The Nebraska State Christian Endeavor convention opened at the Christian church in this city Thursday afternoon with about 300 delegates in attendance.

M. D. Berg presided over the opening session, and greetings were extended by Emerson Drouillard to the convention from the Young People's union, and Rev. L. D. Young from the churches. Response was made by Rev. B. A. Shively.

"Music in Our Christian Endeavor Prayer Meetings," was the subject of an address given by the Rev. Charles H. Gray, and ex-President Ray G. Fletcher spoke on "Increase and Efficiency." Short talks were given by the delegates on "What My Society Has Done for Efficiency and What Efficiency Has Done for My Society."

In the evening a complimentary concert in address given by the Rev. Thomas Stubbs was given, followed by an informal reception in the basement of the church. Light refreshments were served. It is expected that 400 delegates will attend the meeting, which closes Sunday.

STATE OFFICIALS ATTEND WEDDING OF MISS BAXTZAT

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Oct. 24.—(Special.)—Clara Mmanda Bartzat and Gustav J. Bergchoner were married on Tuesday at the home of the bride, two miles east of Raymond. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ernest Pfeiffer in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom.

A reception was tendered them the same evening by the German Family club at the club hall in this city. Governor and Mrs. John H. Morehead, Private Secre-

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Normal Board Gets Textbook Supply in Its Own Hands

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Oct. 24.—(Special.)—Besides removing Dr. Thomas from the Kearney Normal school at its meeting the other night, the board passed the following resolutions which will govern the normal schools of the state in the future:

- 1. That the principal of each school be designated the local business agent of the board, subject to the supervision of the local executive committee and the direction of the Board of Education.
2. That all recommendations concerning employes, other than members of the faculty proper, come from the executive committee and that this committee be responsible for the care and custody of grounds and buildings, and for the supervision of all employes not engaged in teaching.
3. That all recommendations concerning the teaching force of each school come from the teachers' committee and that this committee make all recommendations relative to textbooks and course of study.
4. That the committee now known as the textbooks, course of study, rules, be designated the committee on rules and be charged with making recommendations for rules governing the actions of the board, of teachers and employes, and of the conduct of the students attending the state normal schools.

STATE EDUCATORS BUSY IN POLITICS

(Continued from Page One.)

waukee public schools; J. W. Seaton, Kansas City Agricultural college; F. B. Sherman, Boise, Idaho; Charles G. Stewart, University of Iowa; W. L. Stevens, Long Beach, Cal.; S. H. Thompson, public schools, Caldwell, Nev.; H. B. Ward, University of Illinois.

In the above list of members of the Schoolmasters' club will be found the names of two members of the board which removed Dr. Thomas, J. E. Delsell and A. L. Caviness. T. J. Majors is known to be an exceedingly close friend of Dr. Crabtree, who was removed from the Peru Normal school against the wishes of Mr. Majors. The other member of the board who voted to remove the Kearney man is A. V. Viole, whose name does not appear on the club roster.

How Others Are Engaged.

L. E. Mumford, whose name appears as being from Lincoln, is the Nebraska representative of the Ginn book concern and is not engaged in any educational business but that of educating members of the club in buying of the trust he represents. George L. Towne is not engaged in educational work other than as editor of the Nebraska Teacher, which is said to be friendly to the Ginn book trust. W. K. Fowler, another Lincoln man, is also connected with the Nebraska Teacher.

When the board deposed Dr. Thomas they placed in charge of the institution M. R. Snodgrass and to assist him in his work sent out R. C. King from the superintendent's office, to act as manager and registrar, both of whom are members of the Schoolmasters' club. There are

seemingly no good educators outside of the Schoolmasters' club who could have taken the job given to Mr. King, who while a mighty good fellow, had a job in the state superintendent's office and was taken out to fill the job at Kearney.

The registrar of the Kearney Normal has formerly been Miss Garrett, a sister of O. E. Garrett, representative of the American Book company, a rival of the Ginn concern. Text books used at the Kearney school were purchased from the American Book company. What the sudden loading into the Kearney school of members of the Schoolmasters' club, which is friendly to the Ginn company, which has books to sell; the dismissal of Dr. Thomas as superintendent and the putting of King into Miss Garrett's place as registrar, though at present it is given out that she will remain assistant, is not known, but its effect will be watched closely.

KEARNEY RESOLUTION ON HAND

Delsell Says Board Could Reconsider

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Oct. 24.—(Special.)—State Superintendent Delsell received this morning the resolutions passed by the people of Kearney relative to the removal of Dr. Thomas, superintendent of the Kearney Normal school, a copy of which was published in The Bee this morning.

When asked what would be done with the resolutions Superintendent Delsell said that they would be sent to the secretary of the board, J. J. Tooley of Asselmo.

"Will the board be likely to reconsider its action in the removal of Dr. Thomas?" the superintendent was asked.

"They could if they felt like it," answered Mr. Delsell.

CLAWSON GIVEN FIFTEEN YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

(Special Telegram.)

WILBER, Oct. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—In the district court Clarence Clawson was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary for killing Ross McKinney August 2 after motions for a new trial and an arrest of judgment were overruled. He was found guilty of murder in the second degree.

Store Near Callaway Burns.

CALLAWAY, Neb., Oct. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Fire destroyed the store at the Milldale switch last evening. The explosion of a gasoline stove was the cause. The loss was complete and amounted to about \$2,000.

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