NORTHWESTERN. LOUP CITY. NEBRASKA.



Emperor William has conferred the decoration of the order "Pour le Merite" upon Field Marshal Mans von ders court-martial of five men on the

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up at Svidnik 8,600 wounded men and over 3,000 dead. The wounded had been lying on the ground, some of nder of the Eighth charge of responsibility for the ex- them for eighteen hours without food

county jail for ten days, can't get out because of a quarantine of the jail for never be revealed to the parents only smallpox. or succor. A chief officer of the Aus-A two-year-old son of Charles Hrantrian medical department is authority

Teachers are forbidden to belong to

his friends but the charge was not

answered when it was made a few

the huge Torrens land registration

bill the house recommended it far pas-

and selling it in competition with the

The house committee on cities and

privately owned plant.

university's activities.

saloons at Fort Crook, Neh.

was retained.

duce death.

tion, thus ending bladder weakness. Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot

injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone

posed the Beal bill providing that and none is to submit unless parents William Eck, sentenced to Adams where societies find homes for or guardians consent.

sia, for his services in the recent due to low water in boilers. battle of the Mazurian Lakes, in which the Russians were defeated. . . .

captured 140,800 men, including seventy-one officers. Among these are seven generals. These prisoners in has temporarily suspended the rates clude those made in the last German to German ports, pending receipt of drive of the Russians through East further information on the losses of Prussia and in the fighting in the Carpathians. In addition, 193 guns Carib. are said to have been taken.

#### GENERAL.

Three men entered the Bank of Stuart (Fla.), held up the cashier and secured approximately \$4,000. the close by passing the \$6,000,000 usual. . . .

fortifications bill. The Liberty Bell of Philadelphia . . . was rung the second time in three The trade balance as shown by exquarters of a century, and telephones cess of exports over imports touched conveyed the sound to the exposition a new high mark in the history of the grounds at San Francisco when the country last month with a total of fair opened, February 20. \$145,536,103, according to complete

tigures for January given out by the The Nebraska state railway commis- Department of Commerce. sion, in a statement issued at Lin-President Wilson met rumblings of coln, declares that an organized attempt is being made to enlist the a senate fight on his nominations for commercial clubs of the state in a the new federal trade commission by

\* \* \* A new treatmena for tetanus (lockjaw), consisting of the injection appointed as a republican. Parry of an Epson salts solution into the hitherto had been described as a membranes of the spinal cord, and a newly-invented machine to induce respiration by artificial means, has been completed by the Rockefeller instipropriation bill virtually as it passed tute.

. . . Contrary to expectations counsel for tion of the senate committee to elim-Charles Becker, former New York po juate the house provision fixing the salary of rural mail carriers on standlice lieutenant, twice convicted for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the ard routes at \$1,200 a year was overruled, 63 to 10, adding \$2,700 to the gambler, refused to make an application for a new trial. bill as reported from the committee.

Proposals to remove the tax on M. F. Kearney, former first vicemixed corn and wheat flour in the president of the Texas & Pacific Railway company, and recently appointed hope of reducing the price of breadco-receiver of the Wabash Railroad stuffs were abandoned by the house company, was elected president and ways and means committee, which dedirector of the Wabash at a meeting cided there was not time in the reof the road's board of directors at maining days of the sixty-third congress to enact them into a law. New York. . . .

movement for increased railroad rates. the announcement that he intended to

As preliminary to a general cam-Reports of Japan's demands on paign for a national prohibition in China still are so conflicting that the 1916, the national committee of the American government has not been prohibiton party has decided to conable to outline a policy. President centrate its activities upon Massa- Wilson told callers he was not cerchusetts this year. tain what the exact demands where. . . .

Twenty-one uncharted dangerous President Wilson told callers that pinnacle rocks have been discovered Attorney General Gregory's investiby the coast survey in forty-two miles gation of whther unlawful comof the inside passage used by all binations have caused the recent steamers going up and down the Alas rise in breadstuffs prices, has so far ka coast. One is 600 feet high and uncovered no evidence, upon which comes within seventeen feet of the criminal prosecutions could be found. surface. ed. . . . . . .

All records for exposition first day Although United States mail is conattendance were broken at the open- stantly going directly or indirectly to ing of the Panama-Pacific internation- every country in the world, so far not al exposition. It is said a total of one bag has been lost through the more than 300,000 passed through the activity of the war fleets of the European belligerents. progress. gates.

German army, defending east Prus- plosion aboard the cruiser San Diego, for the estimate that 70 per cent of

them will be invalids for life. A ma-Representative Bartholdt denouncjority of the wounded at Svidnik ed militarism as European war's were injured in the head by blows Since the end of January the Teu- cause. He admitted writing a letter tonic allies, according to official re- saying that "German-Americans stood from rifle butts and 20 per cent of ports from Berlin and Vienna, have as a single man with the fatherland." \* \* \*

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stand by them. W. H. Parry of

The senate passed the postoffice ap-

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Seattle, the president said had been

progressive republican.

them will be either partially or totally blind. The government war risk bureau Labor Scarce in Austria. London. -- Vienna dispatches for-

warded from Venice to the Reuter the American steamers Evelyn and Telegram company state the Austrian minister of education has authorized the employment of school children in Without a dissenting vote the senthe fields where labor is scarce, closate passed the army appropriation ing the schools if necessary. It is al. bill carrying approximaaely \$103,000. so said that all of the schools will 000, while the house aided in cleaning be closed for the summer holidays at up legislation for the session nearing the end of may, a month earlier than

## Submarine Meets Disaster.

Christiana (Via London)-Wreckage picked up near Christiania appears to indicate a disaster to the German submarine U-9. The German submarine U-9 has played an important part in the naval

activities of the war. It sank the British cruisers Hogue, Aboukir and Cressy in the North Sea on September 23, and eluded pursuit. October 25, it sank the British cruiser Hawk A Dutch steam trawler reported No. vember 1, that it had met the U-9 in a disabled condition off Haaks lightship near Helder, on the north coast

of Holland. Its trouble had been caused by becoming entangled with fishing nets. There have been no reports regarding the U-9 since that date.

the house, carrying a total of approximately \$323,000,000. A recommenda-Strike Costs Company a Million. New York .- It is said the recent by Nebraska banks from their statestrike at the mines of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, cost the company, directly and indirectly, approx- by the treasury department at Wash-

# Prohibition for Idaho.

imately \$1,250,000.

Boise, Idaho.-The senate of the Idaho legislature passed the statewide prohibition bill, which makes the manufacaure, sale and transportation for sale of intoxicating liquors unlawful after January 1, 1916. The vote was 20 to 6 in favor of the bill

War On Chicago Saloons. Chicago .- Temperance workers who led the fight in making Arizona a prohibition state last fall have been engaged to manage a similar campaign in Chicago.

Alleged Junk Trust. Los Angeles, Cal.-Elias M. Blanford, special agent of the départment of justice, has received instructions from the departmena at Washington to begin an investigation in various cities throughout the country of the so-called "junk trust."

Bernhardt's Condition Favorable. Bordeaux, France.-- A report on the condition of Sara Bernhardt, whose lag was amputated recently, says that she continues to make satisfactory

nac of Geneva was severely scalded when he overturned a basin contain ing boiling water. Hastings citizens are planning a mass meeting to select a candidate for mayor to oppose present incum-

bent and three others. The forty-first carload of relief supplies for Belgian war sufferers has

been sent by the Nebraska commission for Belgian relief. The re-appointment of Clarence Harman as deputy commissioner of by the house. The measure was the food, drug and oil bureau, has strongly backed by Governor Morebeen announced by Governor John R. Morehead.

State Treasurer Hall has purchas involved there has ben no disposition ed \$19,662.89 worth of the bonds of drainage district No. 1, of Johnson the bill. county; also \$5,500 worth of the water

bonds of the village of Spingview. Two tons of dynamite were used in blasting a hill of lime rock in Superior. Pieces of stone were thrown half a mile high. The Portland Cement company is to use the rock.

Nine Hastings cigar factories have a total output of three and half million cigars, annually, according to inventories completed and turned over to G.' N. R. Browne, internal revenu collector.

Breakers of the law in Grand Island are sent to the "coal pile," according to a Grand Island newspaper. "Seven collars and seven days on the coal pile," reads one police court sentence. One person is dead, and thirty were made seriously ill as a result of eating rolls sold aa a church festival at Alma. Rat poison is believed to have been accidentally mixed with the flour.

Assessments paid into the state bank guaranty fund may be deducted ments of income under income tax law, according to a ruling announced ington.

of the state that sleet may have in-

F. A. Kimbrough of Grand Island, chartered a special train to go to Hastings when he learned his daugher, there in school, was ill with appendicitis.

In per capita of rural population. Nebraska is second of all the states in the union in production swine, according to figures received by Secretary Mellor of the State Board of Agciculture from the United States Board reported out. of Agriculture.

Traces of rables were found in the head of the pet wolf which bit Leon-

ard Doty of Weeping Water. In view of the fact that the Nebraska experiment station has found that rolling wheat increases the yield over five bushels an acre when roots are exposed through the surface cracking, farmers are considering this a profitable practice this spring.

The experiment station has found that harrowing after rolling was not s good as rolling alone and that rolling alone may profitably be done after the frost is out.

five votes were cast for the measure. any organization attempting to con-Senators Howell, Grace, Lahners and trol employment of their kind, by others voiced disapproval of the terms of the Wilson-Ruden bill passed measure, terming it inhuman and un- by the senate. The measure results from the school row that followed the kind. It was introduced at the request of societies which make a pracdismissal of Dr. A. O. Thomas as head of the Kearney normal school. It tice of finding homes for children. may have been prompted by some of

Blauser Bill Killed.

The Blauser bill giving the railawy days ago. commission the right to assume control of all local public utilities in the state has been indefinitely postponed head at the outset of the session, but since the first roar over the principle on the part of the executive to push

Harman Gets Old Job.

The reappointment by Governor Morehead of C. E. Harman as deputy food, drug, dairy, oil and weights and measures commissioner has been announced. Mr. Harman has served in the office for the last two years, having been appointed by Governor Morehead in his first administration. Cust Rutenbeck has also been re-anpointed as deputy game commissioner.

### Won't Narrow Platte.

Wink's bill having in mind the sideboarding of the Platte fell by the senate wayside and the plan will have to wait a couple of years anyway for the governor, it will give the people consummation. The measure was in- of the Omaha metropolitan water definitely postponed on a standing district the right to vote on the committee report

#### Senate Favors Farmer.

The senate came to the rescue of the farmer and killed Dodge's bill, senate file No. 182, which makes it a towns postponed the Gates bill to misdemeanor to remove buildings permit the sal- of liquor by licensed from mortgaged land.

Anti-Dope and Cigaret Bills.

More than \$25,000 was appropriated The Brookley anti-dope bills, indorsed by the commercials clubs of in four bills passed by the house to the state and the state druggists' as buy additional land at the Norfolk sociation, has been reported out of hospital for the insane, Beatrice the house judiciary committee. The school for the deaf. Hastings hospital measure promises to go by the house for the insane and the state orthoas it did the senate and will likely be pedic hospital, Lincoln.

in the governor's hands for signature By a vote of 41 to 51, the house within the next three weeks. At the same time the Peterson anti-cigaret refased to support Representative Taylor in his request that the univerbill, discarding the present uninforcesity committee be given instructions able law and setting up an act that as to itemizing appropriation' for the will meet actual conditions, was also

Farmers Oppose Bank Bill.

Baseball games and moving picture Opposition of the Nebraska Farmshows will be among the amusements ers' union to House Roll No. 488, by Nutzman, has hung up that measure of the inmates of the Nebraska state temporarily at least in the house prison when plans of Warden Fenton committee on banks and banking. The and the state board of control are purpose of the Nutzman bill is to give carried out. The motion picture mathe state banking board power to re- chine already has been purchased. fuse a charter for a new bank in any Rells will be secured from one of the community where the board considers film companies and will present eduthat the banking facilities are alrady cational subjects, standard plays, sufficient. It applies to banks the tragedies and comedies, according to same principle which would govern the wishes of the inmates. The mapublic utilities under the provisions chine was purchased by the men of Tom Hall's bill. from proceeds of concerts.

should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications .- Adv.

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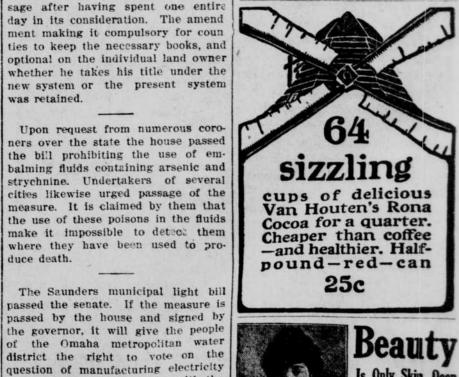
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