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CLERKS DO NOT RESPOND

County Officials Slow Answering Tax Commission Questions.

YOUTHFUL ROBBERS IN PRISON

Two Boys from Scottsbluff Dig Cave in Which to Store the Loot of Their Expeditions About the Country.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 23.—(Special.)—County clerks are not making themselves very popular with the members of the tax commission...

Some time ago blanks were sent out to the different clerks asking them to furnish the commission with facts as to several things wanted by the commission...

Robbery in Escraest.

F. O. aron, sheriff of Scott's Bluff county came to Lincoln today bringing Mike Jubal, a 19-year-old lad, and Lewis Mantlah, a young man of 20 to the penitentiary to serve terms for robbing freight cars at Scott's Bluff.

New Company Formed.

The International company is the name of a new corporation in Omaha, which expects to do a general real estate and loan business.

Convict Ward Dead.

Charles Ward, an indeterminate sentence at the state penitentiary, died at that institution last night of tuberculosis.

Farmers' Union Stays Out.

According to C. H. Gustafson, president of the Farmers' union, that organization will take no part in politics this year, although Mr. Gustafson has been mentioned as a possible candidate for the nomination for governor on the republican ticket.

BUY SEED FOR STATE USE OF NEBRASKA DEALERS

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—Farmers who want good seed should not go outside of Nebraska to find it, according to a statement made by Food Commissioner Harman this morning.

Over 5,000 samples of different kinds of seed have been tested by the commissioner's department and the result has shown that Nebraska grown seed comes nearer the requirements of the law than that grown outside the state.

The department to date has killed between 20,000 and 15,000 bags of seed coming from outside the state, 1,100 of those being in one shipment.

ST. PAUL BANKER DIES IN GRAND ISLAND HOSPITAL

ST. PAUL, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—George E. Loan, cashier of the First State bank, died this morning in a hospital at Grand Island, following an operation one week ago.

People's Caucus Held.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., March 23.—(Special Telegram.)—In opposition to the municipal ticket, nominated at the citizens' caucus last Thursday, an independent people's caucus was held this afternoon, which resulted in the following ticket being nominated:

Funeral of Mrs. Campbell.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—Mrs. Ella Campbell died Friday in the Swedish hospital in Omaha of hemorrhage while her husband, a traveling salesman, was on his way to San Francisco and her daughter, Mrs. Olga McFarland, was convalescing in the same hospital.

Sidney Wins Two Firsts.

SIDNEY, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—The North Platte Valley Decadatory association held its seventh annual contest at the Tobin opera house in Sidney Saturday night.

Best Known Cough Remedy.

Dr. King's New Discovery. Best for coughs, colds, hoarseness and all lung troubles. First dose helps. 50c and \$1. All druggists.—Advertisement.

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Hastings Street Official Attacks County Attorney

HASTINGS, Neb., March 23.—(Special Telegram.)—County Attorney Don C. Fouts was attacked in his office today by Street Commissioner Cal Dreibeblis, who knocked him out of his chair and was raining blows upon him when pulled off by Mrs. M. R. Emberson, the office stenographer, who ejected him from the office.

Following the altercation Chief of Police Harm, before a complaint had been filed, relieved Dreibeblis of his special police star and a few minutes later Dreibeblis was attacked on the street by James C. McCleery, ex-Adams county sheriff and brother-in-law of Fouts.

The first encounter grew out of a North Dakota land deal between the brothers of Dreibeblis and Fouts. Dreibeblis is much larger man than the county attorney and it was because of this disparity that McCleery later attacked him.

When Mrs. Emberson pulled Dreibeblis off his victim he handed her a glass paper weight which he had been using on Fouts. He said Fouts picked it up when he entered the office and he took it away from him for self-protection.

Hundred Thousand is Left to Hospital

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., March 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Under the will of Charles Geunich, opened in county court today, the State Orthopedic hospital and the Home for Dependent Children in Lincoln will receive nearly the whole of an estate left by him, amounting to over \$100,000.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSTITUTE NEW COUNCIL

KEARNEY, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—The installation of the Kearney council of the Knights of Columbus occurred today in this city, in charge of District Deputy Crowley of Hastings. This new branch will be known as the St. James cathedral in this city.

PANAMA-PACIFIC PLANS TO BE DISCUSSED SOON

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—A commission to be elected by the contributors is proposed to handle the Nebraska exhibit at the Pacific-Panama exposition. Details for raising the money will be discussed at the meeting of the committee appointed by Governor Morehead has been set for Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the executive office.

MINISTERS DECIDE TO PUT BAN ON SUNDAY BASE BALL

HASTINGS, Neb., March 23.—(Special Telegram.)—The Hastings Ministerial union decided not to attempt to resubmit the question of Sunday base ball at the April election. Instead resolutions for a boycott for base ball teams and moving picture theaters which give exhibitions on Sunday will be submitted to ten churches of the Hastings federation next Sunday.

News Notes of Superior.

SUPERIOR, Neb., March 23.—(Special Telegram.)—The city council awarded a contract for extension of the water works to the National company of South Bend, Ind., for \$20,000. They take bonds and also pay a premium of \$20. A Tecumseh firm was next lowest bidder. The extension of the city water plant takes it to the river west of the city, near the cement plant.

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CITY PRIMARIES ARE HELD

Cost of Running Schools is Issue in Nebraska City.

TWO SLATES AT HUMBOLDT

Council Divides on License Issue and It is Agreed to Name Rival Tickets—Another Ticket in Wahoo.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—The city nominees are as follows: Commissioners, R. E. Hawley, J. G. Struble, Paul S. Topping, Henry Katzenstein, A. O. Roos and Bert Ryder. Members of the Board of Education, Democrats, three years, Charles McNamara, A. P. Young and P. J. Hand; Republicans, W. H. Pitzer, W. W. Metz and J. E. Bloomington; for two years, Democrats, S. S. Wilson, H. F. Meyer and G. W. Leight; Republicans, J. P. Mikkelson, M. R. Thorp and O. N. Nelson; one year, Democrat, Fred Heiler, and Republican, Charles L. Kelly.

Two Slates at Humboldt.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—The largest primary in the history of this city was held in the city hall Saturday night. The call was for a joint caucus, but before the meeting was fairly opened a motion was made that there be but one ticket in the field.

One Ticket at Pilger.

PILGER, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—At the village caucus held here E. W. Krueger, John Poy and W. E. Munger, the retiring members of the board, were renominated to succeed themselves. F. J. Young was also renominated for treasurer and W. W. Vaught for clerk.

Plattsmouth Democrats Caucus.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—The democrats placed in nomination Saturday evening the following city ticket: For mayor, John P. Sattler; clerk, John Nemetz; treasurer, H. N. Soenishen; engineer, Fred Patterson; councilmen, R. P. Patterson, Fred Wagner, Frank Heator, John Kopp, George Klingner; school trustees, Hill Westcott and John Schulof; Wescott and Schulof were nominated for the school board by the republicans the previous evening.

Second Ticket at Wahoo.

WAHOO, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—A new city party was organized here last night called the municipal party, which nominated the following candidates for city officials: Mayor, C. L. Mielenz; clerk, Walter Anderson; treasurer, John S. Beermaker; councilmen, Charley Tindal, B. E. Hendricks and B. Torell. The school board nominees are the same as those nominated at the citizens' caucus Friday night.

NOTES FROM NEBRASKA CITY AND OTTO COUNTY

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—Burglars in some way learned there was a lightly bricked up window in a vacant building next to W. E. Griffen's second hand store and they gained entrance that way, taking watches, rings and firearms to the value of \$180 and \$2.14 in change.

James Petersen of Wyoming prelect reports that for many years ducks were never as plentiful in his part of the county as they are at this time.

A telegram was received yesterday that William Seymour, who stands to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. C. W. Seymour, because he was in a hospital at Newark, O., and not expected to live.

Word has been received here of the death of Andrew J. Klepser at Kirkland, Wash., after a brief illness. The deceased for many years was one of the leading business men of this city.

Warship Oklahoma Launched at Camden

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—The superdreadnought Oklahoma, one of the largest and most powerful American battleships afloat, was launched today from the yard of the New York Shipbuilding company at Camden, N. J., in the presence of a large number of guests. The giant sea fighter was given its name by Miss Lorena Jane Cruce, daughter of the governor of Oklahoma, when she crashed a bottle of champagne against the great prow of the ship as the hull began to slide into the Delaware river.

Disordered Kidneys Cause Much Misery.

With pain and misery by day, sleep-disturbing bladder weakness at night, tired, nervous run-down men and women everywhere are glad to know that Foley Kidney Pills restore health and strength, and the regular action of kidneys and bladder. Mrs. Sula Barnes, Bowdon, Ga., R. 1, says: "I suffered with terrible headache, backache and bearing down pains, as bad I was hardly able to get around. I took three bottles of Foley Pills and since then I have been entirely well." For sale by all dealers everywhere.—Advertisement.

ROOSEVELT LOSES OUTFIT

Exploring Party Meets with Disaster in Brazilian Rapids.

NEGOTIATING UNKNOWN STREAM

Natural History Specimens Collected During Trip Up Parana Probably Safe—Party Enroute for the Amazon.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's family and friends anxiously awaited further advices today regarding the accident by which his party lost its entire equipment in the rapids of a Brazilian river. While no concern, it was stated, was felt for the safety of the former president, it was desirable to learn just how and when the accident occurred and whether or not the expedition would be abandoned, especially as the party was so far from a base where new equipment could be acquired.

The news of the mishap came in a brief message from Anthony Pala, a member of the party. It was dated at Santarem, Brazil, yesterday, and read: "I have lost everything in the rapids. Telephone my wife of my safety."

Santarem is in the state of Para, at the confluence of the Tapajoz river with the Amazon, and the telegram was probably sent there by courier.

Exploring River of Doubt.

The accident in all probability occurred on an unknown river which Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., today said his father, in a letter to him, had called the Rio Dulvata, or "River of Doubt."

Colonel Roosevelt in a letter written on

January 16 from Tapirapcan, in Matto Grosso, province in the south central part of Brazil, and received last week by Frank M. Chapman of the American Museum of Natural History, said that he expected to explore this unknown river. He wrote:

"We are now about to go into the real wilderness, where we shall have to travel light, and can hardly collect any big animals. In a month or six weeks we shall reach the headwaters of an unexplored river. If my health is good, as I expect, I think it possible that I will go down the river and try to find out where it comes out, tracing Kermit, Flais and Cherie with me, as well as Colonel Rondon and one or two of the Brazilians."

"Meanwhile the rest of the party, including Miller, will go straight to Maderia and come down that to Manaus. Miller will then collect around Manaus or elsewhere until Kermit, Cherie and I turn up. It is not possible to give a forecast as to the time that will be required."

Earlier Specimens Safe.

The specimens of natural history collected by the party on its trip up the Parana and Paraguay rivers are safe, it is understood here, as the colonel had indicated he would ship them before he entered the Brazilian wilds. The loss in the rapids, outside of foods, arms, camp material and instruments, undoubtedly includes the birds and animals killed and photographs taken from the time the party started on the horseback trip over the plateau.

Colonel Roosevelt, according to plans he had mapped out, expected to arrive next month at Manaus. From there he was to start for Madrid to attend the marriage of his son, Kermit, to Miss

Helle Willard, daughter of the American ambassador.

Baby Heiress Taken Down Dumb Waiter to Evade Officers

CHICAGO, March 23.—Virginia Ford, 3-year-old daughter of W. H. Ford, city engineer of Philadelphia, and reputed heiress of the large estate of her grandmother, Mrs. Harriet L. Janney of Philadelphia, arrived in Portland, Ore., today after a stormy visit to Chicago. While here the child played in court and made friends with bullfights and policemen during the legal battle by Ford and Mrs. Janney for custody of the child.

The little girl left Chicago wrapped in a blanket by way of a hotel dumbwaiter and down a fire escape, carried in the arms of Mrs. Janney's lawyer.

When word of Mrs. Janney's arrival with Virginia in Portland was received here today by Charles E. Eberstein, her counsel here in the court proceedings with Ford, Eberstein told of the escape.

Ford had been divorced from Mrs. Ford in Portland. When Virginia was on her way west with her grandmother, Ford telegraphed the Chicago police to hold Mrs. Janney as a kidnaper and rushed here to get possession of his child. Mrs. Janney was freed of that charge and immediately Ford obtained a writ of habeas corpus for Virginia. Eberstein hurried to Mrs. Janney's hotel in a taxicab. Mrs. Janney was eating lunch in the dining room. The baby was on the floor in her room playing with a toy bear.

The bear was all that process servers

found when they entered the room almost on Eberstein's heels. Seizing the child the lawyer wrapped her in a blanket and went down the fire escape with her, sending a maid for Mrs. Janney. Eberstein, fearing to use the stairs, went down in a dumbwaiter to an alley entrance, where he sent a boy for a cab.

BELLE FOURCHE TO HAVE RAILROAD LINE TO CASPER

BELLE FOURCHE, S. D., March 23.—(Special.)—Visions of a railroad from Casper, Wyo., north and east, passing through the Black Buttes, Sundance and into Belle Fourche for its north terminal, are being entertained here through the visit of O. O. Baker of Edgemont. Mr. Baker claimed to be representing a Pennsylvania oil magnate and was engaged in securing leases on oil and coal lands north of here. He tied up over 13,000 acres with farmers on Mason creek and Black Flats. During his visit he intimated that there was a strong possibility of such a railroad being built in the near future and that capital for it had already been arranged. It is supposed to be allied with the Chicago & Northwestern interests.

Hoover Appointed Collector.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—President Wilson today nominated George Hoover of Fort Morgan, Colo., to be collector of customs for Colorado.

Postmaster—South Dakota: Frank C. Fisher, Lead.

The Brandeis Stores Extend to You a Cordial Invitation to visit their Spring Opening Display of Misses & Womens Apparel & Millinery Which Continues Throughout the Week. The First Complete Presentation of the Authentic New Spring Styles. Image of a woman in a dress.

That Hungry Boy must have something besides bread-and-butter-and-jam and books and sermons to grow on, to study on, to play on. For the growing youngsters nothing equals Shredded Wheat. The food that builds muscle and bone and brain—a natural, elemental food—containing no yeast, no baking powder or chemicals of any kind—just the pure whole wheat grain, steam-cooked, shredded and baked. Better than porridges for children because the crispness of the shreds compels mastication which not only develops sound teeth, but is the first process in digestion. Always heat the Biscuit in oven to restore crispness. Two Shredded Wheat Biscuits with hot milk or cream will supply all the energy needed for a half day's work. Deliciously nourishing when eaten in combination with baked apples, stewed prunes, sliced bananas or canned or preserved fruits. Try toasted Triscuit, the Shredded Wheat wafer, for luncheon with butter, cheese or marmalade. Made only by The Shredded Wheat Company, Niagara Falls, N. Y.