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J. L. Creamer, the cream man, who was here for a time with a cream station, departed for his home at Lawrence City early last week.

M. G. Keedy and family, of Beatrice, were visiting for the day last Sunday at the home of A. H. Ward and family, Mrs. Keedy and Mr. Ward being brother and sister.

Miss Blanch Berryman, a chum of Katherine Neitzel, spent the week end at L. Neitzel's and left on last Sunday for Lincoln, where she is employed in Bailey's Sanitarium.

Lacey McDonald and the family were in Lincoln on Tuesday of last week, where they were visiting with friends as well as looking after some business matters for a short time.

A letter from W. O. Gillespie that was written on last Monday, tells of their leaving Billings, Montana, en route to Yellowstone park, where they were expecting to spend some time.

Loyal Miller, the genial and affable clerk at the McDonald pharmacy here, has purchased himself an accordion, and with it he and Lester Thimman are able to make merry music.

Mrs. O. J. Hitchcock and son, Jackie, spent two days at L. Neitzel's, putting up cherries. Mr. Hitchcock motored over from Havelock and took his family home Tuesday evening.

Joe and F. R. Guthmann and Douglas Toel were over to Louisville on last Tuesday, where they were enjoying a few hours fishing and as well a short time swimming in the lakes at Meadow.

John Gakemeier has purchased for himself and the family one of the latest of the Model A Universal drab blue touring sedans and is finding it the car which they have been wanting for some time.

Miss Marie Ostblom, who has been visiting for some time with friends in Lincoln, and where she enjoyed the visit very much, returned home the latter portion of last week, being well pleased with her visit.

Turner Zink and Edwin McHugh were over to Lincoln at the dedication of the Seidlers air port one day last week and also both had a ride in one of the air boats, which proved a very exhilarating experience.

Last Wednesday A. J. Toel, Lacey McDonald, Chester Mooney and Harry W. McDonald were over to Louisville where they were, as Art Toel says, "fishing." We are also hoping that they caught some.

Paul Schewe was a visitor in Plattsmouth on last Wednesday, driving over in his car and was accompanied by Mrs. Schewe. While in the city, Mr. Schewe filed for nomination on the democratic ticket for state representative.

On last Thursday Postmaster L. B. Corthey and the family were over to Weeping Water where they enjoyed the band concert, attended the McOwen tent show and at the same time visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Jones and wife.

Cecil Rueter, while at play, fell, striking his head against a stone, from which he received a severe cut on his scalp. The doctor dressed the wound and the little fellow is getting along nicely. Cecil is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rueter.

Julius Reinke while working in the sweet corn patch on last Saturday was overcome with the excessive heat, and was not feeling very well for a number of days. However, during the following week he was some better and able to be around again.

Uncle Henry Bergman has been sick for a time and during which his friends have been anxious about his welfare. He is getting along nicely at this time and hopes to be out again soon. While he has been ill, Nels Peterson has been looking after the affairs at the service station.

A. H. Ward was a visitor in Omaha on last Tuesday, where he went for a consignment of the celebrated high grade gas which he sells. He

is kept busy most of the time with the hauling and delivery of gasoline. The same is true with Charles Schaffer, they both being kept busy, as this season of the year is the gas dealer's harvest time.

**Golden Wedding Anniversary**  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gakemeier will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary at the Trinity Lutheran church north of Murdock at 3:00 o'clock p. m., Sunday, July 6th, 1930. They will have open house at their home from 7 to 9.

**Jolly Chefs Hold Meeting**  
The Jolly Chefs cooking club of Murdock met in the school house on June 8th.

Lesson III was read and discussed. At roll call instead of saying present, each one gave the number of recipes they had tried.

Ruth Bornemeier, the vice president, took charge because of the president's absence.

Twelve members and one visitor were present.—Club Reporter.

**Visited Ak-Sar-Ben Den**  
A number of the young men of Murdock were over to Omaha one day last week, where they enjoyed a visit at the den of the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben and were shown the mysteries of the degree, which they are only too well pleased to confer on candidates.

Following the ceremonies the boys were visiting Hanscomb park. Those from here who went to Omaha to attend the ceremonies were Noble Buel, Joe and J. F. Guthmann, Kermit and Kenneth Richardson and Charles Zaar.

**Are on Vacation**  
Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Lee and their little son departed for a trip which will continue until July 10th. They went via Kansas City, where they have friends whom they will visit and later will also visit at St. Louis, ultimately going to Chicago where they will be guests of other relatives for a short time.

**Reports Much Rain in West**  
Early last week J. Johansen was out in the western portion of the state, where he took a tractor for J. V. Stradley to a customer who had recently purchased the same through Mr. Stradley. He found a portion of the way dry and good roads while at other places along the way the roads were very soft and muddy. He reports the condition of crops out there was just about the same as here, with the possible exception of small grain which appears to be a little better than in this vicinity. Western Nebraska wheat has a good prospect of producing a bumper yield this year.

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**Up and At It Again**  
S. P. Leis, who has been so seriously ill for the past month, is reported as being some better and when his friend, A. H. Ward, visited him, Steve put up his dukies, saying "Did I not tell you that I was a good man?"

The many friends of Mr. Leis are pleased that he is able to be up again and hope that soon he will be down town and meeting his many friends again, as well as ever.

**Bible Gardens (Continued)**  
III—The Home Life of Our First Parents: In their daily life, they found great joy and pleasure. Their greatest joy was to please God, who had prepared such a beautiful home for them. It was their delight to keep it so. Hence they were kept busy in trimming the trees and shrubs and keeping the paths clean; and when Adam came to the arbor, tired and hungry, he found Eve awaiting him with a smile and kiss, the meal all ready, and during the meal they would tell each other their experiences; what a pleasure it had

been for Eve to watch the swans on the river, in their graceful movements, and what capers the monkeys had cut, and how badly the lion had reached in with his trunk and had taken the fruit she had prepared for the meal.

Adam told her an experience he had with a shark, while taking a bath in the river. This monster had found great delight in taking hold of one of his feet and would not let go, and out of pure joy pulled him under the water until he was almost drowned, when a crocodile came along and pinched the shark's tail and he let go his foot.

Then, as the shades of night settled over the Garden and a cool breeze fanned their temples, their friend and benefactor would visit them and they would talk over the day's work and they would tell God what joy and pleasure they had had and how grateful they were for their beautiful home and God would tell them how pleased he was, and assured them if they would always be so faithful and obedient and diligent, greater joys and pleasure would be theirs some day for they should sometime share His heavenly home with him; while here was their time of probation and all depended upon their obedience with his request not to eat of the tree of knowledge.

But both assured God that such a thought would never enter their mind. We will see what happened. (Continued next week).

**Confirmation Reunion**  
On Sunday, June 22, the congregation of the Trinity Lutheran church held for the first time since its organization, a confirmation reunion. This reunion included all confirmations since the year 1894. During these 26 years there were 207 people confirmed and of these, 104 were present at the reunion services.

Members of the various classes came from all parts of the state and two from out of the state. Rev. E. Peters from Canon City, Colorado, and Mrs. Frank Hart from Red Oak, Iowa, besides the class members, many visitors attended, there being about 300 people present.

The pastor of the congregation, Rev. G. A. Zoch, delivered an address in the American language. His text was chosen from Luke 17:17. "Were there not ten cleansed? But where are the nine?" These words can well be applied to the former class members, reminding each individual of his confirmation vow made years ago at that altar before God.

Following the address by Rev. Zoch, the octette rendered the selection, "Abide with Me," after which Rev. J. W. Peters, of Wisner, the former pastor of the congregation, delivered an address in the German language. He spoke on the words taken from Jude 1:20: "Build up yourselves on your most Holy faith."

At noon a joint dinner was served by the ladies of the congregation, to all present. Services were again held in the afternoon, commemorating the quadricentennial of the Augsburg's Confession, which all Lutherans this year are celebrating. These services were conducted by the Rev. H. Moeltinger, of Papillion.

The entire day proved to be a real success and it is hoped that an occasion similar to this one will again be held some time in the future.

**GOVERNOR NOT IN CONTEST**  
St. Paul—Governor Christianson formally announced in a statement Thursday that he has abandoned a proposal to contest the victory of United States Senator Thomas D. Schall for the republican nomination for United States senator in the June 16 primary. The governor, beaten by more than 90,000 votes, said lack of funds was the reason for not filing suit.

Without referring directly to Senator Schall, the governor charged untruthful statements were made against him in the recent campaign and that he would have appreciated an opportunity to refute them in a court action. He estimated that such proceedings would require more than \$5,000 and that as a result of inability to raise this amount among friends, he had dropped any plan for a contest.

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**WILL VISIT IN KANSAS**  
From Saturday's Daily—  
Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Rhodes motored to Washington, Kansas, early this morning, where they will visit Mr. Rhodes' parents and sister, Mrs. Charles Henson who is visiting there at the present time, her home being in Colorado. Mrs. McFarland and daughter Isabelle, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes, Washington being her former home before she moved here.

Have you seen the large display of Fireworks, Firecrackers, Toy Pistols, Torpedoes, etc., at Bates Book Store?

## WILL CLOSE DANCES

From Saturday's Daily—

With the dance last week at the Eagles hall the dancing season at that place will be closed, the Eagles deciding to discontinue the dances during the heated period of the summer, but will probably resume these pleasant social events in the fall and continue them through the winter.

The Eagles have had a very pleasing success with their Saturday dances for the past season and the events have been most popular among the dance lovers of the city and with large numbers in attendance. The Harmony Boys orchestra, one of the best known in this section, has furnished the music for the winter and spring program of dances for the Eagles. Those who enjoy dancing will anxiously await the opening of the season again in the fall.

**RECEIVES ROAD MAP**  
The office of the president of the Chamber of Commerce has received a new map from the state department of public works, showing all of the highways of the state, corrected for the week ending July 3rd. The map also has the new Missouri river bridge shown as one of the main lines of travel through the central section of the west. The map can be found at Weasott's store.

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**NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that the Bank of Eagle, a banking corporation, of Eagle, Nebraska, at a special meeting of the stockholders on the 27th day of March, 1929 amended its Articles of Incorporation to extend the corporate existence until May 29, 1930, and also amended its Articles of Incorporation to provide for a Board of not less than three nor more than fifteen members, otherwise the Articles of Incorporation heretofore adopted remain the same.

**BANK OF EAGLE**  
of Eagle, Nebraska.  
By—  
Sterling F. Mutz,  
Its Attorney.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
The State of Nebraska, Cass county, ss.  
In the matter of the Estate of Frank Prince, deceased.  
To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified that I will sit at the County Court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 25th day of July, 1930, and on the 27th day of October, 1930, at 10 o'clock a. m., of each day, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is three months from the 25th day of July, A. D. 1930, and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 25th day of July, 1930.

Witness my hand and the seal of said County Court this 27th day of June, 1930.  
A. H. DUXBURY,  
County Judge.

**NOTICE OF HEARING**  
on Petition for Determination of Heirship  
Estate of Deborah Burdick, deceased, in the County Court of Cass county, Nebraska.  
The State of Nebraska, To all persons interested in said estate, creditors and heirs take notice, that John E. Burdick, son of said deceased and interested in the same, has filed his petition alleging that Deborah Burdick died intestate in Cass county, Nebraska, on or about January 20th, 1922, being a resident and inhabitant of Cass county, Nebraska, and died seized of the following described real estate, to-wit:

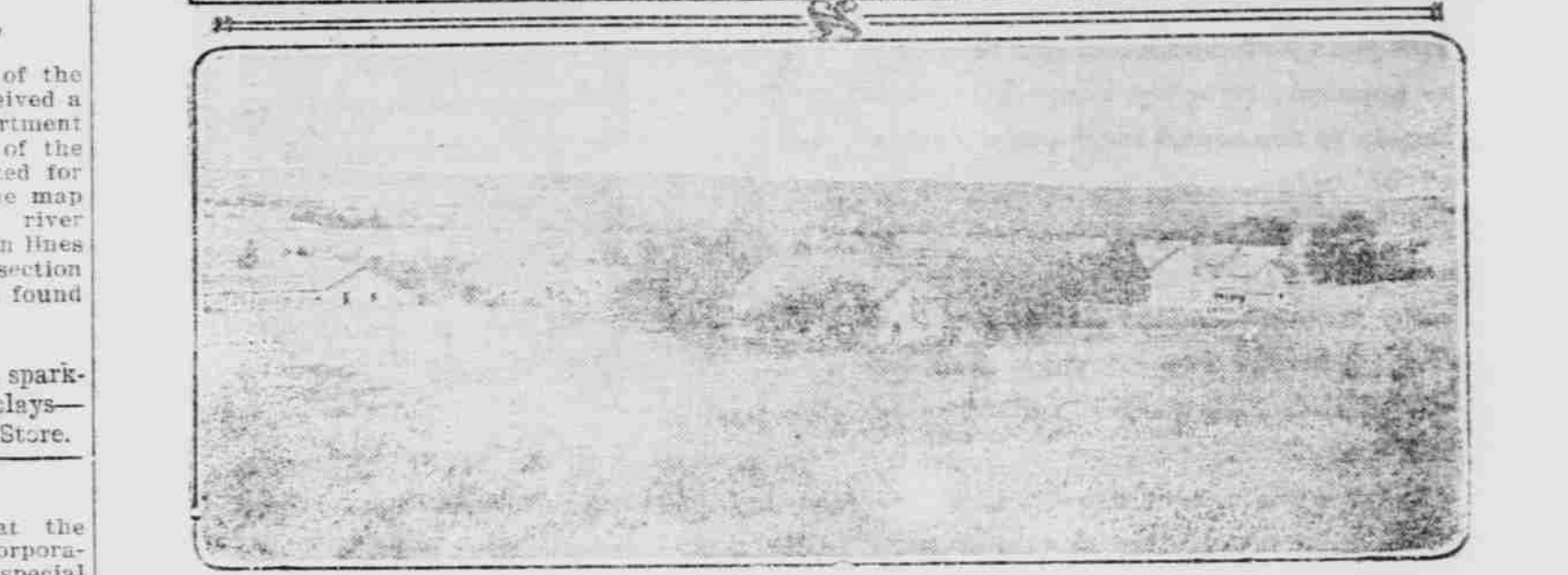
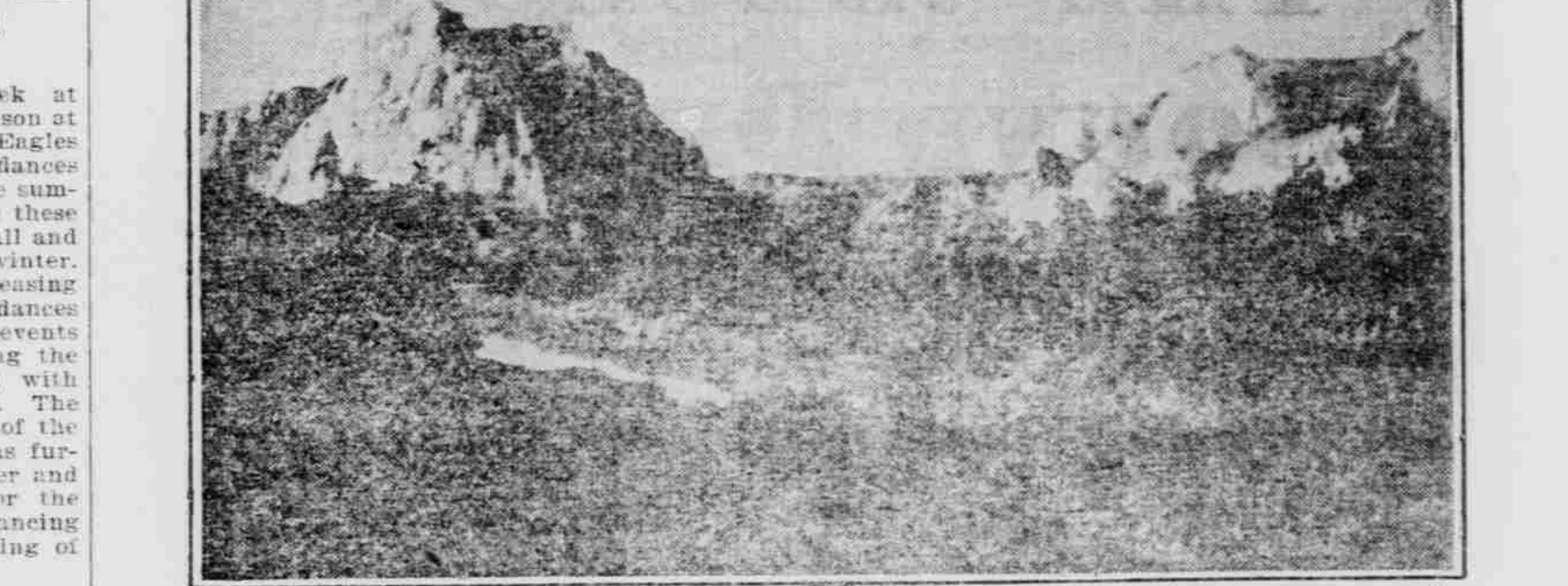
The east half (E 1/2) of the southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of Section thirty-three (33), Township ten (10), North, Range nine (9), East of the 6th P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska—  
That the said Deborah Burdick died more than two years prior to the filing of this petition, leaving as her sole and only heirs at law the following named persons, to-wit:

Joshua P. Burdick, husband; William Burdick, son; Anson D. Burdick, son; Jerome Burdick, son; Edward P. Burdick, son; James W. Burdick, son; John I. Burdick, son; Lucy J. Miller, daughter; Ida M. Tappan, daughter; Sylvia L. Ashworth, daughter; and Rebecca Zinkon, daughter.

That no application for administration has been made and the estate of said decedent has not been administered in the State of Nebraska;

That the interest of the petitioner herein in the above described real estate is as son of the said decedent; and praying for a determination of the time of the death of said Deborah Burdick and her heirs, the degree of kinship and the right of descent of the real property belonging to the said decedent, in the State of Nebraska.

It is ordered that the same stand for hearing on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1930, before the court at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., in the County Court room in the court house at Plattsmouth, Nebraska.  
Dated at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 26th day of June, A. D. 1930.  
A. H. DUXBURY,  
County Judge.



The upper picture is a view of Cedar Canyons near Ord. The lower picture shows Fort Hartstull as it looks today.

## OLD NEBRASKA FORT MAY BE RECLAIMED

When in June 1874, the announcement was received that Congress had voted an appropriation of \$20,000 for the erection of a fort in the North Loup valley, there was great rejoicing. There had been a long period of depredations by the Sioux who claimed the Loup valley as their hunting ground. To their warfare with their ancient enemy the Pawnees, they added an enmity against the whites, stealing their horses, cows and provisions and keeping the country in a constant fear of butchery by the warriors returning from their successful forays against their weaker foes, the Pawnees. So many had been the depredations of the Sioux and so frequent the bloodshed that many settlers withdrew and the population of whites steadily diminished. Finally a strong appeal was made to the federal government, a bill was offered in Congress by Senator P. W. Hitchcock, and an affirmative vote on the measure brought assurance of relief.

The site near Elyria was selected by General Ord. It commanded a view up and down the Loup river. It

sat back against low hills in such a position it could not be attacked by foemen approaching from an unseen quarter. Walls of the buildings were cedar logs chinked with cement. The lumber was felled in the wooded canyons above and sawed at a mill in Bear creek near the fort site. Cement and finishing lumber were hauled from Grand Island.

Construction began in September, 1874. The first buildings were completed in December. That event was celebrated by a grand ball to which every one was invited. The assurance of safety to which menaced settlers could be filled the country with a new spirit.

Seven buildings were built about a rectangle containing about eight acres. Commanding officers quarters (two very fine homes for those times), hospital, commissary, "laundry row" (two-room suites for the use of married privates whose wives were expected to do the laundry work for the post), guard house, quartermaster offices and barracks comprised the buildings of the post. A stockade surrounded the water supply and lookout tower. A deep trench enabled the members of the garrison to pass from the barracks to the stockade.

The fort was first occupied by Company C of the Ninth Infantry under Capt. Samuel Munson. This company was relieved by Company A of the Twenty-third Infantry which was replaced by Company K of the Fourteenth Infantry. In November, 1878, the original company that garrisoned the fort returned under Capt. Munson and remained until the post was abandoned in May, 1881.

Company C had no drum. So Drummer Johnny Luke beat the familiar calls on a tin pan. The company filed out to that music and solemnly saluted the flag as it was raised to position. Later a drum was acquired and still later a bugle. The flagstaff was imported. Twenty men were detailed to find one. They followed the Niobrara to the vicinity of Long Pine where a pine ten inches at the base and 97 feet long when dressed was found.

After the fort was abandoned in 1881 it was purchased by the Union Pacific railroad and later sold for ranch headquarters. The buildings are in good state of preservation and a movement has been launched to save them for their historical value by a public purchase of the buildings and the site.

**Rabbi Wise Says Dry Law Repeal Seems Certain**  
Enforcement Impossible; Never Fairly Tried, His Opinion—States Stand as Prohibitionist

Providence, R. I., June 27.—In what he said was the most comprehensive statement he had ever made about prohibition, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise of New York declared today that he now has to choose between enforcement, which, alas, seems impossible and modification, which, alas, seems inevitable.

Rabbi Wise yesterday opposed the introduction of a resolution urging repeal of the Eighteenth amendment before the fifty-first annual convention of the Central Conference of American Rabbis. The resolution was tabled.

"The central conference, having taken no stand in other days on behalf of prohibition and the Eighteenth amendment, would come rather belatedly into the picture if it, at this late date, expressed itself in favor of repeal," said Dr. Wise, who described himself as one "identified with the prohibition cause for many years."

"Personally, I have always felt that prohibition should have been given, as it was never given, a fair trial. The thing I have almost hoped for from prohibition has utterly failed to come to pass—such liberation of the spirit of the people as would enable them to face problems of the social reconstruction of the commonwealth with clarity and sobriety. Instead of that, the mind of the nation is given almost undividedly to the liquor problem.

"In any event, it is hardly the business of the central conference to indulge in pronouncements which will reinforce lawlessness instead of enforcing the law.—World-Herald.

**SOLOM'S WIDOW OUT FOR CONGRESS SEAT**  
Huntington, W. Va., June 24.—Mrs. James A. Hughes, widow of the representative of the Fourth West Virginia congressional district, has announced she will seek the Republican nomination for congress.

## HOUSE VOTE IS DEMANDED

Washington—A petition demanding a house vote on the Couzens' resolution before adjournment was circulated among house members Friday in the attempt of representatives from northwest states to get enactment of legislation at this session to limit railroad consolidations. Directed to Representative Tibson, majority leader and chairman of the republican steering committee, the petition read:

"We, the undersigned republican members of the house, hereby request that we be given an opportunity to vote on the so-called Couzens resolution before this session of congress shall adjourn. This legislation is most important and necessary to the general welfare of the country and we feel it to be our duty to remain in session until we have acted upon it."

The Couzens measure, as passed by the senate, would suspend until next March 4 the authority of the interstate commerce commission to approve rail mergers, but it was changed so widely by the house interstate commerce committee that some of the northwestern members have opposed it on the ground that it would not block the merger of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads.

Nothing will ever take the place of Noise and Fireworks on July 4th. And to supply that demand you will find an especially large stock of celebration requisites at the Bates Book store. Prices are right, too.

Anton LeManns was a visitor in Omaha today, going to that city on the early Burlington train to spend a few hours.

**STORM SWEEPS NEW YORK**  
Buffalo—Roaring up from Lake Erie, on the wings of a sixty mile gale, a terrific thunderstorm smashed its way across western New York Thursday afternoon, stabbing here and there with lances of flame and leaving two dead, several injured and untold destruction in its trail.

James Sullivan, sixty, and his next door neighbor, Timothy Davey, fifty-two of Buffalo drowned in the first fury of the storm. A 25,000 barrel storage tank of crude oil at Olean burst into flames when struck by lightning. About thirty tiny fishing vessels were out on Lake Erie when the dense black clouds swept up from the west, shrouding the eastern end of the lake and the city of Buffalo in the darkness of night, while beneath the overhanging blackness the gale lashed the lake into huge swirls. The fishing vessels raced for shore and all but one were believed to have won safely. The little boat containing Sullivan and Davey was snatched back almost from the very harbor mouth by a huge wave which tossed it high before capsizing it.

**VETERAN IS NEAR DEATH**  
Sidney—Gene Foster, thirty, a World war veteran, is near death in a hospital at Dalton suffering from serious leg and hip injuries and a badly crushed chest, the result of a gravel truck he was driving plunging headlong into a ditch north of here.

Physicians, after an examination of the injuries, said there was a serious fracture of the left leg and dislocation of the right hip. Three toes of the left foot had been cut off in the crash. Foster was pinned beneath the overturned truck.

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