

NEBRASKA NEWS NOTES

Ak-Sar-Ben Opened Wednesday.
OMAHA—The first reunion of the 5th Division, A. E. F., a continuous program of horse races including four harness and three running events each day, aerial exhibits by Ruth Law, pyrotechnical displays and varied other amusements are some of the events scheduled for the twenty-seventh annual fall festival of Ak-Sar-Ben which opened Wednesday and will continue for ten days. Railroads leading into Omaha have granted a cent and a half fare rate for the round trip to all visitors and it is anticipated the city will be crowded from the first day until the Festival closes with the Grand Coronation Ball, when "King Ak-Sar-Ben, the 26th," will abdicate and be succeeded by "His Majesty, King Ak-Sar-Ben, the 27th." The 24th Division will hold its reunion, September 19-21, with headquarters at Fort Omaha. This division was originally composed of national guard units of Nebraska, Iowa, South Dakota and Minnesota. About 5,000 of the ex-service men are expected to gather. The feature of the aerial display will be a change from automobile to airplane while the automobile is going at terrific speed around the race track. The Tel Jed Sokal society of Omaha will conduct an athletic exhibition in the city auditorium. The downtown celebration will include a floral parade on the afternoon of September 20 and an electrical pageant portraying the arrival of King Ak-Sar-Ben into the land of Quiver.

Another Snake Story.
AUBURN—Miss Virginia Allor, school teacher, received a severe scare while preparing for her departure for Lincoln, when she opened a drawer to a sideboard to obtain some needed articles and found a huge snake curled up in the corner. She stood terrified while the serpent, which was nearly four feet in length, uncoiled itself, and crawled out of the drawer between her arms. The snake glided across the floor and through an open door, disappearing in the garden.

Ku Klux Klan Growing.
OMAHA—W. H. McElroy, general manager at Atlanta, Ga., after an inspection four of the 24 organized klans in the state last week returned to Omaha and held a conference with local klans Saturday night. He reported more than 500 new members were being initiated into the order each week, necessitating the increase in organizers. He declared that one of the organizers recently was met at the railroad station at Nebraska City, by two men. "We give you until sundown to get out of town," the men said. "I intend to stay until 1 a. m.," the organizer replied, and went to the Grand hotel. After making inquiries he learned the two men had made threats against the organization. Several trips have been made to Nebraska City since, but no trouble has resulted. The New York World, which has been publishing a series of articles regarding the Ku Klux Klan, in its edition Friday printed the names of klans in various realms of the Invisible Empire. For the realm of Nebraska the names of F. E. Maxey, king klansman, Omaha; J. A. Ellerman, klansman, Omaha; and Paul Davis Klansman, York, Neb., appear on the list.

Fortified Melon Patch.
PARKER, S. D.—A "fortified" melon patch is one of the novelties of this vicinity. It is located about seven miles northwest of this city and is owned by the May brothers. The brothers have taken due precautions to protect their property from thieves and vandals by stationing guardsmen about the patch, who take turns at night in watching for the would-be raiders. In the patch is a large tepee, well supplied with home necessities and comforts for sleeping and eating—fitted up for one or more guardsmen. Near the tepee is a tall tower, and upon this tower is mounted a big, glaring spotlight that sweeps the big melon patch and the roads and farms adjoining for a distance of one or more miles. At night, oftentimes, the spotlight sweeps the country, flaring into the windows, lighting up the melon patch, landscape and roads, in search of some daring marauder who has ventured to annex some melons. The guards are well supplied with firearms, and farmers living in this vicinity claim that during the night shots frequently are to be heard, as the guards fire upon some suspicious moving object.

"Short Sports" Panned.
GRAND ISLAND—The board of directors of the Central Nebraska Agricultural association delivered a caustic broadside through the local press Wednesday against the owners of over 500 cars which stopped and blocked Lincoln highway Tuesday night in order to see the fireworks without paying admission fee. "The Battle of Jutland" is being reproduced. The engagement is the most expensive undertaken by the management. On top of this, a heavy windstorm took off the roof of the grandstand. Officers have been put on the half mile of road to "keep 'em moving."

Late Political Dope.
OMAHA—A. J. Weaver of Falls City for governor and Charles H. Sloan of Geneva for United States senator, will be the primary candidates of the reactionary wing of the republican party in the opinion of Omaha republicans who attended various political meetings at Lincoln during state fair week. Jams A. Rodman of Kimball for attorney general, George C. Snow of Chadron for secretary of state, and Ellis E. Good of Peru for state treasurer are other nominees said to be slated for support by the McCloud-Updike faction. Charles McCloud of York, republican state chairman, intends to call a state conference soon at which plans for the 1922 campaign will be made. The lineup mentioned will eliminate Governor S. B. McKelvie and Congressman A. W. Jeffers from the senatorial race, unless one or the other decides to fight both the reactionary

element and the R. B. Howell following. McKelvie will retire to private life and Jeffers run for congress again, according to plans outlined. The Howell faction among the republicans will support Adam McMullen for governor, according to present indications, unless McMullen withdraws to leave Weaver a clear field for the expected battle with Arthur G. Wray of York for the nomination for governor. In that case most of the Howell following will go to Wray.

The Ladies Society of the Baptist church will hold a food and miscellaneous sale at Hirst's Store Saturday, September 17. 83-84

No More Desirable Homestead Lands in Eastern Nebraska

Those who desire to homestead lands in eastern Nebraska have what is described as a poor outlook in that section of the state, all the more desirable lands having been taken up, according to officials of the United States land office at Lincoln, whose jurisdiction is fundamental over lands in the eastern half of the state, in the opinion of these officers, as it indicates that practically all lands worthy of development are occupied. The land office has on file several small tracts that are open to filing, it is stated, mostly from forty to sixty acres. These tracts are not of the choice variety, however. This feature forbids the average homesteader from considering them, it is pointed out, because the improvements in most cases would entail the expenditure of large sums of money. "What tracts of Nebraska lands in the eastern part of the state are open for entry are small and in isolated spots," officials of the land office declare. "Such is not the condition in other parts of the state, especially the western, where there are hundreds of acres for registry, but the lands are not of sufficient class to induce homesteaders." Land offices in two or three towns in the western part of the state control homestead lands in their area it is explained. The land office at Lincoln is more concerned with the settling of disputes and contests arising from lands already filed upon than with new openings, officials state. Many such cases are now pending, it was said, especially along the Missouri and other river lands. "Several tracts have been filed upon by two or more parties, one party claiming the boundary lines at one place and the other at another," officials say. "In some instances crops are in dispute. The exact status of many tracts are not definitely known to us, especially along the rivers."

THE CONSIDERATE LIONS.

Teacher—You remember the story of Daniel in the lions' den, Robbie?
 Robbie—"Yes, ma'am."
 Teacher—"What lesson do we learn from it?"
 Robbie—"That we shouldn't eat everything we see."
 This yarn is reminiscent of the tale of the little boy who stood before a painting depicting the casting of the Christians into the lions' den. He broke into tears. "Darling, you are sorry for the Christians, aren't you?" gurgled his mother, who was tremendously proud of the exhibition of sentiment by her son. "No," sobbed the boy, "there's one poor lion without any Christian to eat."

OPEN AND ABOVEBOARD.

"Johnnie, the stork has brought you a baby sister."
 "Aw, g'wan. Stork nothin'. It was the milkman brought it. Doesn't it say on the wagon, 'Families Supplied Daily'?"—Fort Mason Marking Pot.

An expedition bound for Baffin's Land is carrying an outfit to use in showing moving pictures to the Eskimos. A picture of a bathing beach on a hot day ought to interest them.

Get Wise

Just to prove to your own satisfaction that there is a difference between the Model Cleaners and Tailors service and the kind you get most places, just call phone 18 and we will call for your garment. A fair trial will cost little but the superior workmanship and the low price will wise you up a whole lot.

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The Burlington Is Adding Many Men To Its Shop Force

The Burlington is putting on about 500 new men in shops on the lines west of the Missouri river, according to the office of the superintendent of motive power at Lincoln, says The Star. There will be 150 locomotive mechanics, 150 car men and necessary helpers for both. Most of the locomotive mechanics are at the Havelock shops. The Burlington railroad has the past week been greatly increasing its shop forces at Havelock, Alliance and Edgmont, S. D., in order to take care of increased traffic due to the increased grain movement, it became known Thursday. A report that fifty men had recently been added to the Havelock shop force was confirmed with the statement of officials that the number here was probably far in excess of that figure. It is reported that seventy new men have been taken on at Alliance, Neb. and at Edgmont, S. D. At the office of the superintendent of motive power it was stated that the shop forces were increased recently, but no figures had been compiled to show the exact number of men added. Two weeks ago, announcement was made that the Burlington in all departments had taken on 150 new men in the Nebraska district.

WANTED—500 pairs of shoes, to be repaired Monday, September 19. R. & B. Shoe Repair Shop, Under Alliance National Bank.

TOO MUCH KINDNESS.

Be kind to the hornet; be kind to the fly;
 Be kind to the ant that creeps into your pie.
 When a reckless mosquito comes buzzing, keep cool;
 Be patient in all your remarks to a mule.
 Don't cherish a grudge toward a mouse or a rat.
 Be gentle unto the vociferous cat.
 Be kind to the weasel; be kind to the bear;
 To the chicken hawk fierce and the lynx in his hair.
 If I've got to be kind to all these, I will say,
 I'll never get into the S. P. C. A.
 —Philander Johnson in the Washington Star.

Nebraska City Press: The only man who never amounts to anything is the man who is never criticised. He isn't important enough to be noticed; therefore he is not subjected to criticism or ridicule. The greatest man the world ever produced, the most patient man the world ever produced, the most sagacious man the world ever knew, was crucified after he had been criticised. He was criticised because he accomplished something. If you do anything worth while, anything that is out of the ordinary, you may expect to be objected to. If you are worth a cent you won't object to the criticism and it will not deter you in the least from doing what you have set out to do.

Again it has become necessary to warn consumers of illicit whisky that wood alcohol causes blindness. A new generation of experimenters in wood alcohol seems to arise every few months.



NO DINNER BELL so YOU'LL NEED MY MAN WHEN THIS CHOICE MEAT IS IN THE PAN

If you buy meats at this store you won't need the "tinkle tinkle" of the dinner bell to let folks know that dinner's ready. And you'd better keep the kitchen door shut, too, or they will all want to help you cook it.

- SPRING CHICKENS, dressed per lb. 35c
- BACON, per lb. 28c
- MORRIS, Supreme Bacon, whole or half, per lb. 38c
- POT ROAST, per lb. 15c
- ROUND STEAK, per lb. 28c
- SIRLOIN STEAK, per lb. 28c
- PORK CHOPS, lb. 28c
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Misses' half 1.00	Youth's half75
Youth's half90	Men's Wingfoot rubber75
Child's half75	Women's rubber50
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