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SULZER WINNING

Impeachment Trial Evidence Favors Governor; Witnesses Gave Money Freely

SCHIFF GAVE \$2,500

Story of Gifts of \$100,000 Will Be Told to Court—Will Take Several Weeks

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 25—Governor Sulzer's attorneys made the first telling blow to the prosecution in his trial for impeachment yesterday afternoon when Jacob Schiff, prominent New York financial man, who was counted on by the prosecution as being one of their main witnesses, declared that the check for \$2,500 which he gave to Sulzer was to be used in any way Sulzer desired and because the check was marked across its back as being for campaign purposes it was not restricted to that use if Sulzer wanted it for other uses.

BANKERS MEETING

Two Hundred Nebraska Bankers Convene in Annual Session at Lincoln Today

UNVEIL MONUMENT

Oregon Trail Is Marked by a Fitting Marker on Nebraska-Kansas Line

Lincoln, Sept. 25—The Nebraska Bankers' Association assembled at the University Temple this morning for a two days convention. Over two hundred members of the association were present at the opening session and more were expected before the conference closed. S. K. Warrick of Scottsbluff, cashier of the First National Bank of Alliance, is one of the prominent figures of the convention. Mr. Warrick was one of the state bankers recently sent to Washington to confer with the secretary of the treasury regarding the distribution of the \$45,000,000 among the western states for the purpose of moving crops.

NEW YORK PRIEST AND WOMAN HE SLEW



Hans B. Schmidt, assistant priest in St. Joseph's church, New York, confessed to the horrible slaying of Miss Ann Aumuller. Schmidt, in his story to the police, told of how he murdered his victim while she slept, dismembered the body, packed the pieces in bundles and dropped them from the Fort Lee ferry boat. Last February Schmidt obtained a license, performed his own marriage ceremony and set up housekeeping in the Bronx, where he murdered the woman September 2.

HORSES SELLING

First Day of Sale in The Alliance Stock Yards Brings \$11,436.50 —\$57.73 Per Head

BUYERS FROM AFAR

Big Bids Are Made; Average is Low on Account Some Poor Quality Offered

Today is the last regular sale of the season for the Alliance market. These sales, of which there have been several this season, have brought many buyers to Alliance and the Alliance Horse & Mule Company, which handles them, has established a permanent and profitable business. Wednesday, which was the first day of the sale, was cold and chilly, a change from former sales this summer, when the weather was hot. Selling was spirited and brisk. A total of 198 head were sold Tuesday, bringing in a total of \$11,436.50, which is an average of \$57.73 per head. This average is much lower (Continued on page 7...)

GUARD KILLED

Striking Miners Shoot C. F. & I. Guard on Horseback — Flee to the Hills

WILL CALL MILITIA

Governor Issues Warning to Warning Factions—Danger of a Serious Outbreak

Denver, Colo., Sept. 25—Governor Ammons announced this morning that order must be preserved in the coal strike district and that the militia would be called out without delay if rioting started. Trinidad, Sept. 25—The death of Robert Lee, a C. F. & I. camp marshal, has been the cause of much bitter feeling between the strikers and mine guards. The situation is very tense and there is danger of a serious outbreak at this time. The mine officials charge that Lee, who was shot by one of five Greeks who fled to the hills, (Continued on page 7...)

LOST PURSE WITH \$60 \$2,000 IN TOYS COMING

J. F. McGuffey, a telegraph operator of Mullen, Idaho, on the Northern Pacific, lost his pass case in local hotel this morning containing \$60 in currency and two passes. He had left the room with his grips and taken them downstairs. A few minutes later he discovered that his pass case was gone and immediately hurried back to the room which had been left open, but the case was not to be found. Mr. McGuffey believes that he left the case on the

pillow where he placed it when he dressed. One of the passes was a Burlington pass from Billings to Chicago. The other was a Pennsylvania pass from Chicago to McGuffey, Ohio. Both passes were good only until Sept. 30. Mr. McGuffey came in on No. 42 this morning and had intended to get the Burlington pass changed to allow him to go to Chicago via Denver. He will remain in Alliance until the trace of the missing book is found or until he receives other passes and funds from his home.

The Bee Hive, Alliance's leading variety store, has ordered over \$2,000 worth of toys, hand painted china, and holiday goods of all kinds for their Christmas trade this season. Last year this popular store was crowded every day during the buying season and proprietor Kewer is planning on making twice as good as showing as then. Alliance people will have the opportunity of selecting from a stock as large as carried by many of the big city stores at prices that are no higher.

CROPS FALL BELOW AVERAGE

Washington, Sept. 25 — Today's government reports on the world's crops for the year show that the grain crops fell below the average for last year, excepting the production of wheat, which totals five billion bushels. The production of corn for the year is three billion bushels, or 22.4 per cent less than the crop for last year.

TELEPHONE MEN HERE

L. B. Wilson, division commercial superintendent, with headquarters at Omaha, and F. A. May, district commercial manager, of Grand Island, officials of the Nebraska Telephone Company, are in the city today on telephone business, conferring with Manager Tom Beeson.

FIRST GAME OF WORLD'S SERIES AT NEW YORK

Philadelphia, Sept. 25—The first baseball game of the World's series between New York and Philadelphia will be played Wednesday, October 8, at New York City. The games will then alternate between the two cities.

GAMBOA WINS

Mexico City, Sept. 25—The Catholic party convention in this city today nominated Frederico Gamboa, minister of foreign affairs, as the candidate for the presidency at the coming election. General Rascón, an officer in the federal army, was nominated for the vice presidency. The men announced that they had accepted the nominations.

Washington, Sept. 25—It is the opinion of government officials that if Gamboa, the Catholic party candidate in Mexico, was elected, the problem of recognition of the government by the United States would be just as perplexing. He is backed by Huerta and it is believed the conditions would not change much.

Y. M. B. C. TAKES VOTES RECORD BREAKING SALE

Popular Young Men's Club is Making Active Campaign for Stearns-Norton Piano Daylight Store Does Record-Breaking Business on Saturday—Store Was Crowded

The Young Men's Bible Club, which is composed of a number of leading Alliance young men, made the most votes in Wednesday's piano contest at the big double Stearns-Norton sale. The leaders Wednesday were: Y. M. B. C., 1070 votes; Central school, 370 votes; M. E. church, 350 votes. The standing now is: Central school, 3670 votes; M. E. church, 2860 votes; Y. M. B. C., 2820 votes. The young men are making an active campaign and may win the piano, which is to be donated to the Y. M. C. A. when building is constructed.

EAGLES SMOKER POSTPONED

The Eagles' smoker, which was to have been held in the new building this evening, has been postponed for one week on account of being unable to complete the new quarters in time to move in the furniture. By next Thursday everything will have been moved and will be in shipshape form. A big attendance in members is expected to help celebrate the event in a proper and fitting manner.

Mrs. O. E. Williams, wife of Yardmaster Williams, left today for Pacific Junction, Iowa, where she will visit for a short time with her parents.

BIG ENTERTAINMENT MUSIC MONDAY NIGHT

Arrangements have been completed to give the people of Alliance and vicinity a high class entertainment at the Phelan opera house next Monday evening. It will be a treat for lovers of elocution and music. Olive Orton Anderson, graduate of the Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, will give a reading recital, interspersed with vocal and instrumental music by home talent. Mrs. Anderson has attained marked success as an entertainer and instructor, and comes highly recommended.

The county superintendent of Campbell county, Wyo., writes as follows, under date of Sept. 13, 1913: "Mrs. Anderson was engaged as instructor in reading in my institution. She gave an evening recital which was especially fine. Her voice in manner are very pleasing. As a reader I cannot speak too highly of her."

Following are extracts from other commendations: "A very pleasing stage presence, distinct enunciation, an excellent reader, forceful, apt in impersonations." "The readings include the bright, the serious, dialect, impersonations, and readings with musical accompaniment." "The evening's program will include a reading with violin accompaniment; vocal solo, Miss Cornell; piano solo, Miss Hattie Renswold; orchestra music by the Mozart quartet."

The charge for admission is unusually low for the class of entertainment that this will be: adults, 25 cents; all school children, 15 cents. The low price for school children is not limited to those attending school in Alliance or to those attending public schools, and will be given to all pupils without reference to age.

CLAIMS HE HAD A FIT—CHANGES MIND

Marsh Welliver, who was arrested in the post office Wednesday afternoon, charged with drunkenness and indecent language, was fined one dollar and costs in police court this morning. He plead not guilty at first and made the claim that he had a fit when arrested. After consulting an attorney he changed his mind and plead guilty, receiving the above fine.

GIRLS' FOUR SQUARE CLUB

There will be a business meeting of the Girls' Four Square Club, at 7:30, Monday evening, September 29, at the club room. All members are requested to be present.



The prince passed through Alliance a few days ago on his way to Cody, Wyoming, to hunt in company with Col. Cody (Buffalo Bill) in the Big Horn mountains for bear.



SOME OF THE BUYERS AT THE BIG HORSE SALE