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Porterhouse Steak, native	17c	Omaha	20	Rib Roast, native	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Omaha	15
T-Bone Steak, native	16c	Omaha	18	Shoulder Roast, nat.	10	Omaha	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Sirloin Steak, native	16	Omaha	18	Rump Roast,	10	Omaha	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Round Steak, native	15	Omaha	16	Neck Boil, native	8	Omaha	10
Shoulder Steak, native	11	Omaha	14	Rib Boil, nat.	7	Omaha	8
				Briscut Boil, nat.	5	Om.	6
Veal Steak	17 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>			Pork Chops	15		
Veal Chops	15			Pork Steak, ham	15		
Veal Roast	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>			Pork Steak, shoulder	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
Veal Stew	10			Pork Steak, side	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
Best Ham,	17c	Second-grade Ham,	15c	Sausage,	10c		
Best Bacon,	22c	" Bacon,	17c	Bologna,	8c		
Smoked Shoulders,	13c	Wieners,	10c	Hamburger,	10-12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		

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## ABDEL AZIZ DEFEATED

### Usurper Proclaimed Sultan of Morocco at Tangier.

Desertion of Troops to Standard of Pretender and Betrayal Causes of Sultan's Downfall—Moroccan Mud die Not Over.

The defeat of the sultan of Morocco, Abdel Aziz, by the forces of his brother, Mulai Hafid, has been confirmed. The sultan of record was surprised on the night of Aug. 19, and most of his troops deserted to the side of the usurping sultan after the firing of a few shots. Reports indicate that the defeat of Abdel Aziz was due largely to the betrayal of his own tribesmen. Mulai Hafid has been proclaimed sultan of Morocco at Tangier and announcement of the proclamation has been telegraphed to all parts of the country. All the officials who previously have been under the rule of Abdel Aziz in this city declare that they have accepted Mulai Hafid as their leader, they making him supreme in all the large cities of Morocco.

Details of the battle show that Abdel Aziz had an army numbering the superior of the enemy, but that his artillery either failed to work or was deliberately tampered with. Some of the guns exploded, throwing the tribesmen into a panic. The vast majority of these seized the opportunity to flee during the engagement and general pillage broke out, many of the tribes seeking to carry off as much booty as possible.

Abdel Aziz and his escort retreated in an orderly manner to Setat, his army being pursued by the victorious troops of Mulai Hafid. Abdel Aziz was accompanied in his flight by the grand vizier, the minister of foreign affairs, the French military mission and two British officers.

A Tangier special stated that a British officer and several French officers were missing. It is said the former sultan will proceed to Casablanca, and that he intends to go to Damascus.

### MAIL LOSSES KEPT AT MINIMUM

Wisconsin Nasbys Hear Government Officials in Addresses.

A small per cent of all registered mail handled by the postoffice department is lost from all causes, including unavoidable casualties, such as fire, floods and wrecks. This statement was made by R. B. Mundelle of Washington, assistant superintendent of the division of registered mail and money orders, before the state convention of Wisconsin postmasters.

"That the postal service of the United States is the best in the world was the statement made by J. E. Stuart of Chicago, inspector of the western district of the country. He said the postal service was the most popular department of the government. Its receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, were \$182,585,005, and its employees number 172,000. The amount of loss due to the dishonesty of employees and other causes is so small no other business institution in the world can surpass or equal its record. In Chicago alone the postoffice has received and dispatched as high as \$10,000,000 by registered mail in a single day and not a penny lost. The speaker went into detail in explaining the importance and scheme of the parcels post and postal savings bank systems as recommended by Postmaster General Meyer.

"The parcels post," he said, "enters tremendously into the domestic, commercial and industrial economies of the world. It is a vehicle for the carriage of billions of value annually. Admittedly the United States is far behind in the development and use of this great utility."

### LUSITANIA WINS NEW HONORS

Queen of Seas Lowers Time for Atlantic Course by Three Hours.

The Lusitania finished a sensational run across the Atlantic Thursday night and when the official figures for the trip became available it developed that the big turbine had not only lowered all records for the trans-Atlantic voyage by nearly four hours, but that she also broken three other records. The official timing of the Lusitania placed her off Davini's rock at 11:30 o'clock last Sunday. Steaming abreast of the lightship at 9:30 last night, she had made the passage in just four days and fifteen hours. The best previous record, made by her on Nov. 8 last, was four days, eighteen hours and forty minutes, her new performance lowering the previous mark by three hours and forty minutes.

On the whole trip of 2718 miles the Lusitania made an average speed of 25.95 knots an hour, a new record. The third record broken is that for the greatest day's run—850 knots to noon of the 17th—in which run she also set a new pace in steaming an average of 25.66 knots for the twenty-four hours.

Harriman to Build in Oregon. Harriman will build a road across Oregon and also a road south from the Columbia river, either up the Des Chutes river or a continuation of the Columbia Southern, to a point in central Oregon, where such a road would cut the proposed line running east and west. Mr. Harriman told Governor Chamberlain that construction work across central Oregon would be begun just as soon as a route could be located, which would probably be done during the present week.

### STREET CAR STRIKES AUTO

Six Persons Injured, One Fatally, at Los Angeles.

Six persons were injured, one fatally, when an in-bound Los Angeles-Pacific car struck an automobile at the intersection of Sixteenth street and Western avenue, practically destroying the machine and hurling its six passengers in every direction.

The injured are: Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McKibben, Mr. and Mrs. Corry Hoff, Mrs. Anna Hoff, Pasadena; Sarah Hoff, Pasadena.

Mrs. Anna Hoff is believed to have been the most seriously injured. She had not recovered consciousness several hours after the accident and it is feared that her skull is fractured. Hoff and McKibben escaped with slight injury.

The street car, which was crowded with passengers returning from Venice, caught the machine when it was partly across the track. The tonneau, containing the four women, received the full force of the impact and was torn from the body of the vehicle, the women being flung many feet away. The car was immediately stopped and after the four women, all unconscious, had been lifted aboard a quick run was made to the California hospital, where immediate medical assistance was given the injured.

### TAFT REPLIES TO BRYAN

Says People Have Ruled Through Republican Party.

"The people have ruled through the Republican party." This is W. H. Taft's answer to Mr. Bryan's challenge, "Shall the People Rule?"

The answer was made in an address the Republican presidential candidate made before a gathering of several thousand Virginia Republicans, who came to the mountains to see and hear him and celebrate "Virginia day." To make his point perfectly clear, Mr. Taft referred to the first election of William McKinley as "one of the most intelligent and effective expressions of popular will ever manifested to the world and the maintenance of the gold standard and a protective tariff by his administration was a correct interpretation of the people's will. This was shown to be so," he continued, "by even a greater majority for the party in 1900, and a still greater majority in 1904, when Roosevelt was elected, and," he added, "we may well submit to the country whether his administration has not expressed the will of the people."

### TAFT ON SPRINGFIELD RIOTS

Gives His Views on Race War in Letter to St. Louis Man.

G. W. Sanford of St. Louis has a letter from W. H. Taft, which gives the Republican presidential candidate's views on the recent Springfield, Ill., riots. The letter is in reply to a query addressed by Mr. Sanford to Mr. Taft. It reads: "I have your letter of Aug. 15 in reference to the race riot at Springfield, Ill. Every good citizen in the country must deplore the fiendish work of the disgraceful mob that has brought the city of Springfield to sorrow. Such an outbreak of lawlessness and bitter race prejudice makes the lover of his country sad. It should nerve those in favor of improving the administration of the criminal law to more earnest effort, because I am confident that if all charges of crime were promptly investigated and convicted criminals punished, there would be much less temptation to the formation of such conscienceless and cruel mobs as that which ran riot in Springfield."

### PLAN HAIN'S DEFENSE

Brothers Visited Bayside to Examine Land, Not to Shoot Annis.

Conferences were held by lawyers engaged to defend Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., and his brother, Thornton, to decide upon a plan of defense. After interviewing a number of prospective witnesses, John L. McIntyre announced that he was prepared to prove that the visit of the two brothers to the Bayside Yacht club had not had the murder of William E. Annis as its object. He had several witnesses, he declared, who could testify that Thornton Hains had entered into negotiations to purchase land at Bayside several weeks before the tragedy and he would establish the fact that the Hains brothers had gone to Bayside to examine the estate offered them and not to shoot Annis. Mr. McIntyre announced that the line of defense to be adopted in behalf of Thornton Hains had not been definitely determined. As far as the captain was concerned, insanity would be invoked as an extenuating circumstance.

### AUTO GOES OVER EMBANKMENT

One Man Killed and Two Badly Injured in Accident in Buffalo.

At Buffalo, N. Y., one man was killed and two were injured, one probably fatally, when a speeding automobile dashed over an embankment in Delaware park and into an abandoned stone quarry. James Wayland, a chauffeur, was instantly killed; John Wakefield was fatally injured and James Morrison was seriously hurt. The automobile was reduced to splinters.

### Fourteen-Year-Old Boy Suicides.

Pique because he was refused a trivial request by his parents caused John, the fourteen-year-old son of Mr. Calkins of Ekakaka, Mont., to commit suicide. The boy wished to go fishing with some companions and when his mother said no, he went to his room and put a bullet in his brain with a small rifle he possessed.

# NEWS OF NEBRASKA

### Agitation is Started for a Constitutional Amendment.

Plan to Have Permanent School Fund Invested in Nebraska Bonds—Legislative Records Are Missing—Bad Wreck on the Burlington.

Lincoln, Aug. 25.—The recent publication of figures showing how Nebraska had nearly five million dollars of state money invested in state and county bonds in other states has caused an agitation to be started for a constitutional amendment providing that the permanent school fund may be invested within the state of Nebraska in the future.

One letter has come to the state treasurer suggesting that the attention of the next legislature be brought to the existing condition. The letter, which is written by a North Platte banker, says there are hundreds of school districts and small towns continually selling good bonds in Nebraska, and suggests that the state's money should be available for this purpose.

Several others have taken up the matter and Governor Sheldon probably will be asked to make a recommendation that an amendment be submitted to the people, with a view to making it possible to invest this immense sum in Nebraska bonds and thereby keeping the money at home.

### EQUALIZATION A BIG JOB

Terminal Tax Assessment the Most Troublesome of Any.

Lincoln, Aug. 24.—The state board of equalization met and discussed the equalization of railroad property under the provisions of the terminal tax law.

In the matter of the terminal assessment the board has a big job, as the assessment returned by the county officers varies considerably. Some of the assessors returned the Northwestern property at the figures given them by the road, which were in excess of the value of the property, while others made reductions. This makes it difficult for the board to work out a basis upon which to begin. It is practically settled, however, that every town through which a railroad runs will be the gainer by reason of the operation of the terminal tax law and not one single school district will lose one dollar's worth of railroad property by the operation of the terminal tax law.

### STATE RESTS INJUNCTION CASE

Will Stand on Evidence Presented by Express Company.

Lincoln, Aug. 21.—The state will stand on the evidence already submitted in the injunction case against the Adams Express company. Attorney General Thompson considers that the company itself has presented evidence which is better than anything he can produce. This evidence is an exhibit made by the company, in which is shown a comparative statement of receipts for last year and this year. While it shows a reduction in receipts and an increase in expense, the legal department will contend that it simply shows that the company overcharged the public in June, 1908, when its receipts showed a net earning of 4.1 per cent on its capital stock, or a yearly earning of nearly 50 per cent. The legal department will attempt to show that it was because of this immense earning capacity that the Sibley law was enacted.

### CONFESSES WHOLESALE THEFTS

George Ringer Arrested at Tekamah With Wagonload of Loot.

Tekamah, Neb., Aug. 25.—George Ringer, who is charged with the theft of several hundred dollars' worth of property of various kinds in Burt and Washington counties, is under arrest here. He lives in Bellevue and has been traveling around in a wagon. In his possession the officers found two valuable guns, a valuable microscope, a set of harness, two suit cases full of school books and a large amount of other chattels, all of which he confessed to having stolen at different points on his trip. He pointed out to the sheriff the place where several articles which he had stolen were hidden and they were recovered.

### Legislative Records Missing.

Lincoln, Aug. 25.—The legislative records relative to the passage of a number of bills by the last legislature are missing from the secretary of state's office. The loss was discovered when action was taken by a railroad attorney to secure the record of the passage of the employers' liability law, it being wished to use the record in a damage suit pending in the district courts in Omaha. The railroad attorney called upon the secretary for a certified copy of the records showing the passage of the bill, but nothing could be found to show that the bill had been read a second time. It has been discovered that several other bills are in the same condition.

### Cattle and Horses Killed in Wreck.

Broken Bow, Neb., Aug. 25.—A bad freight wreck occurred on the Burlington ten miles east of here. Eighteen stock cars, carrying 500 head of cattle and horses, were derailed, the cars toppling over. Nearly a hundred horses and cattle were killed and many badly injured. The trainmen escaped.

### GETTING READY FOR STATE FAIR

Finishing Touches Are Being Put on Buildings at Lincoln.

Lincoln, Aug. 24.—The finishing touches are being put on the buildings and drives at the fair grounds for the opening day, which will be next Friday. Not much is expected of the last two days aside from preparations for the following week, when immense crowds are expected. Already much machinery is on the grounds, and the windmills are running merrily while concessionaires are getting their material on the grounds to be ready for business when the big show opens.

The state fair this year will have many new features, and the exhibits will far exceed anything ever before seen on the grounds. Many new buildings have been erected since last year, and people who have visited former fairs will hardly recognize the grounds. The new cattle barn, just west of the race track, is the finest in the west.

One of the things upon which the agricultural department prides itself is the new auditorium. William J. Bryan will dedicate the building Bryan day. Judge Taft will also speak in the building Taft-Omaha day.

The National Corn exposition management will have a space in the agricultural building, where the exposition will be exploited.

### MAYOR DAHLMAN TO THE FORE

Gives Out Platform on Which He Stands in Gubernatorial Fight.

Omaha, Aug. 22.—James C. Dahlman has given out the platform on which he stands in his primary fight for the nomination for governor of Nebraska. He favors taking people into his confidence and exercising the "square deal." He favors strongly a bank deposit guaranty law, which will protect the people and make them independent of the eastern moneyed concerns. He is opposed to county option. He is opposed to it, not particularly because of the effect it might have on the liquor question, but he does not believe any county should exercise the right to veto laws made by a municipality for self-government. He believes the cities and towns of Nebraska have the same right to say what shall govern townships and counties as the counties at large would to dictate the laws of municipalities.

### Charged With Murderous Assault.

Plattsmouth, Neb., Aug. 22.—Joe Keenan and Ed Dowling and three companions are in jail charged with a murderous assault on Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Hill of Omaha, who have been spending some time camping on Cedar creek. It is alleged these five men went to the Hill camp in an intoxicated condition and threatened to kill Hill unless he turned his wife over to them and left them alone. Refusal made it necessary for Hill to defend his camp, but he was beaten into unconsciousness. The men returned late in the night and made threats, but did not carry them out. The men proved to be stone quarry hands and are being held for hearing.

### Boy Hangs Self With Towel.

Stamford, Neb., Aug. 24.—The three-year-old son of the postmaster, who is also the Baptist minister in Long Island Kan., was found dead, hanging in a roller towel. The towel, with the rest of the washing, was hanging on the line. The boy in play, very likely, stuck his head through the loop and twisted himself up to where it began choking him, then in his struggles for breath twisted all the harder. His neck was broken.

### Want Receivership Discontinued.

Holdrege, Neb., Aug. 22.—With a view to saving from the wreck what assets are left in the treasury of the defunct Nebraska Mutual Hail society, twenty-five policy and shareholders have gotten together and will ask to have the receivership discontinued and division made of the money remaining on hand. Of \$4,000 originally in the hands of the receiver, \$2,200 has been paid to attorneys and the receiver.

### County Judges Will Confer.

Hastings, Neb., Aug. 24.—County judges of Nebraska will hold a convention here on Sept. 9 to consider matters of proposed legislation relative to their offices. Arrangements for the meeting were made by a committee of judges in central Nebraska. Just what legislation the judges wish to secure is not announced.

### Rock Island Makes Peace.

Omaha, Aug. 24.—The Omaha Commercial club and the Omaha Grain exchange have issued a joint circular letter to the members of both associations stating that all differences between these bodies and the Rock Island and Frisco systems have been adjusted in a satisfactory manner.

### Peters Defeats Blatherwick.

Omaha, Aug. 22.—Charles S. Peters defeated Dr. Blatherwick of Rock Valley, Ia., in the final round in singles of the middle west tournament. It has been the most successful tourney ever held and has brought fifty Nebraska players to Omaha.

### Letter From the President.

Lincoln, Aug. 22.—Senator Burkett has received a letter from President Roosevelt approving of the senator's action in voting for the emergency currency measure passed by the last session of congress.

### Suicide's Body Eaten by Wolves.

Schuyler, Neb., Aug. 24.—The body of Jaroslav Zrust was found in a cornfield northwest of Schuyler. He had shot himself through the heart. His left arm had been eaten off by wolves.