

DOINGS AT LINCOLN

Governor of Nebraska Does Not Take Money for Upkeep of Executive Mansion—Pays Own Expenses

(By Herald Correspondent)
Lincoln, Neb., June 30—Assessment returns are beginning to come in at the office of O. E. Bernecker, secretary of the state board of equalization and assessment. Thus far Adams, Box Butte, Chase, Dakota, Dundy, Kearney, Logan and Sioux counties have reported.

Since the state purchased an executive mansion for the governor's residence, some 16 years ago, it has been the rule for each legislature to appropriate a liberal sum for upkeep of the mansion. Governor Morehead vetoed this appropriation two years ago and none was made this year. He has steadfastly refused to accept any "perquisites of office" and lives in the same democratic way that he lived in Falls City prior to becoming chief executive of Nebraska. Rich and poor alike are welcomed at the executive mansion, and neither the governor nor his family "put on airs." They live a quiet, wholesome, democratic and Christian life, which has done much to endear them to the people.

Administration of the new automobile registration law by Secretary of State Charles W. Pool is developing some interesting possibilities. Each automobile owner is required to pay an annual license fee of \$3 to the treasurer of his county. Thirty-five cents of this comes to the state treasurer for use of the secretary of state's automobile department, and the secretary is required to issue a license to the owner and supply him with a number plate.

Secretary Pool estimates that in 1916 he will need at least 70,000 number plates for the year's license. At present he buys plates of a Chicago concern, because no Nebraska institution seems able to produce them. In view of next year's needs, Mr. Pool has asked Hon. Henry Gerdes, one of the board of commissioners for state institution, if it is not possible for the state penitentiary to put in a small enameling plant, punch presses, dies, etc., and make the number plates. Mr. Gerdes was delighted with the idea, and will present it to his board for careful consideration.

The School Apportionment

"The proof of the pudding" runs an old adage, "is in chewing the string." Whether this be true is of small importance, but it is important for the people of Nebraska to know just how well they are served by their chosen public officials. When the daily papers announced that the June school apportionment is away over four hundred thousand dollars, that might not mean much if anything to many, because there was nothing with which to make comparison.

But a different light is thrown on the subject when we learn that the June, 1915, school apportionment under Democratic state government is nearly 35 per cent greater than the largest of five former apportionments—December, 1912, to December, 1914, inclusive; that it is 40 per cent greater than the average of the five; and more than 35 per cent larger than the average June apportionment under Republican rule.

Here are the figures:
December, 1912 \$328,104.48
June, 1913 344,474.11
December, 1913 325,078.24
June, 1914 349,254.56
December, 1914 332,421.62

Five apportionments under Republican rule \$1,679,333.01
Average Republican apportionment 335,866.60
June, 1915 (Democratic) 470,637.04

Increase, 1915 \$134,770.44
Inasmuch as the June apportionment is always somewhat larger than that of December, fairness requires comparison of June with June, as given below:

June, 1913 344,474.11
June, 1914 349,254.56
Average June Republican apportionment 346,864.33
June, 1915 (Democratic) 470,637.04

Increase, 1915 \$123,772.71
This is 35.4 per cent increase over the average for June, 1913, and 1914. Worth considering, isn't it? Credit for this remarkable increase in school funds is due the board of educational lands and funds and especially to State Treasurer G. E. Hall, who has immediate charge of the trust funds, from which most of the income is derived. Democratic government is a financial benefit to the people, as well as morally and otherwise.

State University

Secretary J. S. Dales of the University of Nebraska has in preparation his semi-annual report to the governor, covering the period beginning Dec. 1, 1914, and ending May 31, 1915. This shows a total expenditure of more than three quarters of a million dollars, divided as follows:

EXPENDITURE BY MONTHS
December, 1914 \$147,446.44
January, 1915 56,823.75
February, 1915 84,472.63
March, 1915 135,860.94

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April, 1915 117,913.45
May, 1915 205,224.16

Total \$757,740.47

FUNDS EXPENDED

University cash \$138,252.15
Mill tax 290,438.57
General Fund 59,597.91
U. S. Experiment 22,692.79
Endowment Income 22,641.42
Morrill fund 37,550.00
Special bldg. fund 190,742.29
Smith-Lever 6,804.34

Total \$757,740.47

Among the larger items of expenditure, the following are most prominent:

Agricultural extension \$ 15,799.43
Animal husbandry 7,754.41
Curtis agricultural school 11,762.92
Dairy husbandry 15,190.04
State farm and manage. 6,167.55
Fuel, water and lights. 24,280.54
Hog cholera serum production 40,151.86
Land for campus exten. 188,643.15
Legislative refer. bureau 5,899.53
Omaha medical college. 22,898.10
North Platte substation and dairy equipment. 16,559.73
Printing and postage 8,372.63
Salaries and wages 310,339.47
Scotts Bluff substation. 1,220.58
Text books 6,273.63
Valentine substation 2,787.32

Total \$684,670.89

CHARLES Q. DEFRANCE,
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State House, Lincoln, Nebraska.

GUILTY OF MANY MURDERS

Negro Who Was Hanged at Birmingham, Ala., Last Friday Killed Three at Crawford

Syd Jones, a negro, who was hanged at Birmingham, Ala., last Friday, left a note in his cell in which he confessed thirteen murders. Two of the victims, a Mobile and Ohio brakeman and Crawford deputy marshal, were white men—the others were negroes, Mexicans and Indians. Jones expressed regret that he did not "get" another man he was after, as he said in the note that he wanted to make the total an even number.

The following communication, from Crawford substantiates Jones' story regarding the killing of three men there—one of whom was a deputy marshal:

Syd Jones, the negro who, before being hanged at Birmingham, Alabama, yesterday confessed to killing three men at this place, probably told the truth—in part only. The only instance known where three men were killed at one time was in a riot between the Tenth cavalry, composed of negro soldiers, and local officials, and it is supposed that Jones referred to this slaughtering. The name of one of Jones' victims is given by him as Deputy Sheriff Moseley. One of the officials killed in the riot referred to was Deputy Marshal Art Moss of Crawford. If Jones laid claim to killing the other two men who died suddenly that night, he was engaged in vain glory. As recalled by residents of Crawford, the circumstances were:

At that time the Tenth cavalry was stationed at Fort Robinson. Some of the troopers had a grudge against the Moss boys because of their winning of a race. A few weeks after the race the marshal of Crawford was called out of town and deputized Art Moss, not Moseley, to serve as deputy marshal during his absence.

On a Sunday evening several of the colored troopers were down on the banks of the river drinking. Later they came up town and created a disturbance. The police were called and Deputy Marshal Art Moss responded. While parleying with the soldiers a citizen called out: "Don't let them get the drop on you, Art."

At once the soldiers opened fire, killing Moss. They at once fled. Immediately a crowd of citizens started in pursuit, shooting one of them dead on the reservation near the edge of town. Another of the soldiers took refuge in a barn loft. The citizens dragged him from his hiding place and placed him in jail.

The report came that other colored troopers had secured arms and were coming to shoot up the town, which only infuriated the citizens more.

Fearing a lynching, a guard was sent from Fort Robinson to protect the jail. On their arrival in town the troops formed a guard around the jail. While they were on duty a man by the name of Phil Murphy came running along and turned into the alley leading to the jail guarded by the troopers. He was not aware of their presence and when they called on him to halt it only frightened him the more, as shots had been heard all around the town.

Instead of obeying the command to halt he continued running and the troopers on guard, believing he was making for the jail, opened fire, killing him instantly. He was the third man killed that night. When morning came the intense excitement had somewhat abated and the trooper in jail was finally tried and found guilty and sentenced to the penitentiary. The Syd Jones referred to in the dispatch possibly was in the crowd of colored troopers that killed Art Moss, for the records show a trooper by that name was connected with the Tenth cavalry.

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NEW LANDS OPENED

Secretary of Interior Issues Orders Opening Many Thousands of Acres to Homestead Settlement

Secretary of the Interior Lane has recently made an order which will open to entry on July 10, 1915, under the enlarged homestead act, more than 370,000 acres of nonirrigable land in New Mexico, the greater portion being located in Valencia, Grant and Sierra counties.

The president, on the recommendation of Secretary Lane, recently issued a proclamation excluding approximately 86,630 acres of land from the Santa Barbara National forest, California. This land, which is located in the Los Angeles land district, is a strip thirty miles in length, varying between three and eight miles in width, and comprises what is known as the Santa Clara river and Castale Canyon areas. It consists of open valley, bench land, and rolling hills, and is either barren or covered with brush. The agricultural possibilities thereof are limited because of the lack of water for irrigation and domestic use. It is estimated that about 51,860 acres are public and unwithdrawn, and 640 acres are unsurveyed.

The president has also issued a proclamation excluding 160,235 acres from the Esquel National forest, California. These lands, which are in the Visalia land district, lie along the entire western boundary of the reservation in Fresno and Tulare counties in the foot hills of the Sierra Nevada mountains, and consist of grass and brush covered hills, being chiefly valuable for agriculture and grazing. It is estimated that about 67,930 acres thereof in scattered areas will become subject to settlement and entry under this proclamation, of which 6,470 acres are unsurveyed.

These lands withdrawn from national forests will become subject to settlement under the homestead laws from 9 o'clock a. m., August 11, 1915, until and including September 7, 1915, and thereafter to entry and disposition under the laws applicable thereto.

During the month of May, 1915, Secretary Lane made the first orders designating under the enlarged homestead act lands in Kansas, affecting 240,000 acres. The first large designation of lands in South Dakota was also approved opening to entry 1,634,000 acres of land in that state. Orders of designation in Montana, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oregon, Washington, and Wyoming, affecting about 500,000 acres, were also made, bringing the total area classified during the month up to 2,380,000 acres. The enlarged homestead act has now been extended to about 235,000,000 acres in fourteen western states.

During the month of May, 1915, a number of tracts in Idaho, aggregating about 5,800 acres, were included in reserves as public watering places, because of the value of the lands in controlling the public range through springs and other sources of water for stock situated thereon. Some of these withdrawals were requested by large numbers of local stockmen, who found that their acquisition by private interests might endanger the free use of the public range.

Motorcycles Race to Coast

A coast to coast motorcycle relay will start from New York on July 17, in which 117 riders will participate in carrying a message from President Wilson to San Francisco, says the Omaha Bee. The cross country has been divided into thirty-nine relays, with the approximate distance of ninety miles each. Three riders will take part in each relay. One will be designated to carry the message, and in case of accident to him the second man will continue with the dispatch, and if he is delayed the third rider will take it. The object is to make the fastest possible time across the continent. The route for the dispatch will be through central New York to Chicago, then to Sterling, Ill., over the Lincoln Highway. From there the course will be over the Rock River route to Omaha, then by way of the Lincoln Highway to Ogden, Utah, and by the Overland trail to Reno. From Reno the course will be over the Lincoln Highway by way of Sacramento to San Francisco. The riders through Nebraska have not yet been designated.

The mayor of New York, who went west to shoot bears, did not succeed in catching one. He ought to go back to the Wall Street burg and try his luck, nearer home.

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