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Nebraska: Generally fair; not much

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THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Life is not so short but there is me enough for courtesy.—Emerson.

CHINESE GIV

BUTLER AGAIN NAMED. FOR GOVERNOR

Globe Fliers Delayed at Pictou Now

Airmen Will Not Jump to Boston Until Friday Because of Damage to Smith's Plane.

Locatelli Has Arrived

By Associated Press Pictou, N. S., Sept. 3 .- The Amer-Ican army aviators will not hop off for Boston until Friday at the ear-This announcement was made by Lieutenant Smith, in command of the world flight, immediately on the arrival of the planes this afternoon. Smith landed minus his rear spread

er bar connecting the pontoons, and this damage will have to be repaired. Lieutenant Smith and Lleutenant Nelson, the American army round the world fliers, with their assistants, Lieut. Leslie T. Arnold and Lieut. John Harding, jr., taxled into Pictou harbor at 4:38 eastern standard time, this afternoon, after a flight from Hawkes Bay, Newfoundland. They made the journey in six hours and 26

The successful negotiation of the flight across the water from Newfoundland to Pictou leaves the American aviators with only one other hop over the sea-a flight from here to Boston. It is expected they will make this Friday, with a stop for refueling at St. John, N. B.

By FRANCIS J. TIETSORT,

Boston Sent. 3.-Lieutenant Loca-Greenland by the American cruiser Richmond, with his four pilots and mechanicians, Crossio, Marescalchi, Braccini and Farcinelli, arriced here pard the destroyer Lawrence. Their return to civilization after which the change banishes the little

harrowing experiences in Arctic wa-ters for three days off Cape Farewell, Greenland, contributed a thrilling trip. The record-breaking run of the Lawrence, which averaged for 1,216 miles through good and bad weather, 21 knots an hour to Boston, was marked by unusual incidents. The ship, fleetest in the United

States navy, made an hour's record run on Tuesday of 441-2 land miles an hour for one hour nearing Halifax, and after leaving Halifax, came within 50 feet of running down a fishing schooner in the dense fog. At midnight Tuesday the Lawrence was stopped when a lookout saw what he believed to be an airplane in distress come down to the water through the own instructors for elementary fog into the choppy sea.

Tell of Privations.

The Lawrence circled the spot and blew its whistle for half an hour, but the plane, believed to have carried motion picture films of the world flight, could not be found. It was a wearied group of corre-

condents and photographers who left the Lawrence at Boston navy yard, most of them having been absent from the United States since defeated." July 18. They told of privations, hunger, dangers from raging storms in Labrador, and of how they pursued seals, polar bears on icebergs outside of Indian Harbor, and of attacks by myriads of mosquitoes. They brought back a score of young Eskimo dogs, some with their eyes scarcely opened. Lieutenant Locatelli expressed his catitude to the American navy for his rescue and the "magnificent attempt to place the younger chiltreatment accorded me and my companions by officers and by American ings, using the building proper for He expects to receive

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We Have With Us Today

Henry Keating, umber Dealer, Riverton, Wyo.

Sixteen years ago, at Denver, Colo., when W. J. Bryan was nominated the third time, by I. J. Dunn of Omaha, three Omaha Henrys attend- Dora Dierks, Bennington, Neb. ed that convention, One was Henry Kenting, now a resident of Riverton, Wyo., and visiting the folks back in Elsie M. Schroeder, Schuyler, Neb. the old home town.

the Farmers' Lumber company of Arthur Kent Snide, Valley, Neb. Riverton and he is a member of the Homer A. McCraney, Council Bluffs ... town council. The good news he Alice Davis, Des Moines, Is. brings from his district is that the Michael oJseph Duhigg, Frement, Neb. cattle and sheep men have been rais- Eugene Sickler, Omaha ... ing themselves out of the slough of despond into which they sank in 1920. G. R. Tinkham, Omaha "Sheep and cattle men are back on Henry Patkal, South Dorchester, Neb. 23 their feet," is the way he expressed it. He stated that crops are fine and Louis Bronds, Omaha the people generally are prospering. Charles Bernard Janssen, Hooper Neb. the people generally are positing Elizabeth Margare.

He has been over in Chicago, visiting Charles Latting, Council Bluffs ...

Charles Latting, Council Bluffs ...

Clara Rogers, Kansas City, Mo. ...

He believes that Coolidge and Dawes Artie Stalmaker, Fullerton, Net will be the favorites this fall in Wyo- Katle change, Belgrade, Neb. ming. He noted improvements in Henry Schulz, Omaha Omaha and stated that the people of Olof Johnson, Minden Neb. Wyoming are interested in hearing of Eva Jacobs, Minden, Neb. osperity in Nebraska, because the los Donelson, Omaha people of the two states are bound together by the ties of western good Julia Cummings. Omaha

Wheat Receipts Fall

to 102 Cars Wheat receipts at the Omaha market Wednesday were 102 cars and corn receipts, 25 cars. No. 2 hard wheat sold at from \$1.12 to \$1.21 and No. 2 yellow corn at

On the corresponding day a year ago wheat receipts' were 274 cars and corn, 48 cars, at which time No. 2 hard wheat sold for from \$1.05 to \$1.08 and No. 2 yellow corn at 82 1-2 cents.

Angry Parents Storm Chicago **School Building**

Women Faint and Pupils Trampled as Mob Protests Against Change of Classes by Board.

By A. J. LORENZ, Chicago, Sept. 3 .- The school bell shall not ring today!

Nor tomorrow! Such was the battlecry, adapted shouted today despite their loss of the first skirmish-their attempt to into a junior high school.

Their tempers bitter over the change which they claim will endanger the lives of younger children. men and women stormed the Harper chool this morning and again this afternoon. Police reserves were called out to quell the disturbance telli the Italian aviator rescued off which took on the proportions of a

nob of parents.

Tonight police guards have been today from Indian Harbor, Labrador, stationed about the school and the

The school authorities expressed a fear that the portables might be burned down to prevent their use for harboring younger children.

"We won't have our bables freeze women speakers, haranguing the irate parents.

In the crush of the mob, women fainted, junior high school pupils who sought vainly to enroll were trampled

Cooler counsel, it seemed, would prevail today when threats were made by parents to rush the school, rout the teachers and install their grades. When a second attempt was made to open the school to high school pupils this afternoon another army of parents moved on the build-

ing-this time an amazon army. We will return each day until we win our fight," they shouted at Principal Walter J. Harrower.

Injunction Denied.

moil until the school board's plan is a dazed condition."

The injunction sought by the parents against the school board was denied by Judge George F. Bush this morning, but the jurist gave them a faint ray of hope when he announced that their attorneys might have two more days to file an amended petition.

The feud between parents and school authorities resulted from an dren of the district in portable builda junior high school, to aid in cutting down the shortage of school capacity. Meanwhile, the children are enjoying extra holidays, frolicking in the school yard, their din making it impossible to enroll the high school pupils in the grammar school build-

Married in Council Bluffs. The following persons obtained mar-riage licenses in Council Bluffs yester-day:

Jim Eckstein, Farnam, Neb. Florence Moore, Gothenburg, Neb. Roy Henry, Karsas City, Mo. ... Nellie Hendricks, Council Bluffs Mr. Keating is now president of Pearl Opal Duncan, Missouri Valley, Ia.

Herman J. Gutman. Burlington, Ia. ... 32 year ago. Esther Trotter, Douglas, Neb.27 year ago.

Sheriff

Witnesses Swear Officer and Deputies Fired First Shots in Gun Battle in Which Six Were Slain.

Inquest

Soldiers Forestall Fracas

vere charged with having fired the accident occurred. first shots in the encounter last Satsheriff and his deputy fired the shots nationally known horsemen, that killed Chester Reid, who has have been lifelong friends. been generally described as an innocent bystander, but not an active participant in the gun fight.

parents of the Harper school district Thomas holding Green Dunning, one U. S. Gets Praise of the three klansmen slain in the encounter, and that this was just a moment before Dunning dropped from obtain a legal injunction against the several bullet wounds. He added, transformation of a grammar school however, that he did not actually see could not say who fired the fatal shots at Dunning.

Contrary to the expectations of everyone here, Herrin today assumed an air of calmness. Sheriff Galligan and his deputies, who yesterday said they would come to Herrin this morn-"armed with machine guns, if ing necessary" and would go to the Smith garage and "get the car they went Soldiers on Guard.

A dozen soldiers wearing steel helmets and heavily armed were placed row of distant portable buildings to all about the room and outside of the door of the courtroom where the infor arms. Inside the soldiers stood speak, with rifles and bayonets fixed. At in the portables," cried one of the with an automatic rifle held at port the idea of arbitration. He emphaarms sat at rigid attention.

Klan side.

Charles Denham, in whose car three of the slain men-Charles Willard, Dewey Newbolt and Green Dunlard, Dewey Newbolt and Green Dun-ning—were riding, testified that Galligan, Thomas, the three Shelton boys, and Deputy Sheriff J. H. (Bud) Allison, rushed his car, surrounded it and sent a hail of bullets into it. He said he did not see any of the men killed, as they were in the rear sent. In the midst of the fight, he said, "Bud" Allison hit him over the head with a revolver, and he (Denham) "We are going to keep up this tur- slumped to the floor of the car "in

Attorney In Auto.

"Just before I turned down West Monroe street (the Smith garage is Judge Bowen sitting in an automobile," Denham testified. "This woman here (pointing to Miss Jane Lassiter, Turn to Page Two, Column Two.)

BRYAN TO MEET DAVIS IN OMAHA

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 3 .- Governor Bryan will go to Omaha Saturday to meet John W. Davis, democratic presidential candidate, he announced today. The governor will return to Lincoln with Mr. Davis, where the

latter will be his guest here Sunday. grounds and this evening is scheduled to deliver a short talk to the boys attending the camp.

Prisoner Found Guilty

of Attempt to Burn Jail Callaway, Neb., Sept. 3.-D. C. Brown was found guilty in justice court and fined \$50 on as charge of attempting to burn the jail. He ap- fired today when the 18 co-operating pealed. Brown has also appealed the sentence of \$35 fine and 30 days in sentatives of the league at room 316 jall for drunkenness. Harry Rudge, Y. M. C. A., at 3 o'clock. Brown's companion, was fined \$25 and sentenced to 30 days in jail for ganizer, will be in attendance. 26 drunkenness.

Houses to Be Numbered. Nebraska City, Sept. 3.-A hous

city. The city commissioners adopted in the city marked.

Canning Factory Opens.

crop in this locality will be heavier ploying about 900

Riot Blame "Pop" Geers, Veteran of Turf, Dies Following Accident in Sulky

Race Track Driver for More Than Half Century Receives Fatal Injuries When Horse Falls. Wheeling, W. Va., Sept. 3.-Ed-

ward F. (Pop) Geers, veteran of the race track, died here tonight from injuries sustained in a race at the Wheeling state fair grounds this aft-Geers was injured when his horse,

My Lady Guy, fell, throwing Geers and the sulky in a heap. Before track officials could reach him the horse stepped on his chest. He was taken Herrin, Ill., Sept. 3 .- Sheriff George to a Wheeling hospital unconscious. Salligan and his deputy, Ora Thomas, Geers was in second place when the

Geers, whose home is in Memphis urday between his force and a group Tenn., was 73 years old. He had of Ku Klux Klansmen in the early been driving on the race tracks for testimony given today at the inquest more than 50 years and was known held into the deaths of the six men as the "grand old man of the turf." slain in front of the Smith garage. At the bedside when death came Dave Sisk, a witness and an employe were Robert Neal, his nephew, and of the Smith garage, asserted the Lafe Schafer and Reddie Patterson, Geers never was conscious

at League Meet

the shooting of Dunning, and that he Readiness of Nation to Arbi- Slayer Will Include Frank trate Stressed by Norwegian Delegate.

Geneva Sent 2 -Prime Minister MacDonald of England and Premier Herriot of France brought the weight of the governments of the British emafter Saturday," remained in Marion. pire and the French republic to the support of the league of nations today when they attended the session of the eague's assembly.

A great audience which filled every inch of space in the hall gathered to murderer, is to be written by Nathan sioner at Omaha, I have written and zation day on September 12. General indicate the opening of hostilities at greet the premiers and accorded them murderer, is to be written by Nathan sioner at Quaha, I have written and satisfied and some mobilization day is plainly the gi- Huang Tu between the rival forces are enthusiastic welcome but did not entering the courtroom was searched have the pleasure of hearing either

The feature of today's discussion the head of the table where the cor- was the laudatory remarks of Dr. oner and his assistants sat and just Fridtjof Nansen of Norway, concernback of the witness stand one sentry ing America's traditional adhesion to sized the importance of the declara-To the rear of the judge's bench tion for adherence to the world court another soldier had at his finger of justice made by Secretary of State tips a half dozen hand grenades. Hughes and indicated to the delegates Coroner McGowan opened the inquest and other auditors his impression that and all of the witnesses except one the entire force of the United States any reasonable arbitration development as a means of preserving peace.

AUTO ACCIDENTS

Nebraska City, Sept. 3.-Mrs. Henry Brown of this city was quite se verely injured at a point near Union when the car in which she was riding with her husband was struck by an other car and overturned. The accident was caused by a huge dust

on the Iowa side of the river and states.

Traveler Reports Corn

Thrifty in Three States Gasoline Price Cut 3.-John Foster. grain dealer at Ellis, has returned from an auto trip to Minnesota and Iowa. Mr. Foster reports that corn in sections of South Dakota, northlooks thrifty and has had plenty of until October 1 to make a bumper

Women Voters to Learn of 'Get Out the Vote Campaign' The opening gun in the "Get-Out-The Vote Campaign" sponsored by th League of Women Voters, will be

organizations will meet with repre-Miss Ruth McIntosh, national or

Dies When Driving. Ord, Neb., Sept. 3.—Henry Mar-quard, resident of this city for the

past 10 years, died of heart failure while driving from Ord to Ericson a resolution to co-operate with the Sunday. He was accompanied by his Chamber of Commerce and the postal son in law, Lynn Blakely of Loup Ed Miller of Sumter.

New School Ready.

Fairbury, Sept. 4 .- The new \$200,are employed in the Fairbury schools. was taken to a hospital.

Leopold to Pen Account of Life date.

shock and internal injuries.

"Pop Geers wit.

Philosophy on Motives Which Inspired Crime.

Chicago, Sept. 5 .- A story of his life, to include a frank discussion of him to remain the casual spectator candidacy. at the trial for his life while prosecuting attorneys denounced him as a tence upon him September 10 for his city. I forced other members of the jingoes who control the war depart. may be part in the slaying of Bobby Franks. commission four different times to ment. It is simply an effort to drum The book, which also will contain demand and receive a reduction of up the war spirit, an outline of the young collegian's the electric light rates in Omaha.

beliefs and disbeliefs, will be offered for sale to the highest bidder. lows, or places him in fail for life. give to the world his "superman" paper and in this connection he declared he would take into consideraporters making the offers.

ROTARY OFFICIALS

Hastings, Neb., Sept. 3.-Plans for increased activity along many lines Bollen, and other candidates who of innocent children with the chains liam Bader of this city overturned were discussed at the conference to grabbed the progressive as well as of wage slavery by unscrupulous emjust east of the Burlington bridge day of Rotary executives of three democratic nomination will receive by ployers is one of the darkest blots Shanghai, according to a report made located on this street) I noticed Miss Billie Taft of Norfolk, a pas. presented the program outlined by State's Attorney Delos Duty and senger, received a badly sprained and the national president and approved by the national board. This calls Paul Simpson and Ralph Hammond for a monthly letter from the goverof this city were severely bruised nor, intercity meetings and adoption when the car in which they were of rules for surveys, organization of on their way to Auburn ran into an committees, acceptance of members embankment and was wrecked. A rod and presentation of charters. The and Monte Allen, miners, trapped on overthrow the men who pervert the in the harbor were preparing to land on the car was broken, causing the visitors were taken on a tour of the the 175-foot level of the Seymour mine constitution." driver to lose control of the machine, city this afternoon and tonight were in West Butte last night by a fire guests at a banquet to which nearby Rotary clubs were invited.

Demanded at Aurora in favor of the installation of an in- of some burns. dependent gasoline station was found noon to spend his time at the fair east Nebraska and northern Iowa to be extremely strong at a meeting Many Nebraskans to Go of the chamber of commerce and up moisture, but needs warm weather less a lower price is granted by companies operating filling stations here, action will be taken soon. Gasoline is said to be selling at Central City for 13 cents and in other places as low as 10 and 11 cents. The price here is still 17 cents at most stations.

Rock Island Reduces 9

DeWitt, Neb., Sept. 3.-Effective at once, the Rock Island railway has ordered the operator at the station here removed. It is said the railway has taken off 40 operators on the Nebraska division, between Council Bluffs and Denver, most of them at stations where more than one man was employed, the move being a re trenchment in operating expenses.

Girl Hurt in Car Upset.

department in having all residences City, his son, Donald Marquard, and Beatrice. Sept. 3.-Miss Maude Blackburn, member of a party of six hard-surfaced streets. autoists, was badly hurt, when the touring car in which they were riding crashed into a sedan owned by 000 high school building will be com- H. Carlson, Union Pacific agent here, fair proved a financial success. For than last year. The local canning pleted this week in time for the open- which had been parked at the curb. two or three years previously the fair factory has started operations, eming of the year's work Monday. All The touring car turned completely had been a losing proposition finan-The teachers have beer engaged with the over. Miss Blackburn, who was in cially. The managers are preparing tomato crop here is shorter than a exception of one in the grades. Fifty jured about the back and shoulders, for a bigger and better fair next

Progressives DETECTIVES PROBE Act Despite

Binghamton, N. Y., Sept. 3.—Detectives have begun an investigation of reports received here that Dr. Marshall J. Thompson, 30 years old, of Mobile, Ala., who was believed to Pool Ruling have drowned in Silver lake, near here, had been seen in California. Dr. Thompson's cap and his overturned company were fround on the lake last

Be Put in Field by Using "Petition" Method.

Objections Now Met Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Lincoln, Sept. 3 .- For the second time in 60 days the state central com party today placed Dan B. Butler of Omaha in nomination as a candilate for governor. At the meeting held today, W. H. Green, secretary stated that all legal entangle nents which caused Charles W Pool, secretary of state, to refuse to put Butler's name on the progressive ballot when he was first nominated, from his sulky onto the race track. had been removed and this time Pool Physicians assigned his death to would have no valid excuse for keeping Butler's name off the ballot. To make assurance doubly however Butler's name will also be placed on the ballot "by petition,

thus making him a two time candi-Butler was present when the nomi nation was made. He was called upon by J. M. Paul of Harvard, state chair man, for an address.

"I am deeply grateful, gentlemen, for this selection, and I am not unmindful of the responsibility it places on my shoulders," Butler said. "This is a propitious time to put forward the progressive thought of the nation and the state, and you can rest assured that in my candidacy for gov ernor I will be out flat-footed for the philosophy which made possible Robert M. La Follette for president. commission of the "crime for a There will be no riding of two horses thrill" and which for weeks permitted on the presidential question in my

To Elect Other Officers "In a small way, as city commis nces sen- of the progressive legislation in that gantic publicity scheme of the war of Kiang and Chekiang provinces

"I also created the first municipal Announcement of his determination are others who are giving out to the twaddle of the militarists. All we to write it, was made today and this state and nation that they are the want is to forget all about war and lord, is reported moving a big force plan will not be altered, he said, re- authors of the first municipal coal be let alone to rest in peace for all southward beyond Shang Hai Kuan gardless of whether the decision of yard ordinance. The time is here, time." Judge Caverly sends him to the gal- gentlemen, for the progressives of Progress in eliminating the 12-hour hil forces. Wu Pei Fu has been supthe state to gather under one banner day in state institutions has been porting the Kiangsu movement to re-It is probable, Leopold indicated, and give the common people the made in the last year, according to gain Shanghi, and Chang Tso Lin is testified favorably to the Ku Klux would inevitably be cast in support of that his masterpiece in which he will legislation and government they do the server of the for another drive to secure control of serve. I assure you I will do all in convention that endorsement of the for another drive to secure control of theories, will be sold to some news my power to aid in this truly prog. Midwest Labor News of Omaha had Pekin. ressive fight."

ing of Butler's name on the pro- to the American Federation of Labor, but the personality of the re- gressive party ticket, the state com- He urged support of union label and preparations for the defense of mittee empowered W. H. Green, the leagues as means of promoting union. the settlement are going on quietly. secretary, to write to a number of made goods. prominent progressives and ascertain f they will consent to become candi- Stewart said:

lates for state offices "by petition." The aim of the committee in taking this action is to cut the number of votes which C. W Pool, F. W. which is cheap labor. The shackling District Governor Rofelty virtue of Butler heading the pro- upon a society calling itself civilied." to the State department this after (Turn to Page Two, Column One.)

TWO MINERS MEET

Butte, Mont., Sept. 3.—Arthur King overthrow the constitution but to ish, Italian and Japanese contingents which destroyed the shaft house and the engine room, were found dead by nounced. "With all the ells that surrescuers early this morning. Efforts round it, it has about run its course, to revive them failed.

with the two, fought his way to safe- ing and a clearer spirit of understand-Aurora, Neb., Sept. 3 .- Sentiment ty through the shaft at the expense ing exists between all branches of the

the American Legion and American Legion auxiliary here are making is now needlessly complicated. reservations on special trains at Sioux City and Omaha which will take the Resolutions, I. S. veterans to the St. Paul convention chairman, Otis Ketchum, Omaha, O. on September 10. Frank A. Worner, K. Gray, Omaha; laws and constitu a member of the national legislative tions, Frank Mansell, Omaha, chairommittee, has returned from St. man; union label, O. K. Gray, Omaha, Force of Telegraphers Paul, where he has been working on chairman, I. S. Betzer, Lincoln, secthe housing program, and reports ar- retary, O. F. Smith, Lincoln. rangements made to take care of a record-breaking crowd of visitors. He reports that the Nebraska delegation will probably be the largest.

> Syracuse Paves Streets. Syracuse, Neb., Sept. 3 .- Syracuse county fair last week and will assist ompleted 22 blocks of paving Mon- with plans for the Pioneer Days celeday and council passed an ordinance bration here October 8-10. creating an additional district which will give a mile and a half of paving and connect the Harding highway a opposite corners of the town with

Valley Fair Successful.

Ord, Neb., Sept. 3.-Valley county

canoe were fround on the lake last July, but the body was never recov-Full Slate of State Officers to ered, although the police searched for several days.

> **Labor Federation** in State Endorses La Follette, Slate

mittee of the Nebraska progressive State President in Bitter Attack on Defense Day as "Scheme to Rouse Savage Instincts."

> Hastings, Neb., Sept. 3 .- The Nebraska state federation of labor un- fined to artillery, neither side ap animously endorsed the legislative parently being anxious to engage the and political program of Senator Rob- other at close quarters for the pres ert M. La Follette and his running ent. The Chekiang forces claimed mate, Senator Burton K. Wheeler, in that nine Klangsu field pieces had dependent candidates for president been silenced in the artillery duel. and vice president, and heard a bit- Feverish activity behind the Che ter attack on the war department's kiang lines was reported tonight. plans for National Defense Test day, Troop trains and munitions are being eptember 12, by N. W. Stewart, rushed to the front. Thousands of state president, at the 17th annual coolies have been impressed as labor

President Stewart's denunciation of Defense day, which he characterized establishing field hospitals and treat-"a new scheme to arouse the savage ing the wounded as they struggle instincts in man" and "an effort to back from the battle line. drum up the war spirit," came during his annual report to the convention. ry is again in danger," he said. and craving huge profits have arrival 50 had been filled. thought of a new scheme to arouse

the savage instincts in man. "The war department has decreed that we shall have a general mobili- quarters from Canton and Mukden,

Urges Support of Union Label. "But it is hoped that the American ing an expedition of 20,000 for an imcoal yard in the state, although there people will not fall for this publicity mediate drive northward.

been withdrawn because of alleged red In addition to assuring the plac- propaganda and articles derogatory

> "Child labor slavery in industry has become a well-organized system under here. our capitalist regime, the incentive of arge the state legislature to ratify the American consul general. national child labor constitutional French naval forces, Mr. Cunning amendment, asserting "the people of ham asserted, were to be landed in

"Open Shop" Denounced. The "open shop" was also he asserted. "The idea of labor orga John King, who had been working niation has come to stay. Better feel-

the United States are the masters of the French concession at Shangha

both congresses and courts, not to in the evening, and American, Brit-

President Stewart said he would of of the republican national ticket, but fer a resolution on workmen's compensation which he has prepared to to Legion Convention the executive committee for consid-Norfolk, Sept. 3 .- Many members of eration, to simplify the working of the present state law, which, he said. The headquarters in charge of B. B.

Committees appointed included:

131 Old Settlers Register. Aurora, Neb., Sept. 3 .- One hundred and thirty-one old settlers who came to this county more than 40 years ago were registered at the Hamilton

The Weather

For 24 hours, ending 7 p. m., Septem. Nealy,

Raging Over

More Than 1.000 Wounded Addition to Those Killed; Artillery Active Along Fighting Front.

Powers Ready to Land

Huang Tu, China, Sept. 3 .- On a 15-mile front extending on either side of this little Chinese village, the long mminent menace of civil war be ween the provinces of Kiangsu and Chekiang flamed into action today with the result that nightfall found 500 dead and more than 1,000 wounded strewn over the countryside. As the heavy firing of the after-

noon dimmed into intermittent artillery exchanges with nightfall, Chekiang forces who are defending the Shanghai district against the at tack of the forces representing Klangsu, claimed a slight advantage, placing their total dead at 100 as against a loss of 400 for the Klangsu attackers The fighting today was mostly con

meeting of the organization here to- batallions to carry supplies and am munition up to the troop lines. Red Cross contingents are bus

A grim feature of the bustling activity fonight was the arrival of hun-"The peace movement in this coun. dreds of new coffins on a special train. They were of elaborate make "Those ablaze with dollar patriotism and within a few hours after their

> Shanghai, Sept. 3.—Telegrams received tonight at- Chekiang headthe spark which will set a

> China aflame. Canton reports that Dr. Sun Yat Sen, ruler of South China, is organiz-

> Chang Tso-Lin, Manchurian was

The foreign settlement remained quiet here tonight. The French volunteers were called out late today

Two hundred Japanese marines are Referring to child labor, President expected from Japan tomorrow aboard the cruiser Tatsua to reinforce the international forces now

By Universal Service.

Washington, Sept. 3 .- Hostilities broke out between rival Chinese milltary leaders today within 15 miles of He recommended the federation noon by Edwin S. Cunninghan

> ments if necessary. BROOKHART WON'T

STUMP FOR PARTY Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 3.-Se Smith W. Brookhart will not take part in the campaign in Iowa on behalf will give his attention solely to his own campaign for re-election, according to an announcement by the state republican headquarters here today. Burnquist, state central committee chairman, is arranging speaking en-Betzer, Lincoln, gagements for governor of the prominent republicans of the state.

> Teacher Dies in Presence of Sunday School Class

> Creighton, Neb., Sept. Witwer, 72, died here just after he had finished teaching his Sunday school class, expiring with a Bible in his hand. Heart trouble was the cause of death.

county fair opened today with an im-

Colfax Fair Opens. Lehigh, Neb., Sept. 3.-The Colfax

mense display of livestock and agriultural exhibits. Lehigh won a ball game with Madison by the score of 6 to 3. Batteries were, Leigh, Polens and Littleman; Madison, Kline and Hunter Wounded.

Ewing, Neb., Sept. 3 .- John Van-

dershick who was bunting tack rabbits in company with Anton Nekolite, was accidentally shot in the shoulder and above an eye. The wounds are