

Nebraska: Generally fair; not much change in temperature.

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TWO CENTS

He is the happiest, he he king or peasant, who finds peace in his house.

CONGRESS CALLS PRESAGES STORM

Nebraska Stock Gets 3 Ribbons

Poland-China Hogs From This State Take Second and Third in Chicago Stock Show.

Second in Another Class

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Textbook herds from a dozen American agricultural colleges fortified the case for "book learnin'" today by running off with most of the honors in the opening day's competition at the twenty-fifth International Livestock Exposition. When the awards of the state universities and agricultural colleges were posted, exponents of "practical farming" and barnyard methods, were routed.

The University of Illinois entry took the first purple ribbon championship with the year's champion Poland-China barrow. The same herd produced the winning barrow in the 150-250-pound class, in which Iowa state college and Michigan Agricultural college entries took second and third place, respectively.

In the Duroc-Jersey class in the pig competition, Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical college won highest honors with the champion fat barrow of the year. Second honors went to the University of Minnesota. For the champion pen of the same stock, Oklahoma A. M. took first and second honors. Iowa State college won first rank with a pen of 10 of the class. The finest specimen of the type in the 150-250 grade came from the herd of the University of Minnesota, with the University of Nebraska entry second.

Iowa State College repeated last year's win in the Chester Whites division in which it again produced the champion barrow of the year. Nebraska took second, Minnesota gave the show its champion pen of Chester Whites, but Iowa State was a close second.

Salinger Freed on \$25,000 Bond. Sioux Falls, Dec. 1.—Ben I. Salinger, jr., former vice president and general counsel for the defunct Midland Packing company of Sioux Falls, is at liberty today under bond of \$25,000 following his sentence in federal court here Saturday to four years in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., and a fine of \$1,000 for use of mails to defraud in connection with the company's promotion.

We Have With Us Today. H. G. Leedy, Lawyer, Kansas City, Mo. H. G. Leedy is general counsel of the Federal Reserve bank of Kansas City and is in Omaha on business.

Woman is Slain by Bandit Pair. Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 1.—Two masked bandits entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lennie E. Bloodgood early today, killed Mrs. Bloodgood after they had locked her husband into the basement, and escaped with \$85 in cash they took from under a mattress.

Fight Was Not on Program



Lowell Sherman, who lost decision in fist fight.

When Lowell Sherman, accompanied by Lillian Foster, both stage stars, entered his box at the Equity ball in New York and failed to introduce his fair companion to George Baxter, actor, a fist fight ensued that sent women shrieking from the ballroom.

Police Lauded for Aid to Operatives. Declaring that the Omaha police force is one of the few, if not the only one which co-operates with federal agents, William Gurnett, Omaha police officer who has been serving as an internal revenue officer during a leave of absence from the Omaha force, Monday related harrowing experiences which resulted from the failure of police in eastern cities to co-operate.

U. S. Wins Point at Opium Conference. Geneva, Dec. 1.—A decisive victory was won by the United States this afternoon before the international conference for regulation of the opium traffic when the commission voted it was competent to discuss America's plan for limitation of raw opium consumption in India. Lines were so sharply drawn over that question that delegates warned that it might disrupt the whole congress.

MANY AT RITES OF GAS VICTIM

One of the largest throngs which ever attended a funeral in South Omaha witnessed the last rites Sunday afternoon over the body of Charles G. Root, president of the Traders' exchange, who was asphyxiated Friday by exhaust gas from his car.

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ROSE FORFEITS \$200 BEER BOND

William Rose, alleged head of the Omaha "beer ring," forfeited \$200 in beer bond Monday morning because he wouldn't step across the hall to argue about his connections with the liquor traffic.

Parents of Slain Yegg Meet at Bier

Reconciled by Death of Son Shot by Police; His Widow Breaks Down as She Sees Them.

Refuses to Tell of Crime

Over the body of their son, shot down as a bandit last Friday, the parents of Arthur P. Henderson were reconciled Monday afternoon.

William Henderson, the dead bandit's father, and his former wife, Mrs. C. L. Berry, wept together as they identified the body on the stone at the morgue as that of their son. Henderson and Mrs. Berry were divorced several years ago, and she had since remarried. Neither knew that the other was in Omaha until they met at the police station as they visited Mrs. Latoria Henderson in her cell at the city jail.

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DEPUTY RAIDS NEIGHBOR'S HOME

Deputy Sheriff Dan Phillips has notified too many persons going into 615 South Nineteenth street, across the street from his home.

CHICAGO COTTON EXCHANGE OPENS

Chicago, Dec. 1.—President Charles E. Carey of the Chicago board of trade, who in turn sold to Wallace C. Winter, a broker for James Simpson, president of Marshall Field & Co., 1,000 bales at \$22.40 a hundred pounds.

MAIL CARRIER IS SHOT IN KNEE CAP

James Kinney, mail carrier of Crescent, Ia., was accidentally shot in the leg by his own gun Sunday.

Three Canadian Bank Officials to Prision

Toronto, Dec. 1.—Three former officials of the defunct Home Bank of Canada, which crashed in 1923 for \$18,000,000, were sentenced to the Ontario reformatory. They were convicted on various charges growing out of false bank statements.

Frank Bruner, Confessed Poisoner of His Wife, Believes Only Electric Chair Will Wipe Out Crime



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Resigned to His Fate Now That He Has Revealed Detail of Crime; Woman Protests Innocence. Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Broken Bow, Neb., Dec. 1.—Frank Bruner, 47, who Sunday confessed to the sheriff that he had slain his wife in order to marry the wife of another man, was arraigned in county court here today, waived preliminary hearing and was held to the district court for trial on a charge of murder in the first degree, with bond.

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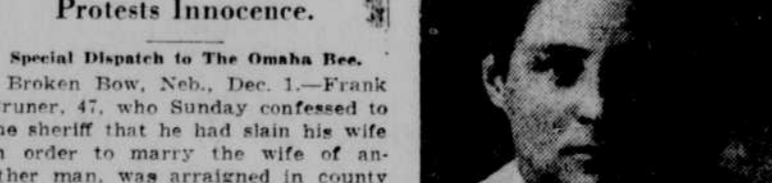
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Wheeler is Safe

Senator Wheeler received a hearty welcome from many of his colleagues on the democratic side. Coincident with his return, Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the minority leader, said there was no intention at this time of reading Wheeler out of the party because of his acceptance of a place on the independent ticket.

AGED MAN GETS DEATH SENTENCE

Parkersburg, W. Va., Dec. 1.—David Runyan, 60, was sentenced to be hanged by Judge Walter E. McDougle today after he had entered a plea of guilty in circuit court to a charge of criminal attack upon his granddaughters, 14.

Prisoner Blames Liquor

"It's booze that ruined me," declared August DeBoodt, when he was arraigned before Judge Fitzgerald on a charge of breaking and entering.

The Weather

Table with weather forecast for 24 hours ending 7 p. m. December 1. Columns include precipitation, inches and hundredths, total, and hourly temperatures.