

# THE O'NEILL FRONTIER

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WNEILL, NEBRASKA

According to customs of just a few years ago farmers in this country quit work as soon as the cotton was plucked and did nothing until about the first of March...

Wassily Safonoff, the Russian conductor, is prouder of his eight children than of all his achievements in the realm of music.

Since 1870 there have been but six seasons when the Mississippi did not freeze over, these being the years 1873, 1875, 1882, 1891, 1902 and 1906.

If Paris had its brigands, as they are found in some southern isles, they would have had a chance for a splendid exploit the other day when a procession of three wagons was quietly winding its way from the Gare Saint Lazare to a bank near the boulevards.

There is now being built at Juvisy, in the outskirts of Paris, a station which it is believed will when finished be the largest in the world.

A new application of the motor cycle to military circles has been invented in Austria. In concerns the quick laying of telephone and telegraph wires.

During the twelve months ending June 30, 1905, fourteen persons were killed and forty injured from British steam plant accidents.

In proof of the assertion made by the German authorities that all is well in Morocco, an officer of the recent Moroccan expedition to Fez tells how in the heart of Morocco he had met an English woman touring alone.

Three notebooks which formerly belonged to Shelley, the poet, containing an autograph manuscript, a considerable portion of which has been published, were sold in London not long ago for \$15,000.

The statement has been made that a mouse average from twenty to thirty years of life and dogs from twelve to fourteen years.

Diseases among children—especially sore throat and bad eyes—caused through dust raised by motor cars, are now more prevalent than in former times.

"No more trading stamps," is the slogan of a campaign which English grocers are carrying on. One of them, whose shop is in East London says: "There has been a 22 per cent increase in England who come in to average profit, and the cost of trading stamps leaves him only 6 1/2 per cent."

The state of Washington produced 10,500,000 shingles in 1905, a record year, or 6 1/2 per cent of the total output of the United States.

Ramon Pina, the new Spanish minister to the United States, is 47 years old, and has been in the Spanish diplomatic service since he was 22 years old.

Disappearing paper is a novelty for use by those whose correspondents forget to burn the letters after their utility has ceased.

## NEBRASKA SOLONS

Proceedings of the Week in Brief in Both Houses of the Legislature.

### WEDNESDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 30.—The joint committee on the railroad commission has agreed upon a method of procedure that has for its first object the speedy trial of all rate cases.

This is a new procedure in rate cases, and prevents any holding up of a rate until after the equities have been fully determined.

### THURSDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 31.—The bill to abolish capital punishment in Nebraska was favorably recommended in the house.

Rising to a question of personal privilege, Senator Wisney denounced as a kind of asking the parties that the joint committee has been prodded into action.

### FRIDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 1.—The house judiciary committee introduced an anti-bill today. It provides that paid agents of corporations and others classed as lobbyists may talk with members prior to the introduction of bills in which they are interested.

### HARRIMAN SORE ON UNCLE SAM, RETALIATES

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 31.—The Omaha Union Pacific and Northwestern railroads have refused to make any special rates for a government shipment of soldiers en route to the Philippines.

### LOVE IS TRUE BUT SHE ASKS DIVORCE

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 5.—"I think just as much of him today as I ever did and we could live happily if it wasn't for outside interference."

### MISSISSIPPI LEVEE BREAKS

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 4.—Many persons are moving from their homes in the northern part of the city as the result of a break in the protection levee.

## WHAT THE PRIMARY LAW WILL CONTAIN

Nebraska Measure Which Will Likely Be Enacted Is Outlined.

### INCLUDES U. S. SENATORS

Everybody on the Ticket Gets a Top Place Here or There—Filing Fees to Be Required of Candidates.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 5.—The Dodge primary election bill, the essential feature of which are in accord with the platform pledged and regarded as likely to be incorporated into the primary law that will be passed by this legislature, provides:

For a primary to be held at the regular polling places on Tuesday, nine weeks preceding the general election in November, for the nomination of all candidates to be voted for at that election and United States senator, which day shall also be the first day for the registration of voters where registration is required.

Nominations are to be made by duly signed petition filed thirty days before the primary.

Provision is made for filing and publication of names of all candidates. Separate party tickets are to be printed, uniform in size and color and modeled after the Australian ballot, in which the offices to be filled are placed in the usual order of importance.

### SOUTH DAKOTA IN GRIP OF BLIZZARD

Pierre, S. D., Feb. 4.—A severe cold wave, accompanied by a high northwest wind and drifting snow, prevailed here last night.

### SNOW AND WIND AT HURON

Huron, S. D., Feb. 4.—A wind and snow storm set in from the northwest yesterday afternoon, developing into one of the severest experienced in several years.

### FLOOD VICTIMS DANCE TO KEEP UP THEIR SPIRITS

Carmi, Ill., Feb. 4.—Cut off from the world by the flood, and the coal supply limited, the people here are suffering in sure to result unless relief can be gotten in this week.

### RUSSIA DEPARTS FROM MANCHURIA

St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—The Russian evacuation of Manchuria began today with the departure of the Moscow regiment.

## ARRESTED FOR ELOPING WITH HIS OWN WIFE

But W. F. Graham, of Lincoln, Proves He Is Not the Man the Police Are After.

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### TEACHER HOLDS JOB BY APPLYING TO THE COURT

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 4.—Miss Jennie Fitzgerald, a spinster of 45, teacher in a country school in the southern part of the county, has secured an injunction restraining the county superintendent from revoking her license to teach and the school board of her district from interfering with her in the conduct of her school.

The teacher and the patrons appeared before the superintendent with a lawyer each, but the hearing had not proceeded far when the teacher declared she would not get an impartial trial there, and had her attorney take the matter into court.

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## FROST THROWS CAR INTO STORE, 1 DEAD

Slipping Omaha RAILS Cause a Wreck That Floods Several Streets.

### TWELVE PERSONS HURT

Telephone Withstands Several Well Directed Bunts From the Car and Then Yields—Hydrant Smashed.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 2.—A street car on South Sixteenth street this morning got away from the motorman's control, tore at lightning speed down the steep hill, left the tracks at the corner of Pierce street and wrecked a drug store.

Of a dozen passengers on board none escaped entirely with out injury. Sam Thomas, a teamster, employed by the Baum Iron company, was killed outright and Otto Selgren, motorman, suffered a severe scalp wound.

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Another provision that every insurance company shall be paid a salary in excess of \$50,000 a year. If it persists in doing so it shall be denied the right to do business in the state.

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## FORMER RESTRICTIONS NOW LOOK LIBERAL

Liquor Lobby at Lincoln Is Trying to Save the Old Law.

### EFFORT SEEMS HOPELESS

Already the Senate Has Passed Three Bills Requiring Publicity and Bona-Fide Transaction in Dealing in Intoxicants.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 1.—The tamesiest men about the Nebraska legislature this year are those representing the liquor interests.

Usually the liquor lobby is asking some amendment of the Slocumb license law, which will make it easier for them to sell their stuff, but this year it says the Slocumb law is the most complete and satisfactory law that could be devised, and urging that it be kept intact.

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### MONEY MARKET

New York, Feb. 4.—Money easy. Prime mercantile paper 5 1/2@6 1/2 per cent.