

Nebraska NEBRASKA AUTOS GROW NUMEROUS

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MORE NUMBERS ARE ORDERED

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, March 27.—(Special.)—According to Secretary of State Charles W. Pool one automobile to every three and one-half persons living in the state of Nebraska is in use in this state. He bases his estimate on the number of plates issued and to be issued.
He has found the demand for number plates increasing so fast that he made an order this morning with the firm manufacturing the plates for 10,000 additional numbers, which will run the list up to 50,000. Already over 42,000 number plates have been issued and the orders are coming in fast.
Mr. Pool avers that Nebraska has more automobiles according to its population than any state in the union.

Annual Inter-Class Fight at Tecumseh

TECUMSEH, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—An annual occurrence at the Tecumseh High school was pulled off one evening recently when a fight prevailed between some of the seniors, juniors, freshmen and a few outsiders to the right to fly class colors over the high school building. A junior pulled the senior colors down and started something. The "fight" which followed lasted until midnight, during which a few fellows in two automobiles took five opponents a distance of five miles in the country, dumped them out and made them walk back to town. This was at midnight. Two girls were tied to posts in a Tecumseh barnyard and two or three young fellows were tied to tombstones in the Tecumseh cemetery and left there. Automobiles were running over the city with utter disregard as to speed limit.

Attempted Attack on McCook Young Woman

MCCOOK, Neb., March 27.—(Special Telegram.)—An attempt was made last night about 10 o'clock by an unknown man to assault Miss Margaret Gollehon of this city.
Miss Gollehon works in the De Groff store and lives in South McCook. She left the store for home shortly after 9 o'clock, and in the neighborhood of the "violet" leading over the Burlington yards a drunken man attacked her.
Miss Gollehon was choked and rendered unconscious.
At this time her condition is still serious. Efforts at identifying her assailant have been unsuccessful.

BRYAN ADDRESSES VOTERS ONLY IN FAIRBURY TALK

FAIRBURY, Neb., March 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Advertising his hearty to be careful and select only dry candidates at the Nebraska presidential primary April 18, William Jennings Bryan spoke to a mass meeting of voters only in Steele opera house last night. Although inclement weather conditions prevented farmers from coming to town, the opera house was packed.
Following the opera house mass meeting Mr. Bryan talked to an overflow meeting in the Christian church.

OVER HUNDRED THOUSAND DAMAGE DONE BY STORM

BEATRICE, Neb., March 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Many linemen and laborers were put to work here today rebuilding the line for the telephone and telegraph companies which were leveled by the sleet storm of last week. It will take several weeks to repair the lines, and it is estimated that the damage done will amount to over \$100,000.

Bloomfield Teachers Elected.

BLOOMFIELD, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—The following teachers have been elected for the coming year: A. F. Giltner, superintendent; Merle Swan, principal high school; J. W. Stover, manual training; Florence Woodworth, fifth grade; Ethel Kraiz, second grade; Isabel McOmber, first grade; Florence Hoy, preliminary. Two high school teachers, two seventh and eighth grade teachers and a sixth grade teacher are yet to be elected.

Guy Hall Bound Over.

COLUMBUS, Neb., March 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Guy Hall has his preliminary hearing today on a charge of stealing corn and hogs and was bound over to the district court under bond of \$500, which he could not furnish, and was sent to jail.

Bloomfield-Wayne Debate.

BLOOMFIELD, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—The Bloomfield-Wayne high school debate will be held April 7. The local team will uphold the negative side of the preparedness question.

DEATH RECORD

Mrs. Anton Novak.
FAIRWELL, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—Mrs. Anton Novak, wife of Anton Novak, died here on Saturday after having given birth to twin boys a few days ago. Mrs. Novak was only 24 years old and left nine children. Mrs. Novak was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wolf of Prague, Neb. Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Warsaw Catholic church.

Mrs. Werner Steinbach.
FREMONT, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—Mrs. Werner Steinbach, who came to America and located on a homestead with her husband in 1870, died at her home in Fremont Monday morning. Mrs. Steinbach was 73 years of age and is survived by a husband and eight children. She was a native of Germany.

HYMENEAL

Weddall-Hindenach.
TECUMSEH, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—Mary Hindenach, daughter of Mrs. Hannah Hindenach, who lives north of Tecumseh, was married to Mr. John H. Weddall, at Washington, Kan., last Wednesday evening. The ceremony was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson. Mrs. Thompson being a sister of the bride, and there were but few relatives in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Weddall will live on a farm south of Washington.

UNRAVELLING AMAZING POISON CASE—New York police are busily engaged unravelling the activities of Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, a surgeon dentist of Grand Rapids, Mich., now under arrest charged with having administered arsenic to his millionaire father-in-law and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Peck, in his apartments on Riverside drive.



Sleet Paralyzes Wire Service in Gage County

BEATRICE, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—The Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph company Saturday night reported that in southeastern Nebraska, where it has 2,700 miles of pole lines and 39,000 miles of wire, more than 1,000 poles were down as a result of the heavy sleet. The damage cannot be estimated at the present time. Between Beatrice and Fairbury sixty poles went down in the afternoon, and the electric line from Holmesville to Beatrice was out of commission. The Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies were also hard hit by the sleet.

Man Supposed Dead Often in Old Home

FREMONT, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—Rex Davis, son of Frank E. Davis, the Fremont who disappeared ten years ago and had not been seen nor heard of since by his relatives and friends here, was in Omaha Sunday for a visit with his father. Mr. Davis, who married the daughter of a Tripp county homesteader while he was holding down a claim in the Rosebud country near Winner to which he secured title, has done much traveling since he left Fremont and frequently met Fremonters who evidently failed to recognize him. He went from Fremont to Minnesota, then to Oklahoma and later to Kansas City.

YOUTH KILLED BY CONTACT WITH LIVE ELECTRIC WIRE

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, March 27.—(Special.)—Dead from contact with an electric wire from the city electric light station, 14-year-old John Rorig was hurled a distance of fifteen feet yesterday.
The boy with other boys was playing near the F street station when he picked up an iron rod and reached up to the electric wire in an effort to pull it down. Forty-four hundred volts of electricity passed through his body, killing him instantly. The power was the main plant had to be shut off before the rod could be taken from the wires.

Brakeman Killed in Yards at Wilber

BEATRICE, Neb., March 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Paul Calland, brakeman on the Burlington freight No. 28, running between Wynome and Lincoln, was injured early this morning while making a coupling in the yards at Wilber, Neb. He died at 8:30 a. m. in a Beatrice hospital. He was 20 years of age and a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Calland of this city.

Commercial Club Elected.

EMERSON, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—The Emerson Commercial club at its last regular meeting elected the following officers for the ensuing year: G. Garhart, president; J. H. Henderson, vice president; E. A. Redwood, secretary; H. H. Stolze, treasurer. The following were elected members of the executive board: George B. Haase, H. J. Lenderink and B. J. McDonald. The chauntauqua proposition was taken up and it was decided that arrangements be perfected for the same.

SOLDIERS' HOME NOTES

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—Chief Engineer Cotton is busy with other men going over the piping with the steam engine.
Mrs. Jackson, who has been in the convalescent hospital practically for the last twelve months, was transferred to the west hospital yesterday on account of her condition.
Mrs. Noyert has improved so much recently that she was transferred from the west hospital to the hospital at Norfolk. J. E. Caldwell has taken a leave of absence for ten days and will visit with friends at Omaha.
Mrs. Kennedy has asked for her discharge. She goes near Hastings to be at the home of her relatives.
Byron A. Haskall, after a year's absence from the home, has returned for a visit.
Franklin Jacoby has returned from a furlough of fifteen days spent in Lincoln with his son and family.
Mrs. Wilson, in the convalescent ward, was taken suddenly ill Thursday and is confined to her bed.

POSTOFFICE AT SUMNER LOOTED BY CRACKSMEN

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Nebraska Expert Finds Most Johnson County Farms Profitable

TECUMSEH, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—During the past year, through the agricultural department of the state university and the United States Department of Agriculture, investigations have been made on thirty-four farms in Johnson county, near Tecumseh, as to the management of the respective places.

The man to have charge of this farm survey was Prof. H. F. Williams of Lincoln. He has probably visited the farmers and gone into detail as to plans of management from every standpoint. Compliments have been made and he has found that generally, farming in this county is a paying proposition. Financially he has found matters to vary from a loss of \$67 to a profit of \$1,721 for the year. In this work Prof. Williams was assisted by Prof. Clarence Weber, instructor in agriculture in the Tecumseh schools.

A meeting has been arranged for Tecumseh for next Saturday afternoon, at which time the work will be reviewed by Prof. Williams and Prof. Weber. The causes that contribute to success, as well as those that tend towards failure, will be set out in detail. Conditions as actually found in the thirty-four instances here will be given for the benefit of the farmers, and others, who are present.

Blue Hill Elects Teachers.

BLUE HILL, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—The Board of Education held a meeting recently and completed the matter of

Sass Accepts Place as Fair Treasurer

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, March 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Secretary William R. Mellor and President J. A. Ollis of the State Fair board went to Seward this morning, accompanied by Jacob Sass, the new treasurer, who has finally been prevailed upon to accept the election as treasurer of the board.
The purpose of the visit is to check up the affairs of the late George F. Dickman, former treasurer, as regards his official connection with the board and to take possession of the property and funds of the association.

FAIRBURY MAY GET NEW PACKING PLANT

FAIRBURY, Neb., March 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Henry Melnecke and son of Tomah, Wis., came here to start a packing plant. A meeting was held tonight to consider the matter. If built it will cost \$250,000.

Short Course at Creighton.

CREIGHTON, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—The second short course in domestic science will be held here in the basement of the Methodist church March 28th and continue four days. Miss Mary Rokahr and Miss Ruth Wilson, of the University of Nebraska, are the state workers.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 50-cent bottle of Dandruff at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After a few applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.—Advertisement.

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Look, Mother! See if tongue is coated, breath hot or stomach sour.

'California Syrup of Figs' can't harm tender stomach, liver, bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her child "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.

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electing teachers for the coming school year. Some of those elected have not yet accepted and there may be a few changes. Superintendent, L. R. Wright; Nell McRee, principal; Anna Baker and Josephine Bohmer, assistants in the high school; Ethel Erwin, Ruth Sampson, Gertrude Goll and Nell Pierce, grade teachers; Almee Arnold, kindergarten.

News Notes of Nebraska.

NIORRARA, Neb., March 27.—(Special.)—Ice in the Missouri river is about all out and the ferry at Running Water is now in operation between Nebraska and South Dakota. The Niobrara ferry, known as the North ferry, will also be put into operation in a few days.
Gilman & Koster, who have been running a small garage on the west end of Main street, have moved into their new building in the heart of the town. The present building will accommodate twenty-five to thirty cars.

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Instant relief with a small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil."

Rheumatism is "pain" only. Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Stop drugging! Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right into your sore, stiff, aching joints, and relief comes instantly. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism liniment, which never disappoints and can not burn the skin.
Lumber up! Quit complaining! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, and in just a moment you'll be free from rheumatic pain, soreness and stiffness. Don't suffer! Relief awaits you. "St. Jacobs Oil" is just as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago, backache, sprains.—Advertisement.

The Low Bid is Not Always the Best Bid

In an Eastern City recently, where a public work was to be performed, competitive bids were received. The highest was \$116,764, the lowest was \$75,404—a big difference—but nothing to be compared to another piece of work on which the high bid was \$633,690 and the lowest \$270,290, a difference of nearly \$400,000.

We have built up an organization which welcomes this form of competition. The bid this company submits to a building customer fixes the lowest figure at which we can handle his building, and handle it as it should be handled. Our figure includes the complete work of designing and erecting a building; instead of only a part of the work, as is ordinarily the case. We, as a financially responsible business institution, guarantee the satisfactory performance of our contract. The price we name at the time of signing a contract is the price you can figure on paying. We are equipped to handle the complete work of designing and erecting:

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