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"The initiative and referendum makes public opinion the controlling factor in government. The more promptly and fully public officers carry into effect such public opinion, the more truly is government of and by the people realized."—Justice D. J. Brewer

Federal Judge Munger has issued a blanket restraining order against over 100 striking boiler-makers at Havelock, restraining them from using any methods coupled with force, intimidation or threats in seeking to dissuade employees of the Burlington railroad from their work or other men from entering its employ.

President Taft is quoted as not being in favor of the central bank idea. In that regard the president is with a large number of patriotic American citizens, who regard the central bank idea as distinctly a Wall street proposition, with all the sinister menace that fact suggests. Too much power has already been usurped by those gamblers.

O. B. Woods of Danbury was visiting his brother, George W. Woods in Lincoln, yesterday. He declared all the Republicans of Red Willow county and a number of the Democrats will support Congressman Norris for the senate if the latter is a candidate. Mr. Woods said that there is only one state democrat in Danbury and he will vote for Norris out of neighborly regard—Lincoln Journal.

The Lincoln State Journal states that a member of the Lincoln order of Eagles claims the order in that city has dispensed with the bar in their lodge "out of deference" to the sentiment of the people of that city. The Tribune would be more than pleased to be able to make such an announcement in its columns with regard to the McCook lodge of the Order of Eagles.

The editor of the McCook Tribune warns the author and finisher of the "funny column" of the Lincoln Journal to "get in the clear" about May 23-25. If walking remains good and this editor can overcome that alleged overmastering ennui referred to in the Sunday Journal's "faceties," there will be a funeral in the state's capital before the state editorial convention passes into history.

A Washington dispatch quotes the legal minds of the country as being deeply stirred over what is denominated the action of the supreme court of the United States in inaugurating what is designated a new era in the punishment of criminals—that is, requiring punishment to be proportionate to the crime committed. In the name of heaven, since when has there ever been any other just basis of punishment? "Let the punishment fit the crime!"

It is through the saving habit that the rich men of today reached the pinnacle of prosperity. Your small savings, if regularly deposited at interest at the First National Bank may be the foundation of your future.

## RED WILLOW COUNTY LEADS.

Estimate of Nebraska Wheat Crop for 1910 Finds Red Willow County Leading the State in a Gain of 19% over Nearest Competitor.

One of the leading grain companies of Kansas City has just recently issued a bulletin showing the condition of the wheat crop in the state of Nebraska, and the figures made by this company are very satisfactory to the people of Red Willow county. Of the 55 counties reported upon by this company, Red Willow county is one of the seven counties showing a gain in bushels. The gain indicated is estimated at 60%, or 19% higher than the nearest competitor, which is Furnas county with an estimated gain of 41%. The seven counties in which there is an estimated gain are: Chase, 20%, Dawson 5, Frontier 40, Furnas 41, Harlan 5, Hitchcock 30, Red Willow 60.

The estimated gain in bushels for Red Willow county is 450,000 bushels over last year. The report also indicates that 10% of Red Willow county's old crop is still on hand, or 74,800 bushels.

On the basis of present condition of growing winter wheat in Nebraska, the present promise is for a crop of 35,730,000 bushels, a loss of 21.6%, or 9,860,000 bushels from last year's final yield.

There is an increase of from 300,000 to 400,000 acres of winter wheat as compared with a year ago. The loss is greatest in southeastern counties, while the western counties show the greatest promise of a largely increased crop over last year. Of course weather conditions will effect this promise of results.

The report shows the total bushels of wheat on hand in these 36 counties as about 5,800,000.

Report bears date of April 25, 1910, and the figures are claimed to be from personal inspection and from the average report of more than 400 grain men and millers in the state.

We add on our own account that spring wheat conditions in Red Willow county are equal if not superior to fall wheat conditions. Recent rains have not reduced the promise of either.

## Human Rights Higher than Property Rights.

While not merely acknowledging, but insisting upon, the fact that there must be a basis of material well-being for the individual as for the nation, let us with equal emphasis insist that this material well-being represents nothing but the foundation, and that the foundation, though indispensable, is worthless unless upon it is raised the superstructure of a higher life.

That is why I decline to recognize the mere multi-millionaire, the man of mere wealth, as an asset of value to any country; and especially as not an asset to my own country. If he has earned or uses his wealth in a way that makes him of real benefit, of real use—and such is often the case—why, then he does become an asset of worth. But it is the way in which it has been earned or used, and not the mere fact of wealth, that entitles him to credit.

It is a bad thing for a nation to raise and admire a false standard of success; and there can be no false standard than that now set by the deification of material well-being in and for itself.

My position as regards the moneyed interests can be put in a few words. In every civilized society property rights must be carefully safeguarded. Ordinarily and in the great majority of cases human rights and property rights are fundamentally and in the long run identical, but when it clearly appears that there is a real conflict between the two, human right must have the upper hand, for property belongs to man and not man to property.—From Theodore Roosevelt's address at Serbonne, France.

## Marriage Licenses.

Frank S. Graves (21) of Hamlet and Nellie Kriebel (19) of Palisade. Philip McManus (29) of Cambridge and Maud Vanderpool (25) of McCook.

Wesley M. Kurtz (21) of Indianola and Lizzie Schaffert (19) of Bartley. Gus Larson (27) and Maggie Lohner (33) both of Cambridge. Married by the county judge April 26th.

Harry Sabin (27) and Emma Crocker (20) both of Indianola.

Peter Hansen (32) and Georgia Cramer (20) both of Quick, Nebraska. Married by the county judge May 3rd.

James G. Dole (29) of Denver and Claudia B. Hatcher of Indianola.

Morrison M. Evans (21) of Thornburg and Ruth Wray (18) of McCook.

Binum C. Taylor (21) and Hildred McDonald (16) both of Indianola.

Emil C. Hofrock (23) and Ella Tjarks (18) both of Danbury. Married by the county judge May 12th.

## MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

Mrs. G. L. Burney visited Stratton relatives, end of week.

Walter Powell of Trenton is "subbing" on The Republican.

P. Walsh was up the Imperial line, first of the week, on business.

Mrs. E. W. Sovereigns visited Republican City friends, last week.

Miss Grace Brooks and Miss Mabel Wilson visited in Alma, first of last week.

Miss Vernice Franklin is home from her visit east, quite improved in health.

Fred Hughes now a graduate apothecary at Nebraska City, is at home on a visit.

Mrs. Rowell and daughter Miss Grace Rowell are now occupying their home in our city.

Mrs. Henry Best departed, Monday, for Oberlin, Kas., on a short visit to her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Boston of Stratton visited their son and family here, end of week.

C. H. Meeker spent Saturday and Sunday at home, returning west on No. 13, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Dorwart are entertaining a sister-in-law, Mrs. Dorwart from Aurora.

Miss Lois Street of Oberlin, Kansas, was the guest of Mrs. Henry Best, closing days of last week.

Mrs. Will Hegenberger and the twins returned, Tuesday morning, from a two-weeks' visit to her folks at Atwood, Kas.

Mrs. Augusta Antoa goes down to Holdrege, this evening, on D. of H. business which will keep her away for a week.

Mrs. J. E. Kelley returned home, last of week, from sojourn in several weeks at Excelsior Springs, Missouri, for her health.

Mrs. Clara W. Wilson and Mrs. Z. L. Kay attended the grand lodge, O. of E. S., in Omaha, commencing with Tuesday.

Mrs. Lula Snyder and three children will go to Nebraska City, tomorrow morning, on a visit of some length to her mother.

Lon Cone, P. M., attended the grand lodge sessions of the Knights of Pythias at Fremont, opening days of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Burgess and Mr. and Mrs. George Burgess, Jr., took their departure, Wednesday night, for Long Beach, Calif.

F. E. Kipper, a former citizen of McCook and an oldtime railroader, now of Cedar Bluffs, Kansas, was a city visitor, Tuesday.

C. J. Ryan spent part of the week in Omaha, a delegate from McCook lodge to the state meeting of the Knights of Columbus.

Mrs. Frank Humphries arrived from Kansas, end of last week, and is the guest of her parents Dispatcher and Mrs. T. B. Campbell.

Mrs. J. A. Gunn of Omaha, who was a guest of her son Dr. R. J. Gunn, last week, returned home on Saturday morning's early train.

Mrs. W. D. Rowe of Obar, N. M., a sister of Mrs. H. N. Rosebush, arrived in the city, close of last week, and will remain several months on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ritchie entertained the Thursday Whist club last week, the occasion being the last regular session of the 1909-1910 season.

E. J. Mitchell came in off the road, end of last week, to visit the family. He is with a Goodland, Kansas, real estate firm, and is making good.

James Gregory of Bartley was in town, last Saturday, on business. An old settler of Red Willow county, he is arranging to move to some other location.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Rosebush are deeply interested in that little boy baby whose birthdays will be celebrated hereafter at the Rosebush home on May 9th.

Thursday night, Arvene Eisenhart gave his orchestra an auto ride to McCook and a supper at the Monte Cristo. They also took in the picture shows.—Culbertson Banner.

Mrs. N. B. Bush came over from Oberlin, Kansas, latter part of last week, to be with the folks a few days before their departure for their future home in Long Beach, California.

Mrs. R. B. Carlton and young son Leland arrived, Friday night last, from Sacramento, Calif., and will make a visit of a few months with relatives here and in Missouri.

County Clerk Chas. Skalla left, Friday evening last, for the eastern part of the state, on a visit of a week or so. He will attend the state gathering of the Knights of Columbus at Omaha while absent.

Mrs. Mary Stultz of McCook came Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. T. J. Shires and family. Mr. Simmons and daughter Mae and brother, W. M. Simmons, and son-in-law, James Farvie, returned Monday to their home at McCook after a visit to relatives. They were called here by the death of the late Mrs. Corn.

—Geneva Signal.

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## H. C. Clapp

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Earl Ludwick was an Omaha visitor, last of week.

Harold Sutton went into Omaha, Wednesday, on business.

Miss Mamie Hughes is the guest of her sister Mrs. Will C. Evans.

A. Barnett joined Mrs. Barnett at Excelsior Springs, Mo., Tuesday night.

D. B. Doyle is indulging in an auto drive to Akron, being expected home today.

Mrs. A. C. Wiehe is in Lansing, Iowa, called there by the serious illness of Mr. Wiehe's mother, whom Mr. Wiehe recently visited.

Mrs. A. M. Randel returned, latter part of last week, from her stay near Kearney. Her health is much improved. This will be her future home.

Miss Tressa Rector made a flying visit to Lincoln, Sunday. She reports Gordon Hartman as progressing nicely toward recovery from his recent illness and operation.

R. H. Williams came down from Wauwata, Tuesday evening, to meet his daughter Rose, whom he expected home from an Omaha hospital, her condition being regarded as hopeless.

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A few remnants of wall paper for sale. They will not last long. Come soon if you want any of them.

L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

The Barnett Lumber Co. has built a small cement stone building on the rear end of the lot south of W. M. Sullivan to facilitate their business.

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