

# State Fair

is the next thing on the program. Everybody is going they say. Are you? If so, we want to dress you up proper for the occasion. There's no better county in the state than Cass county—there should be no better dressed people than Cass county people.

Here is a Special State Fair Offer:—

- 1 fine all wool blue serge suit.....\$12.50
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- 1 cream Soisette shirt, military collar..... 1.00
- 1 silk 4-in-hand tie..... .50
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### NOTICE.

In County Court.

STATE OF NEBRASKA.

County of Cass, ss.

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles G. Backemeyer, Deceased.

To All Persons Interested:

You are hereby notified that there has been filed in this court the report of the executor, together with his petition for final settlement of above estate, praying therein that his accounts as filed be approved and allowed and that he be discharged as said executor and that distribution of the residue of said estate be made to those entitled thereto.

That a hearing will be had upon said report and petition before this court at the Court House in the City of Plattsmouth, in said County, on the 12th day of September, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m.

All objections, if any, must be filed on or before said day and hour of hearing.

Witness my hand and the seal of the County Court of said County this 19th day of August, 1912. (Seal) ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.

### Stephen Cecil Improving.

Stephen Cecil, one of the old settlers in this vicinity, has been suffering from a complication of diseases since the last of May and has been incapacitated from doing his usual work at the Burlington shops during the almost three months since. His friends have been pleased at the improvement made in his condition within the past week or so.

"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulets relieved and strengthened the bowels so that they have been regular ever since."—E. Davis, Grocer, Sulphur Springs, Texas.

## DECIDE YOURSELF

The Opportunity Is Here, Backed by Plattsmouth Testimony.

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Read Plattsmouth endorsement. Read the statements of Plattsmouth citizens.

And decide for yourself.

Here is one case of it: Herman Tiekoefer, contractor, Ninth and Day streets, Plattsmouth, Neb., says: "I gave a public statement in praise of Doan's Kidney Pills in 1906, after they had given me great relief from backache and lameness. I am glad to confirm all I then said. My trouble has never returned. My kidneys caused me much trouble and there was a dull, tired feeling across my loins. If I stooped or straightened, my back hurt me and in the morning I was all tired out. I heard so much said about Doan's Kidney Pills that I finally got a box. They promptly relieved every symptom of my complaint."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Mr. W. S. Gunsalus, a farmer, living near Fleming, Pa., says he has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy that he has found it to be an excellent remedy, and takes pleasure in recommending it. For sale by F. G. Fricke & Co.

WANTED—A place for P. H. S. girl to stay for company or work for board. Address Box 51 A, Cedar Creek, Neb. 8-26-21wly

## FUNERAL OF GENERAL BOOTH

Thirty-four Thousand People Participate in Ceremonies.

### ARMY FLAG MUCH IN EVIDENCE

Protestant and Jewish Churches Were Well Represented in Gathering—Fervor Takes Place of Pomp in the Functions.

London, Aug. 29.—Funeral services for the founder of the Salvation Army, General William Booth, were held at Olympia hall. In accordance with the traditions of the organization they were without pomp or symbols of mourning, but were carried out with moving fervor and impressiveness.

Thirty-four thousand persons participated in the functions. Nearly half of them wore blue coats and red jerseys, or bonnets with the red ribbon, so familiar on the streets of the cities of the world where the army is established.

The body of the late general, in a plain pine coffin, rested high upon a white catafalque in front of the big platform across the end of the hall, where all the chief officers of the organization were seated and where forty bands of music were massed.

The crimson flag of the army of "fire and blood," which the general unfurled on Mount Calvary, was planted above the coffin. A bank of flowers, composed of the tributes sent by members of royalty and many societies, were behind it.

The front row of chairs before the coffin were filled with representatives of various bodies and also the equester for the king, several mayors in their robes and chains of office, a delegation from the Stock exchange, ministers and clergymen of all the Protestant churches and Jewish rabbis and many notable personages were seated throughout the house.

But the rank and file of the great gathering was composed of the plain people, for whom the army works and of whom it is composed.

The service itself was not only a memorial, but a mammoth meeting of prayer and praise.

### LUMBER DEALERS UNETHICAL

Evidence Given in Seattle Includes Correspondence.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 29.—Evidence purporting to show how lumber manufacturers and wholesalers were kept informed as to what retailers in the middle west were considered "unethical" and what firms were supplying them with lumber was introduced at the hearing of the government's antitrust suit against the Northwestern Lumbermen's association.

F. D. Becker of Seattle, secretary of the Pacific Coast Shippers' association, identified on the witness stand much correspondence that passed between him and Willard G. Hollis of Minneapolis, secretary of the Northwestern Lumbermen's association, and A. L. Porter of Spokane, secretary of the Western Retail Lumbermen's association.

Through this correspondence, which told of the shipment by various manufacturers and wholesalers on the coast of lumber to unethical dealers and mail order houses in the middle west, the government sought to show that a complete line of communication was maintained between Mr. Hollis and Mr. Porter and the manufacturers. Shippers on the coast, it was brought out, were regularly advised by Mr. Becker through circular letters of the standing of the retailers in the middle west. Copies of these circulars were introduced as evidence and were identified by Mr. Becker.

Selling directly to a consumer brought about the ruin of the Western Washington Lumber company, which once did a thriving business in the middle west, according to the testimony of M. Elias.

### Wild Ducks Clog Elevator Chute.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 29.—A peculiar occurrence is reported from Hutchinson county. John Wagner, a member of a threshing crew at work on the Rudonner farm, hauled a load of grain into the yard and had started to put it into an elevator when he discovered that the elevator did not work properly. An investigation disclosed that the elevator had been clogged by wild ducks, which during the night came to the elevator to feed on grain and had been elevated without notice in such numbers as to clog the piping.

### Indicted Officers Surrender.

New York, Aug. 29.—William H. Cooper, a former vice president of the Seigel-Cooper company and ex-president of the New York Central Realty company, and Ernest Sharp, an officer of the realty company, who were indicted by the federal grand jury recently, charged with using the mails to defraud, surrendered themselves and were released on bail.

### Borden Defies Suffragettes.

London, Aug. 29.—The Canadian premier, Robert L. Borden, when he again faced the suffragettes told them emphatically he had no power to introduce a general measure of suffrage for women in the Dominion of Canada and that no threats of the employment of militant methods would have any influence on him.

## GEORGE R. SHELDON.

Treasurer of Republican National Committee, Who Is In Charge of Funds.



Photo by American Press Association.

Mr. Sheldon was treasurer of the Republican national committee in 1908 and is continued in that position for this campaign.

## CLOUDBURST WIPES OUT OHIO TOWN

Every Building in Lebanon Submerged to Upper Stories.

Dayton, O., Aug. 29.—A cloudburst is reported to have wiped out the village of Lebanon, county seat of Warren county. Houses that remain standing are flooded to the upper stories and thousands of dollars' damage is reported to have been done to growing crops. No loss of life thus far has been reported.

Communication by telephone and telegraph has been destroyed, but riders have related the story of the disaster to nearby villages.

Whole blocks are under water. Nearly every house and business block in the town is submerged. Lebanon has a population of 2,068, according to the last census.

### New American Cardinal.

Paris, Aug. 29.—The papal secretary is to create a new American cardinal, who is to reside in Rome, according to a special dispatch received here. The American cardinal will occupy a similar position to that of the prelates representing France and Spain in Rome.

### Eight Alleged Bribe-Takers Winners.

Detroit, Aug. 29.—Results from forty-nine counties give Amos S. Musselman of Grand Rapids 3,488 majority over his opponent, Fred C. Martindale, for the Republican nomination for governor. Eight Detroit aldermen of the eighteen under arrest for bribery were re-nominated.

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League.	
At Chicago:	R.H.E.
Chicago.....40000010	—5 7 1
St. Louis.....10000002	—4 9 3
Lavender-Archer; Sallee-Wingo.	
American League.	
At Washington:	R.H.E.
St. Louis.....00200010	—3 4 2
Washington.....01100000	—2 7 2
Powell-Kriebell; Johnson-Ainsmith.	
At New York—First game:	R.H.E.
Cleveland.....00100001	—2 7 1
New York.....10001110	—4 9 0
Kaler-Carlach; Warhop-Street.	
Second game:	R.H.E.
Cleveland.....10000021	—6 10 1
New York.....00000100	—3 8 4
Gregg-O'Neil; Caldwell-Street.	
At Boston—First game:	R.H.E.
Boston.....10220000	—5 4 4
Chicago.....00100200	—3 8 5
O'Brien-Carrigan; Benz-Schalk.	
Second game:	R.H.E.
Boston.....00030000	—3 7 0
Chicago.....00000000	—0 6 0
Wood-Cady; Taylor-Kuhn.	
At Philadelphia:	R.H.E.
Detroit.....02002001	—5 11 2
Philadelphia.....01200000	—3 8 3
Willett-Stanage; Houck-Lapp.	
Western League.	
At Sioux City:	R.H.E.
Sioux City.....00202000	—9 7 3
Omaha.....01110000	—4 10 6
White-Cadman; Robinson-Johnson.	
At Des Moines—First game:	R.H.E.
Des Moines.....00000110	—2 4 2
St. Joseph.....10000000	—1 6 2
Sweet-Hanson; Johnson-Gosssett.	
Second game:	R.H.E.
Des Moines.....00000000	—0 6 0
St. Joseph.....00020000	—2 8 1
Rogge-McGraw; Thomas-Griffith.	
At Wichita:	R.H.E.
Lincoln.....01000010	—3 9 2
Wichita.....01000000	—1 5 3
Hagerman-Carney; Scott-Wacob.	
At Topeka:	R.H.E.
Topeka.....00000000	—0 8 2
Denver.....10011000	—3 9 1
Coburn-Billings; Harris-Spahr.	

## HELD FOR KILLING HER HUSBAND

Coroner's Jury Finds Mrs. Maloney Fired Fatal Shot.

### FATHER O'NEIL ON THE STAND

Tells of Numerous Acts Indicating Woman's Unbalanced Mind—Waited Before Giving the Alarm After Crime—Quarrel Before Shooting.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Aug. 29.—The testimony of Rev. Father O'Neil, her pastor, Mrs. Z. L. Jones, her neighbor, aided by that of police officers and others, fully established the fact in the minds of the members of the coroner's jury that Mrs. Katherine Maloney fired the shot that killed her husband, Michael Maloney, at their home here. They returned a verdict to this effect at the inquest conducted by Justice Joseph.

Father O'Neil was the first witness. He said that he had known Mrs. Maloney for twelve years. He told of numerous acts that indicated the unbalanced condition of her mind and recounted several instances where she had told him of her intention to kill her husband.

Evidence of a violent quarrel preceding the shooting was given by Mrs. Jones. She said it was between twenty and thirty minutes after the shooting before Mrs. Maloney came out of the house and called for help.

Mrs. Maloney's condition became so serious that it was necessary to remove her from the city jail to St. Bernard's hospital, where she will probably be held until after the grand jury meets on Sept. 20, if she is not sooner brought before the insanity commissioners.

### FIRST SCHOOL PROBLEM

Commission Holds Opening Session of Conference at Capitol.

Des Moines, Aug. 29.—The school patrons of New Providence appealed to the better Iowa school commission, in session at the state house, to assist them in securing a township high school under the new school law in face of strenuous local opposition and a technicality in the law which forbids financial support unless all independent districts are under township consolidation.

These school patrons want a township high school to replace an academy, which they have supported as an ecclesiastical educational institution. The relief which they ask can only come through an amendment to the present township high school law, say the petitioners, and they ask that the commission, which was created by the Iowa Teachers' association a year ago, secure this desired change in the law at the next session of the general assembly.

### Crop Expert Bias Now in Davenport.

Davenport, Ia., Aug. 29.—G. R. Bliss of the agricultural extension department of Ames college has arrived in Davenport to take up his work as crop expert for Scott county. He will devote all his time hereafter to advising farmers regarding agricultural matters and to introducing new crops and new methods. He will have an office at the Davenport Commercial club, where he will spend a part of his time, the remainder being devoted to visiting farms throughout the county.

### Growing Demand for Short Course.

Des Moines, Aug. 29.—Exceeding all past demands for short courses, twenty-three such courses were arranged for at the regular meeting of the short course representatives at the state fair for next winter. The demand has been so great that but one more week can be booked. A number of shorter courses will be arranged for by the Ames agricultural extension department, however, and many more counties can be accommodated this way.

### Urges Farmers to Organize.

Des Moines, Aug. 29.—The farmers need organization more than they need legislative representation, according to Professor B. C. Hubbard of Ames, who spoke at the college building at the state fair. The speaker urged that the farmers organize granges, and in this way suitable legislation can be secured, as it has been done in New York and Michigan.

### Creston School Wrecked by Storm.

Creston, Ia., Aug. 29.—A small cyclone, but of terrific force while it lasted, did several thousand dollars' damage here. Half of the high school building was wrecked and the roof smashed. Windows were broken in many sections of the city and trees were uprooted and torn down. One large barn west of town was destroyed.

### Iowa Friends in Yearly Session.

Oskaloosa, Ia., Aug. 29.—The yearly meeting of Iowa Friends was organized on a working basis. Fourteen quarterly meetings, representing a membership of 13,000 Quakers, responded to roll call. Stephen J. Hadley of Oskaloosa is presiding and Cora Mattison of Oskaloosa is secretary of the sessions.

### Arrested for Murder.

Vinton, Ia., Aug. 29.—Sheriff Wyckoff arrested Roy Pierce for the murder of H. C. Knutz, a local liverman, on the night of Nov. 15, last year.

## STOCK YARDS NOT TO BLAME

South Omaha Concern Cleared of Discrimination Charge.

### COMPLAINT FILED BY SHIPPERS

Railway Commission Investigates Sale of Hay—Rate Complaint is Dismissed—Rooms for State Fair Visitors—Phone Companies Object.

Lincoln, Aug. 29.—A complaint was filed some time ago with the railway commission by stock shippers that the South Omaha Stock Yards company was discriminating in the sale of hay, claiming that a better grade of hay was furnished occasional shippers. An investigation disclosed the fact that the men who shipped occasionally generally got rid of their stock as soon as possible after arriving at the market and therefore bought hay that they could get the quickest, while the regular shippers were generally on the ground and watched for the opportunity to buy the best. The stock yards company was in no way to blame for this condition.

### Rate Complaint Dismissed.

The state railway commission has dismissed the complaint made by the Grand Island Commercial club against the rates on freight maintained by the Union Pacific railway and the St. Joseph and Grand Island railway from Omaha to Grand Island and from Grand Island to several stations. On account of the mix-up on rates interstate, the commission claims that they were unable at this time to make any decision because of the case on the Sanborn decision now before the United States supreme court, consequently the matter will have to stand as it is pending the action of the court, when it may be taken up again.

### Court House Bonds.

The attorney general's office received a communication from J. A. Singham, an attorney at Tekamah, asking for the amount of bonds which had been issued by the counties of the state for the building of court houses since the state was organized. The amount runs up to something over \$3,500,000. The county of which Tekamah is the capital is considering the matter of building a court house. An attempt to vote bonds has been made several times, but on account of Oakland, Lyons and Tekamah all three having designs on being the county seat, the bonds have never carried.

### Rooms for Fair Visitors.

Three thousand rooms have been reserved for state fair visitors by Secretary Whitten of the Lincoln Commercial club. In addition to these are the hotels and rooming houses so that there is no excuse for anyone being without good sleeping accommodations during the fair. The fact that a large number of state fair visitors are going to camp out on the grounds reserved by the state fair management for that purpose will also tend to help a great deal on the room proposition. Those attending the fair may insure themselves rooms by writing Secretary Whitten in advance stating what they want.

### Platinum Stolen From Hansen's Office.

When Chief Chemist Redfern of the pure food commission entered his office at the state house he discovered that the drawer containing the supply of platinum had been rifled and about \$250 worth taken. A man claiming to be a friend of Food Commissioner Hansen came to the state house and notified one of the janitors that he had lost a diamond earlier in the day while shown through the food commissioner's office. A search was made for the diamond, and while the janitor was in another part of the office it is supposed the suspect helped himself.

### Phone Companies Object.

The Kloppling Telephone exchange of Wynot, in Cedar county; the Coleridge Telephone company, the Farm and Home Telephone company of Napier, the Hazard Telephone company, the Garfield Mutual company of Burwell and the City Mutual company of Humboldt have refused to comply with the physical valuation law and have been notified by Attorney General Martin to get busy and complete reports or stand prosecution.

### Deficiency at Beatrice.

Land Commissioner Cowles is of the opinion that the Beatrice institute will have a deficiency of nearly \$20,000 this year. This is caused in a considerable degree by the typhoid epidemic which prevailed last year and again this year, which made fearful inroads on the funds of the institution. There are about 400 inmates of the institution housed in seven buildings.

### Thomas Has Offer of Arkansas Place.

Lincoln, Aug. 29.—Professor A. O. Thomas, head of the Kearney state normal school of this state, will today be formally tendered the chancellorship of the Arkansas state university. The salary paid by the state to Dr. Thomas as superintendent of the Kearney normal is \$3,000, while that paid by the state of Arkansas to its chancellor is \$7,000.

### Madison Votes Sewer Bonds.

Madison, Neb., Aug. 29.—After a spirited contest sewer bonds in the sum of \$16,000 were carried in this city by a majority of 96.



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