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### CAUCUS SLATE PUT THROUGH

Senate and House Name Ballinger-  
Pirchot Committee.

Washington, Jan. 21.—The Repub-  
licans mustered their entire party  
strength in the house and forced  
through their caucus program, elim-  
inating Mr. Rainey (Dem., Ill.) from  
the Ballinger-Pirchot investigating  
committee. The vote was 186 ayes,  
145 noes and 18 voting "present."

Representative Currier, chairman of  
the Republican caucus, at once offered  
the names of McCall (Mass.), Olmsted  
(Pa.), Denby (Mich.), Madison (Kan.),  
James (Ky.) and Lloyd (Mo.) as mem-  
bers of the committee, all of them Re-  
publican caucus selections.

The house first voted down an  
amendment offered by Clayton (Dem.,  
Ala.), substituting Rainey for Lloyd,  
who announced he would not serve.

Vice President Sherman announced  
the following as the senate members of  
the Ballinger-Pirchot committee: Sen-  
ators Nelson (Minn.), Flint (Cal.),  
Sutherland (Utah), Root (N. Y.), Re-  
publicans, and Paynter (Ky.) and  
Fletcher (Fla.), Democrats.

### BOARD OF TRADE MEETS.

National Commercial Organization Be-  
gins Session in Washington.

Washington, Jan. 24.—With a pro-  
gram which covers practically every  
important proposition pending before  
congress, the national board of trade  
today began a two days' session in  
this city, this being its fortieth an-  
nual meeting.

The business sessions will be fol-  
lowed by a banquet to be attended by  
President Taft, Secretaries Meyer,  
Wilson and Nagel and prominent rep-  
resentatives of the diplomatic corps  
stationed here. The national board of  
trade is the outgrowth of a commer-  
cial convention which met in Detroit  
in 1865, and now represents all sec-  
tions of the United States.

For the past seventeen years it  
has met annually in the national cap-  
ital. It has initiated much legislation  
now upon the statute books, and it  
was first to advocate a policy for the  
conservation of natural resources by  
the federal government.

### MORSE HAS RENEWED HOPE

Convicted Banker Sees Suitor in  
Heinze Court Decision.

New York, Jan. 24.—A decision by  
Judge Hough, in the United States  
court, quashing the indictment against  
F. Augustus Heinze, financier and pro-  
moter, has given renewed hope to the  
friends and counsel of Charles W.  
Morse, the banker now serving a term  
of fifteen years in the federal prison  
at Atlanta, Ga.

Martin W. Littleton, Morse's lawyer,  
said that the decision may apply equi-  
tably to the case of Mr. Morse and if he  
could establish similar facts he would  
move that no valid indictment was  
found against his client. Heinze was  
indicted on Oct. 21, 1909, for violation  
of the national banking law, but es-  
capes punishment, because the grand  
jury questioned an expert accountant.

### JOHNSON GIVES BAIL

Puglist Faces Charge of Felonious  
Assault on Another Negro.

New York, Jan. 24.—Besides his  
pressing engagement with Jeffries on  
July 4, Jack Johnson entered another  
date in his notebook, this time with  
the grand jury of New York county.  
Johnson was required to put up a  
"forfeit" of \$1,000. When his bail  
was accepted the champion left for  
Montreal.

Felonious assault is charged against  
the champion, who, the complaint re-  
cites, last week swung his right to  
the jaw of an undersized friend of his  
own race and then stepped ungently  
on his fallen friend's face.

### WALSH BEGINS PRISON TERM

Aged Ex-Banker Rests Easily First  
Night in Cell.

Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 20.—On a  
little iron cot in a cell of the federal  
prison here John R. Walsh, who is  
serving a five-year sentence for mis-  
applying the funds of the Chicago Na-  
tional bank, spent his first night in  
the penitentiary.

If the change from a luxurious  
room in his Calumet avenue mansion  
in Chicago to a small barred space  
worked a hardship with the prisoner  
he did not show it by his actions. He  
has accepted his new situation with  
smiling good grace.

### JUDGE L. L. WILLIAMS DEAD

Well Known Lawyer Passes Away  
Suddenly at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Jan. 24.—Louis L. Will-  
iams of Booneville, Mo., former judge  
in Alaska during the Cleveland ad-  
ministration, was found dead in bed at  
the American hotel here. Heart dis-  
ease is given by physicians as the  
cause of death.

Mr. Williams was fifty-six years  
old. He was a brother of Walter Will-  
iams, dean of the Missouri university  
school of journalism, and of William  
L. Williams, former judge of the Mis-  
souri supreme court.

### TRIPLE NEW YORK MURDER

Man and Two Women Slain in Ob-  
scure Flat.

New York, Jan. 21.—Triple murder  
was revealed in an obscure flat in the  
heart of New York's east side. Two  
women and a man are the victims.  
Tagged with silk handkerchiefs—  
their heads crushed, they were left  
bleeding and fully dressed on the floor  
with a whimpering bull terrier as a  
companion. Robbery was the motive  
it is another case of the Black  
D.

## NEBRASKA NEWS

### Whedon Takes Formal Step to Enter Senate Race.

### JUNKIN ACCEPTS THE FILING.

Attorney General is of the Opinion  
That Primary Law Prohibits Nomi-  
nation of Candidates for Senate, but  
Secretary of State Says Names of  
Those Who Pay Fee Will Go on  
Ballot Unless Enjoined.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 24.—Charles O.  
Whedon has filed his application to  
have his name placed on the primary  
election ballot as a candidate for the  
Republican nomination for United  
States senator. Mr. Whedon paid his  
\$50 to the county treasurer and  
brought his receipt to the office of the  
secretary of state. Secretary of State  
Junkin accepted the filing and unless  
someone enjoins him the name will  
go on the ballot to be voted for Aug.  
16, the date of the state primary.

Some time ago Attorney Thomp-  
son gave an off-hand opinion that the  
primary law prohibited the nomination  
of candidates for the senate at the  
coming state primary.

In the law which fixed the filing fee  
to be paid by candidates, the candi-  
date for the senate must pay \$50, so  
Secretary of State Junkin decided that  
he would accept filings from any can-  
didate who produced a receipt showing  
he had paid to a county treasurer the  
\$50 filing fee.

### MAKES MONEY ON HOGS

Thiessen Realizes Profit of \$1,108.41  
on Twenty-two Animals.

Fairbury, Neb., Jan. 24.—A profit  
of \$1,108.41 on twenty-two sows in one  
year seems almost like a fairy tale,  
yet that is a record that Representa-  
tive John P. Thiessen of Jansen is pre-  
pared to substantiate. Mr. Thiessen is  
a methodical farmer and carefully  
keeps a debit and credit account on  
all the stock he handles. Following  
are his figures, which will certainly  
be interesting, at least to those who  
are engaged in the hog business: In  
November, 1908, he bought twenty-two  
old brood sows. He had unusually  
good luck with the offspring of these  
animals, which contributed very mate-  
rially to the profits of the venture.  
In April they had 179 pigs and of these  
153 survived, or an average of nearly  
seven pigs to a sow. Recently he  
shipped a carload containing 102 of  
the young hogs to the St. Joseph mar-  
ket. These hogs weighed on an aver-  
age of 193 1/2 pounds each and brought  
\$8.40 per hundred, or \$1,698.05 over  
and above the cost of transportation  
and other expenses connected with the  
shipment.

### VALUABLE CURIOS BURNED

Relic of Boston Tea Party Destroyed  
at Broken Bow.

Broken Bow, Neb., Jan. 24.—One of  
the finest private stamp and curio col-  
lections in the state was destroyed  
when the court house here burned.  
The collection belonged to Clerk of  
the District Court George Mair, and  
was worth \$1,500. He says he would  
not have taken \$800 for the general  
collection of stamps, as they can never  
be replaced at this late date. Other  
curios that went with the ill fated  
building were valuable Indian relics,  
autograph letters, political badges  
and tickets from the time of Lincoln,  
and the most valuable of all, one of  
the original sheetiron tea chests that  
was dumped into Boston harbor dur-  
ing revolutionary days.

The board of supervisors went into  
session for the purpose of taking im-  
mediate action on a new court house.  
Chairman Morris says the board will  
make a suggestion of a 5-mill levy,  
then put it up to the people of the  
county at a special election. This  
ought to insure about \$35,000, and  
that, together with the insurance,  
would probably build a \$50,000 court  
house.

### Last Chamberlain Case.

Tecumseh, Neb., Jan. 24.—Word  
comes from Beatrice that the case in  
the district court there against  
Charles M. Chamberlain, ex-banker of  
Tecumseh, has been dismissed. This  
is a case wherein Chamberlain is ac-  
cused of having accepted a deposit  
from C. H. Dennis after he knew his  
bank to be insolvent, and is the only  
pending case against the accused.  
County Attorney Lamaster says the  
report is not correct. The charge still  
hangs over Chamberlain and the at-  
torney says it is his present intention  
to prosecute the case. It is reported  
that Chamberlain will locate at Pull-  
man, Wash., where he has employ-  
ment with a collection agency.

### Act as Peacemakers.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 24.—Railway  
Commissioner Clarke has returned  
from Elgin, where he settled a dis-  
pute between the Antelope County  
Telephone company and its patrons  
to the satisfaction of both parties.  
This action saved a hearing and long-  
drawn-out litigation. Commissioner  
Cowgill has also returned from Eastis,  
where he, too, played the part of am-  
pire in a dispute between the owner  
and the patrons of a telephone com-  
pany and got that settled up without  
any hearing or trouble.

### Farmers' Fatal Hurt.

Beatrice, Neb., Jan. 20.—Yates Ad-  
ams, a farmer living south of Pickrell,  
was probably fatally hurt while chop-  
ping wood near his home. A tree fell  
on him, fracturing his skull.

### INSURGENTS HOLD MEETING

Lincoln Attorney Utters Wish That  
Roosevelt was Back in White House.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 22.—Several  
hundred insurgent Republicans from  
nearly all sections of the state, repre-  
senting, as they said, the militant sec-  
tion of the party in Nebraska, held  
their initial rally in Lincoln. In-  
spired originally by a movement in  
opposition to United States Senator  
Elmer J. Burkett, the meeting took  
no formal action antagonistic to the  
senator and the speeches contained  
only mild criticisms of him.

President Taft was declared to be  
the victim of conditions surrounding  
him in congress, but the speakers de-  
clared their faith in the president,  
saying that in the more than three  
years he has yet to serve, there was  
reason to believe he would prove him-  
self true to the cause of the people.

Denunciation of the new tariff law  
was the keynote of the speeches, Sen-  
ator Aldrich and Speaker Cannon  
coming in for the chief criticism.  
Cheers followed the reference to  
former President Roosevelt by City  
Attorney Flansburg of Lincoln, who  
said:

"It would be worth while just now  
to have the African lion hunter in  
the places furnished with the oppor-  
tunity of President Taft. Can anyone  
doubt what would be the outcome of  
Cannonism if President Roosevelt  
were in Washington, armed with his  
big stick? It would be a fight to the  
finish. Cannonism would be beaten to  
a pulp and the champion of the people  
would come out triumphant and ready  
for further controversy."

The other speakers were Mayor  
Love of Lincoln and Attorney General  
F. H. Jackson of Kansas. No resolu-  
tions were adopted.

### INTENSIVE WORK BY FARMERS

Secretary Mellor Says This is Nebras-  
ka's Need.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—At the meet-  
ing of the state board of agriculture  
Secretary W. R. Mellor made his an-  
nual report, in which he reviewed all  
the work done by the association, the  
state farm, the farmers' clubs and all  
associated bodies which have for their  
object the increase in the production  
of the Nebraska farm. At this time,  
Mr. Mellor said, the land of Nebraska  
which is available is practically all  
under cultivation, and for that reason  
it has become a necessity for an in-  
crease in the production per acre. A  
financial report of the state fair shows  
a balance of \$20,000 on hand.

Mr. Mellor recommended that at  
every poor farm in the state there be  
established an experimental farm and  
that the various schools each have at  
least five acres upon which experi-  
ments should be made for the benefit  
of the students. He argued that the  
farmer who is too busy to attend in-  
stitutes or schools of agriculture may  
learn from the boys and girls who get  
their new ideas each day from the  
school farm.

The state board of agriculture elect-  
ed the following officers: O. P. Hen-  
dershot of Hebron, president; I. W.  
Haws of Minden, vice president;  
Charles McLeod of Stanton, second  
vice president; George F. Dickman of  
Seward, treasurer; W. R. Mellor, sec-  
retary.

### SOCIETY FOLK BAR LIQUOR

Omaha Fashionables Refuse to Permit  
Daughters to Attend Wine Dinners.

Omaha, Jan. 24.—Without any at-  
tempt to start a crusade, the Nebras-  
ka temperance lid is being clamped  
down in many places it had been al-  
lowed perfect and unlimited freedom.  
Among the society folk of Omaha it  
has been considered quite the thing to  
give "home" suppers, to which young  
men and women were invited and at  
which champagne and even beer was  
served. However, during the present  
season, a change has come over the  
ideas of a large number of the moth-  
ers and fathers belonging to that set  
that takes pleasure in designating  
itself as the "400."

Time was, and it was not long ago,  
when many of the aristocratic moth-  
ers considered it just the thing to  
have their daughters, when at home  
and entertaining guests, serve cham-  
pagne, beer, and occasionally whisky.

During the last few weeks a decree  
has gone out placing the lid upon the  
drinking of intoxicating liquors. The  
mothers have gone so far as to give  
notice that if liquors are to be served,  
their daughters cannot attend func-  
tions.

### ALLEN WILL HEAD REGENTS

Lincoln Man Elected President by  
University Board.

Lincoln, Jan. 21.—The board of re-  
gents of the state university reorgan-  
ized by the election of C. S. Allen,  
president.

It was voted to approve the recom-  
mendation of the faculty of the agri-  
cultural college that the school of  
agriculture be extended to comprise  
four years' study. Professor F. M.  
Fling was given leave of absence of  
one semester in order to work on his  
"Life of Mirabeau."

The coming summer and semester  
will be spent by Professor Fling in  
France. Professor Guernsey Jones  
was given permission to leave the uni-  
versity June 3 in order to begin re-  
search work for the summer in the  
London archives.

Omaha Workmen to Quit Eating Meat.

Omaha, Jan. 21.—The ranks of the  
army of abstainers from meat eating  
recruits by the action of 500 Omaha  
workmen, who pledged themselves to  
a vegetable diet. The matter was laid  
before the Central Labor union and it  
is expected that several thousand  
workmen will join the army of non-  
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