

THE O'NEILL FRONTIER

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YNEILL, NEBRASKA

Many persons who think their sight perfect have a greater visual power in one eye than in the other.

Colchester derives so much pecuniary benefit and celebrity through its oyster fishery that its mayor and corporation have been appointed guardians of the industry.

As if the millions of evils from which the Brahmin community is suffering are not sufficient, a new evil of a very formidable and demoralizing character, in the form of varadachanna (bridegroom's price), has appeared among us.

The army of Monaco comprises seventy-five carabinieri, the same number of guards and twenty firemen.

Sven Hedin, the Swedish explorer, has recently written to King Oscar, describing the desert region of Kafir, which is English and Russian.

It looks as though spelling reform were really being introduced in France, to make certain changes compulsory in all its schools.

The Real Ice Skating company that has been formed in Melbourne for the purpose of providing for the amusement of skaters has a double purpose in view in going to the expense it has done in providing the plant and building.

That high collars tend to produce nervous headaches among both men and women is the most recent discovery of a well known Viennese physician.

The St. John's ambulance association has placed a number of first aid cabinets in the streets of Leicester, England.

The general prosperity of New Zealand is remarkable. Of a population of a little less than 1,000,000, one-third have money in the savings banks.

The curious piglike animal known as the babrussa has most remarkable tusks, which are preplexed all students of animal life.

It is stated that nearly 8,000 school gardens exist in Austria, not including the sister kingdom of Hungary.

For nearly half a century after the first permanent settlements were made in Ohio that commonwealth, always opposed politically to slavery, was exclusively tolerant of the presence of the slaves from states where slavery existed.

During the Esperantist conference at Geneva, Switzerland, a Protestant service was conducted in the new language and the first Protestant sermon was preached in Esperanto.

As a specimen of the "badinage" in the Victorian (Australian) assembly, the London Mail gives the following:

In the village of Grazie, near Mantua, one of the present pope's brothers dees duty as a postman.

During the Esperanto conference at land wireless messages sent out from the Marconi station at Peldhu, Cornwall, to passing ships received also at the wireless station on the summit of the St. Gotthard, in Switzerland.

NOVELTIES IN THE NEWS.

Paris—Since women's gowns have come to express the emotions of their wearers, it is not good form to use the old crude names in describing their colors.

Washington, D. C.—If congress will consent to it, Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief chemist of the department of agriculture, will inaugurate a series of experiments to determine the effect of alcohol on the human stomach.

Chicago—Students of the University of Chicago living at Snell hall, one of the principal dormitories of the institution, are in a state of revolt over the fact that W. Woodward, a negro student from New Jersey, has been quartered in the hall without their consent.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.—The \$50,000 church built largely with the money that Joseph Murgas has made from his wireless telegraphy invention was dedicated Sunday.

Long Beach, Miss.—Rufus Williams, a prosperous farmer, in the midst of a period of religious exaltation following a "holiness" camp meeting, and after sustaining serious losses from the recent hurricane, lost his mind and concluded he was an angel.

Atlantic City.—Doctors in the little city of Pleasantville, who have been worried over the appearance of a new affection similar to strychnin in horses, and causing the natives to use an abnormally high tread, have diagnosed the new "disease" as "third rail high speed."

Pittsburg, Pa.—Thirty caddies employed by members of the Beaver Valley Country club, at Beaver Falls, went on strike just as the members were about to start matched play for more pay.

Philadelphia, Pa.—John Reagan has received a letter for which he had been anxiously waiting for more than six years. It was from a man living at Carlisle, on the northern coast of England.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—Henry H. Howard, a lawyer of this place, widely known in Oklahoma for his opposition to railroads, has been arrested by the federal freight rate charges, got judgment lately for 25 cents and costs against the Rock Island railroad company.

New York.—"Good for you. I want to congratulate you and recommend your attitude to every other woman whose husband beats her," Recorder Hyman Lazarus said in the Bayonne, (N. J.), police court to Mrs. Barbara Peregri, who was arraigned on the charge of assaulting her husband.

Portland.—Uncle Nathan Moore, Maine's oldest hunter, is dead in Moscow, Somerset county, at the age of 85. For seventy years Uncle Nathan had been a hunter and guide.

Baltimore, Md.—Frederick Moore was tried before Judge Harlan without a jury today on the charge of causing the death of Charles Jubb and sentenced to a fine of \$1, but, after a moment's consideration, the judge reduced it to 10 cents, without costs.

Paducah, Ky.—As the result of a practical joke in attempting to play the role of a growling wolf, on a colored tenant on his farm on the Mayfield road, Richard Bell, a dairyman, is confined to his bed with a load of squirrel shot in his back.

Lancaster.—To "spite" Geo. Wilhelm, of Lüttich, for refusing to help him over some financial difficulty, Conrad Tanner, of Ashland, Lancaster county, committed suicide during the night by hanging to the bedpost in Wilhelm's bedroom.

Denver, Col.—The latest departure in railroading is being planned by the Colorado Midland. The trains will be equipped with orchestras in parlor observation cars.

Sheldon, Vt.—An unknown burglar who was shot and killed a year ago while trying to enter Jenkinson & Gallup's store here had \$118.50 in his pockets.

Emporia, Kan.—In one of twenty-six divorce cases here one woman claimed her husband took their baby outdoors in the winter, and pinned him to the clothes line with colicaps, keeping the mother away with a club.

Toledo, O.—Lewis A. Geisler, of Paulding, a senior at Ohio Wesleyan university at Delaware, and right end of the varsity football team, fell dead of heart disease on the field yesterday after running down a punt.

Winsted, Conn.—Mrs. Rosella S. Adams is suing Horace O. Adams for divorce and incidentally, for \$10,000 alimony.

Youngstown, O.—Marsilla Delira won a dollar on a bet that he could drink a quart of whiskey, but died within an hour.

Manila.—It has been learned that Sergeant Taylor was crazed by liquor when he killed Lieutenant Robert B. Calvert, of the Twenty-fourth Infantry. Lieutenant Calvert was Taylor's commanding officer. Lieutenant Calvert died instantly.

DESIRE TO SMOKE LEADS TO CAPTURE

John Kelly, Who Broke Jail at Onawa, Is Captured Near Oakland.

JAILED ON OLD CHARGE

Is Held at Ponca for Cutting a Companion—Has Unfinished Jail Sentence Hanging Over Him in Iowa.

Oakland, Neb., Oct. 24.—John Kelly, who broke out of the Monona county jail at Onawa a couple of weeks ago, was captured this morning at daylight four and one-half miles north of this place by Sheriff Phipps, of Burt county, Neb., and Sheriff Maskell, of Dixon county, Neb., and was taken to Ponca and placed in the jail there, where he will be held for trial.

Kelly, in company with a man by the name of Williams, both charged with assault to commit great bodily harm and serving a sentence of one year in the county jail at Onawa, broke out a short time ago, but Williams was soon captured near Newcastle, this state, and returned to jail. Kelly has been at liberty since. He once served time in the jail at Parker, S. D., for complicity in a cutting scrape and the sheriff there learned of his fondness for "Old Star" tobacco, and so when a man visited a local store Saturday and inquired for that particular brand of tobacco, was suspected that he was the much wanted criminal.

MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC LIGHTING.

Grand Island Will Have Its Plant Working by Christmas.

Grand Island, Neb., Oct. 24.—The Grand Island Gas company, having also electrical machinery, has since the voters carried the municipal lighting plant bonds and construction is well under way, offered its entire electric pole line to the city and the deal has just been consummated.

TO RAZE OLD LAND MARK.

Fremont, Neb., Oct. 24.—The old building which has been standing on Fourth street, near Main, for the last three weeks, will be torn down today. It has made things interesting for the mayor and street committee for the most of that time.

PIONEER DOCTOR DIES.

Oakland, Neb., Oct. 24.—Dr. Thomas W. Leeper, of this city, died at the home of James Kiskiw here at 3 o'clock yesterday, after a long illness of tuberculosis of the throat.

STORM MOVING EAST.

Snow and Sleet Storms are Prevailing in the Western Part of Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 24.—All trains from the west were late yesterday many hours on account of the snow and sleet storms in Nebraska, Kansas and Colorado. The storm was responsible for a freight wreck on the Burlington near Hemingford. No one was injured, but traffic was blocked.

WAS LEPER MURDERED?

Unfortunate Whom People Wanted to Be Rid Of Is Cremated.

Clarksburg, W. Va., Oct. 24.—The body of George Raschid, the Syrian leper, was cremated in a shocking manner at Pickens.

CANS WILL COST MORE.

Advance in Price of Raw Material Puts Product Up 25 Per Cent.

New York, Oct. 24.—The American Can company has made a substantial advance in prices of most of its products because of the advance in raw material. The announcement is made on the authority of a representative of the corporation printed in the Journal of Commerce today.

EAGLE WORSTED IN DUEL

Feathered King Invades Hastings Hen Coop and Attacks Farmer. Hastings, Neb., Oct. 19.—The first American eagle ever killed in Hastings was shot by L. A. Meyer at his home.

SWITCHMAN KILLED AT OMAHA.

Jerk of Train Throws Him from Top of a Car.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 19.—Thomas J. Troup, of Council Bluffs, a switchman for the Chicago Great Western railroad, was almost instantly killed in South Omaha Monday afternoon.

PLUNGES HEADLONG TO DEATH.

Fremont Man Falls From Roof of High Building and Is Killed. Fremont, Neb., Oct. 19.—Before a crowd of people who had been attracted by his strange actions, Pleasant Richardson plunged headlong from the top of a saloon and was crushed to death on the stone pavement.

DENTISTS ARE THE VICTIMS.

Robbers Break Into Fremont Offices and Steal Gold Fillings.

Fremont, Neb., Oct. 19.—The dental office of Dr. A. E. Littlechild, in the Fremont and Merchants' bank block, was burglarized Monday night and \$100 worth of gold stolen.

IN ROLE OF MRS. O'LEARY'S COW.

Hen Sets Fire in Omaha by Picking Matches. Omaha, Neb., Oct. 19.—It is supposed by the firemen that a hen pecked matches lying on the floor of the barn at 2717 North Twenty-eighth avenue, causing a large blaze Monday forenoon.

PROTEST TREATY.

Representatives Petition Waterways Commission Not to Make Treaty With Canada.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—Representatives of various civic bodies in the city and of the drainage board appeared before the international waterways' commission today to protest against the proposed treaty between the United States and Canada which is expected to restrict the flow of water through the drainage canal.

HAD SOLDIERS' CLAIMS.

Manuel Silveira Declared Not to Have Been in Plot.

New York, Oct. 19.—Manuel Silveira, the Cuban agent whose disappearance it was alleged had precipitated the failure of De Balleos & Co., bankers of this city and Havana, Cuba, has no part in financing the Cuban revolution, according to Captain Cook, Captain Cook came to this city in the capacity of counsel for the Cuban revolutionary party.

BLAZON INSIGNIA NO MORE

Yale Secret Society Men to Stop Wearing Badges Publicly. New Haven, Conn., Oct. 22.—An ancient custom today disappeared at Yale when the exclusive senior societies stopped wearing their pins displayed.

WHOLE FRENCH MINISTRY RESIGNS IN A BODY

Resignation of Premier Sarrien Causes Surrender of Portfolios by Remainder of Cabinet.

Paris, Oct. 22.—Premier Sarrien officially informed his colleagues this morning that he had transmitted his resignation to the president whereupon the ministers resigned in a body.

MEMBERS OF FIRE AND POLICE BOARDS TRIED

Governor Mickey Hears Arguments in Celebrated Case From Omaha.

SCENE IS DRAMATIC ONE

Action Arouses Temper of One Board Member, Who Declares He Would Like to Fight a Duel to Clear Character.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 22.—The members of the Omaha board of fire and police commissioners, W. J. Broatch, Lea Spratlan, J. W. Thomas and Dr. George Miller, were tried before Governor Mickey late yesterday afternoon on charges of misconduct in office and failure and refusal to perform their duty, preferred against them by the Civic federation.

At the conclusion of the hearing Governor Mickey announced that he would take the matter under advisement. His decision is expected in a week or ten days.

Circumstances attending the trial indicate that a compromise may be effected, whereby the members of the commission will retain their seats but enforce the Sunday closing provision of the Slocum liquor law.

For a time toward the latter part of the trial the scene became animated when Dr. Miller and W. J. Broatch made personal remarks to what they took in the charges to be personal attacks upon their character.

Would Fight Duel.

"If the days of duelling were in force, I would dare any man in this room to bring a charge against me which would tend to blacken my character," vociferated Mr. Broatch, with flashing eyes, as he scanned the faces of the attorneys and members of the Civic federation who were in the room.

These declarations were made after Governor Mickey had announced the hearing at an end. The governor and Attorney T. J. Mahoney reassured Mr. Broatch that there was nothing personal in the charges.

Delivers Impassioned Speech.

Some time before Dr. Miller interrupted the hearing with an impassioned speech, in which he resented what he termed an attack upon his character. Miller's voice trembled and his whole frame shook with fervor as he declared himself.

Attorney General's Opinion.

At the conclusion of his argument, Governor Mickey read an opinion of Norris Brown, attorney general of Nebraska, which sustained the position of Attorney Mahoney.

"It will be seen that the duty of enforcing the law in cities of the metropolitan class is lodged with the mayor and fire and police board, of which the mayor is ex-officio member. Such board appoints the chief of police, who has supervision and control of the police force of the city, subject to the orders of the mayor and fire and police commissioners.

Therefore, if the law against the sale of liquor on Sunday is not enforced, the board of fire and police commissioners who are given authority to appoint, supervise and direct the chief of police and the police force of the city, are responsible; such non-enforcement of law on the part of the board of fire and police commissioners would, in our opinion, constitute 'neglect of duty,' and would authorize you to remove them from office."

He Heads Nebraska Republican Ticket

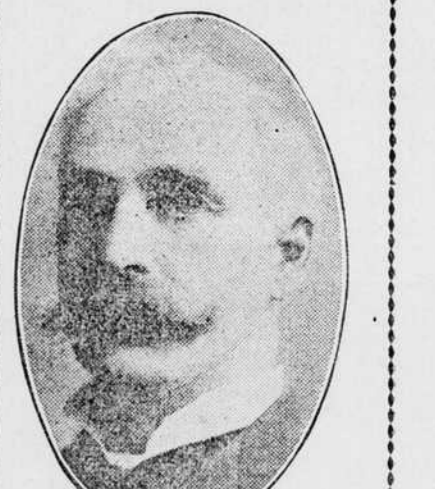


GEORGE L. SHELDON, Republican Candidate for Governor.

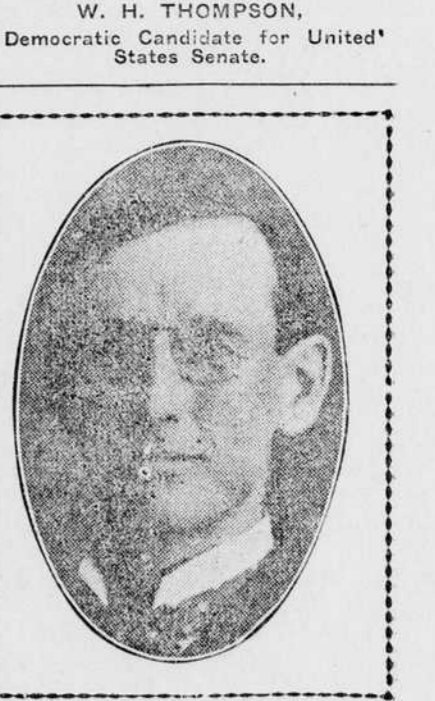
He Heads Nebraska Democratic Ticket



A. C. SHALLENBERGER, Democratic Candidate for Governor.



W. H. THOMPSON, Democratic Candidate for United States Senate.



J. F. BOYD, NELIGH, Republican Congressional Candidate, Third District.

NOVELTIES IN THE NEWS.

Waterbury, Conn.—Fred Fish, a Southington iceman, grew tired of his old gray mare and made a bargain with a peddler to take her for \$15.

New York, N. Y.—Bloodgood H. Cutter's treasure chest was searched and much silverware of value and many securities also of value were found.

Altoona, Pa.—Suspended by his foot between the ties of a railroad bridge, William R. Carter was found early.

Cleveland, O.—The wolf at the door, and longing for more comfort, caused Gertrude Ward, aged 17, pretty and ambitious, to take her life by drinking carbolic acid yesterday at Randall.