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TO KEEP THE RECORD CLEAR

Mandate to General Thayer Finally Issued by the Supreme Court.

THIS CONCLUDES THE CONTEST CASE

It Will Be Forwarded to Nebraska's Supreme Court in the Course of Time—Protests Against the Admission of Free Lumber.

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE BEE, 515 FOURTEENTH STREET, WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 29.

When the Bee correspondent this afternoon inquired of the clerk of the supreme court whether ex-Attorney General Garland or anybody else representing Governor Boyd had made or would likely make any further request for the issuance of a mandate to ex-Governor Thayer to deliver the governorship to Governor Boyd, that official said: "No further request is necessary and none is expected. The office has been turned over to Governor Boyd, and therefore the issuance of a decree or mandate is not important except to complete the record. In the course of time the decree will go to the supreme court of Nebraska and become a part of the records of that court, meanwhile Governor Boyd has the office and is exercising the functions of it and there is no necessity for Governor Boyd's attorney to make any request whatever."

Later in the day at the request of Mr. Boyd, the papers of Attorney General Garland, the mandate was formally issued.

To the Bee correspondent Mr. Boyd said: "I only asked to have the mandate issued today for the purpose of keeping the record clear. Were it not for the record no mandate would be requested."

Secretary Blaine Not Disturbed. Secretary Blaine, despite the pain which it must have caused him to publish the personal statement about the distressing character of his domestic history, was not at all melancholy today. On the contrary, he was at his office in the late department in an unusually cheerful mood, laughing and chatting as is his wont when he has disposed of some question which has perplexed him. Mr. Blaine was asked to make public the letter which Father Ducey wrote him in answer to the stinging letter in which Mr. Blaine criticized the priest for uniting young James G. Blaine, a minor and without the consent of his parents, in marriage with Miss Nevada. Mr. Blaine received this request considerably, but agreed that the propriety of private correspondence made it desirable that the publication of the letter written by Father Ducey should come from the man who sent the letter rather than from him who received it. He said that he had no objection to Father Ducey's publishing the letter if he wished. This statement was the only criticism which has been heard today from any source upon Mr. Blaine's course in making public his letter to Father Ducey without giving the latter's reply.

Protests Filled by Senator Padlock.

Senator Padlock introduced in the senate today the petition of Chancellor Canfield and twenty-eight other members of the faculty of the Nebraska State university at Lincoln protesting against the removal of the Utah Indians from Colorado and urging increased appropriations for Indian education as the cheapest, most honest and humane solution of the Indian problem.

He also introduced a bill granting a pension of \$15 a month to Mrs. Mary E. Galley of Columbus, Neb., an army nurse, and a pension from the Manufacturers and Consumers association of Nebraska, officially aligned, representing 188 members employing 7,000 men, protesting against the passage of the free binder twine bill, also from a member of the Southern Lumber Manufacturing association protesting against the proposed legislation for placing lumber on the free list, and urging a grant to take immediate action to complete the gulf coast harbor improvements, so that

outlets to foreign markets may be afforded the growing lumber industry of the south.

To Indemnify Iowa Citizens.

This morning Representative Dooliver appeared before the committee on public lands and made an argument in support of the bill to indemnify the settlers on Des Moines river who were being deprived of their homes by the decision of the supreme court. Mr. Dooliver reviewed the decision comprehensively and showed that congress would not be establishing a precedent by giving the settlers a money indemnity for their losses. He cited the fact that congress, in the early part of the century, appropriated \$5,000,000 to make good losses sustained by those who had taken up lands on the Yazoo grant in Mississippi, and also that \$80,000 was appropriated for live purchases in 1821 for the benefit of the settlers of the Miami river grant.

Want the Bounty Continued.

Letters by the score are being received daily from the residents of Nebraska concerning the continuation of the sugar bounty payment mentioned in The Bee special. Mr. Bryan said today that a question of the jurisdiction of the subject had arisen between the government and the appropriations committee. "I shall vote for the repeal of the bounty clause," said he, "but it is probable that the movement to repeal the law will be instituted by the appropriations committee. There is some question as to the manner which will be adopted to repeal the law. Congress made a beautiful appropriation in the McKinley act for the payment of bounties and unless the law is directly repealed there is no way in which the government can evade the eventual payment of the bounty."

Miscellaneous.

The tea given in the parlors of the Arlington from 4 to 7 o'clock this afternoon by Mrs. Carey and Mrs. Warren, the wives of the Wyoming senators, was one of the most successful social occasions of the season. The rain poured in torrents all the afternoon and evening, yet from the first to the last moment the very large and beautiful parlors were well filled. Several hundred of the first men and women in the city were present and the evening was most delightful. The floral decorations were beautiful, and the table and luncheon most delectable. There was music and dancing.

Senator Padlock today introduced a bill to pension Mary Bettes.

The Kearney Oil Meal company has requested that the free mail delivery service at Kearney be extended so as to take in its plant.

F. R. Holdeman was today appointed postmaster at Loveland, Pottawattamie county, Ia., vice J. D. Lake, resigned, and K. J. Bean at Verona, Utah county, U. T.

Representative J. P. Dooliver of Iowa says: "I see from the press of Iowa that General Harrison will probably be the choice of the republican party of my state, though the committee on property has not yet unanimously in favor of Senator Allison should desire to be in the race."

Senator Power of Montana said he today for Florida this evening and he is absent two weeks. "I am going," said he today, "some place where there are neither mail facilities or telegraphic communication. I want absolute rest and propose to get it."

The senator's condition has improved materially within the past few days and he hopes to be able to return to the senate by having mapped out to be himself in a week or two.

Lieutenant P. H. Powell, Ninth cavalry, Fort Robinson, and Lieutenant Ladd of the same regiment and post are in the city. Senator Padlock has recommended George W. Sargent to be appointed postmaster at Seward, Fillmore county.

the sale of stone lands in Wyoming and some other states. It is held that the present laws upon the subject of stone lands are sufficient.

Western Pensions.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 29.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The following list of pensions granted is reported by The Bee and Examiner Bureau of Claims:

Nebraska: Original—James H. Shearer, Thomas Willett, Jacob Countryman, John Gordon, Thomas H. Brennan, William R. Southard, Sias Garber, George H. Longmeyer, Samuel G. Chevroust, William McMillan, Ronben Krebs, David E. Logan, Joseph B. West, Erastus Washburn, Horace H. Kronkheit, Robert R. Foiden, Joseph Little, Fountain M. Fry, Elsie Kenworthy, Stephen C. Gardner, John Roach, Ellis McBride, Andrew D. Murphy, Thomas J. Kesterson, Lemuel D. Lomon, Jasper N. Kozak, William H. Otis, George William Harding, Loyal E. Wheeler, George M. Mays, G. Jacobs Magie, Jabez E. Leadbetter, Michael Ahl, Daniel C. Mitten, William Farwell, Robert Vanclava, Abraham Kempton, John Bartholomew, Thomas A. Evans, William H. H. Dryden, Edward W. Hooker, Thomas J. Foster, H. Miligan, Increase—Theodore T. March, Reissue—David G. Starulevart.

Iowa: Original—William G. Jones, Moses Bolton, Joel G. Sharp, Edward A. Lampkin, Theodore F. Pierson, deceased; William H. Allen, Manuel Bennett, James Mattern, Julius Beach, Charles F. Lytle, George L. Godfrey, Edmund J. Graves, Ephraim Shallo, Thomas Matthews, James Finley, Arthur E. Cleveland, Alanson C. Harris, Henry Cahn, James H. Patterson, Samuel H. Gaudry, Oscar Corral, Benjamin E. Swartz, Edna B. Jones, John C. Irwin, Andrew W. Jones, Dorbin Grubb, Joseph Beals, Austin Flynn, Henry Mavers, John P. Stevenson, Albert VanDusen, George W. Thompson, Charles W. Alba, Oscar B. Sutton, John Sullivan, Leslie Knapp, Oliver King, Harvey Carr, George Kibler, William Martin, Solomon F. Leg, John Hamlyn, Peter Hartinger, Ernest Heesel, Augustus Reading, Irving Earl, Robert A. McKee, Charles W. Pratt, Samuel M. Hoff, Joshua C. Paluter, Edna C. Wilkinson, Bartholomew E. Cahn, Claus Haas, James S. Howitt, George W. Keith, John Koeh, John Wesley Green, Charles Kelley, John T. Fuquay, Martin McGrath, Cheney Thomas, Anthony—Henry E. Moffat, Daniel V. Russell, Alvin D. Buddy, Increase—Ephraim M. Keybolds, William H. Morris, Abraham Watta, Original widows—Josephine M. Pierson.

FIRE AND POLICE.

Routine Matters Looked After Very Much as Usual.

Commissioner Coburn was not at the meeting of the Fire and Police board last night. Mayor Bemis presided and the regular routine of business was transacted as if there had never been a whisper concerning the recent sweeping changes in the board.

Detective J. M. Ellis sent in his resignation which was accepted. The board passed a resolution complimenting Ellis on his work while in the service.

Fire Chief Satter asked for 100 copies of the chief's annual report for exchange; granted.

Chief Sweeney wants the city jail corridors and the matron's room repapered and kalsomined. The matter was referred to the committee on property.

Secretary Hovey of the Police Relief association sent in a \$90 check benefit bill for Captain Cormack, which was allowed. He also requested that the association funds be divided among the following banks: McCague's, German Savings, Nebraska Savings and the Omaha Savings bank. This matter was referred to the committee on laws and ordinances.

Officer Von Mugges' case was postponed for two weeks. The protest of property owners against the removal of Fred Fuller's saloon from 112 North Twelfth street to 1306 Farnam street was taken up, and the hearing of the complaints occupied some time. Fuller's application for removal was refused.

LINCOLN'S GRAIN INSPECTOR

Joseph Morgan Appointed to Be Chief of That Department.

NOT INCLINED TO RAISE NEW ISSUES

Governor Boyd Preferred to Follow the Strict Construction of the Law Relating to the Subject—Nebraska Sugar Beet Producers Disturbed.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 29.—[Special to The Bee.]—Joseph Morgan was today appointed by Governor Boyd chief grain inspector at Lincoln. It has been the opinion of the Board of Transportation that for the good of the department that this position should be filled by a county who should be under the control of the chief inspector at Omaha. The strict construction of the warehouse law provides for a chief inspector at every city having a class A warehouse. Governor Boyd has decided that it is better for him to abide by the strict construction rather than to raise a new question as to law. Mr. Morgan was brought to Lincoln from Chicago some time ago by Harris Bros., grain brokers of this city, to do their inspection, and some three months ago was appointed deputy inspector under General McElride in place of Anderson, who was removed to Omaha. During this time his work has given the best of satisfaction, and he has proved himself to be an expert in the business.

Of Vital Interest to Nebraska. Deputy Labor Commissioner Andres received a letter today from the Beet Sugar association of York county which brings forward a question of vital interest to the growth of the beet sugar industry in Nebraska. The greatest obstacle to the growth of the industry has been the difficulty in securing the large amount of labor necessary to the proper cultivation of the sugar beet. In their section the amount of efficient labor is so small that it is barely sufficient to the cultivation of ordinary crops. The conditions under which a party of capitalists have been operating in York county is such that they have had to resort to the use of convict labor to secure the necessary amount of labor necessary to the proper cultivation of the sugar beet.

There is a prisoner confined in the state penitentiary by the name of Charles Thomas. His right name is Walter Manueffer. He was tried and convicted in May, 1881, in Lancaster county for forgery and was sentenced to five years imprisonment. In view of the circumstances of the crime this sentence was most harsh and severe. Manueffer was at that time but 20 years old and this was his first criminal offense. He presented at one of the Lincoln banks a forged paper upon a firm that was not then in existence. He realized nothing upon his venture but was immediately arrested, tried and convicted.

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ganges and will, on the death of his father, come into a large competency. His family have never deserted him, but have kept him supplied with everything which prison discipline allowed him to have. Upon his release he will return to his home in Germany. Jeff Teemer Arrested.

Jeff Teemer, the negro whose name has become familiar to newspaper readers from his connection with the Yocum-Van Fleet affair at Hastings, was arrested this afternoon while about to board the east-bound flyer. Detective Pound received a telegram from Hastings about noon asking him to arrest Teemer on the charge of being an accessory to the murder of Van Fleet. Teemer, it will be remembered, was taken to the station with Captain Yocum the day of the shooting and was a witness to the tragedy. When the other arrested men on the station and told him he was under arrest, Jeff innocently asked, "what does this mean? What do you want me for?" He was very soon apprised, and making no resistance was taken to the police station. He was taken out tonight by the officer.

Ever since the day following the tragedy, when Teemer was ordered to leave town, he has made his headquarters in Lincoln, and has not ventured out on his run to Denver. The Eden Musee company for bringing them back to Hastings were found on his person, advising him to get out of the country as quickly as possible, and asking him to send an address where his clothes could be sent to him. The notes were unsigned.

From District Court. Judge Tibbets and a jury are trying the case of Pynchon against Scott. The plaintiff alleges that there is \$175 due him as wages and that he is entitled to \$20 additional on a note he was compelled to pay. Scott claimed that he had been converting a portion of his collections as driver of a laundry wagon to his own use, and caused his arrest. While in jail, Pynchon says, he was induced by threats to execute a \$50 note, which he was afterwards compelled to pay, it having passed into innocent hands. The defense is a reiteration of a charge of embezzlement, and affirms that Pynchon had agreed to work out the balance of the amount he had taken, but quit, leaving Scott holding the sack for \$25.15, for which he asks judgment.

The cases of Libbie and Ella Maloy against the Eden Musee company for bringing them into public scandal and disrepute by ordering them out of the museum on the pretense and charge that they were disruptive characters, was settled today. The plaintiffs asked for \$2,000 each, but took \$110 apiece and called it square.

Gustav Klemperer asked \$3,000 from William Reitzel for an eye that Reitzel's boy had knocked out with a stone, but the court threw the case out of court because it did not constitute a cause of action.

The suit brought by Jay Burrows against the State Journal company for \$20,000 for insulating that he had converted alliance funds to his own use was called today but continued until Wednesday in order to give the journal time to amend its answer to the petition.

Boyle, Adams & McKeleban, attorneys of St. Louis, who have a claim of \$2,500 for professional services against the Fitzgerald-Mallory construction company, were allowed to intervene in the Fitzgerald case today.

Odds and Ends. The house of Merrick E. Baird, at 915 E. Street, was partially destroyed by fire this afternoon. A defective fuse pressed the button and the fire department did the rest. Loss, \$500; fully insured.

F. P. Ogston, late of Wichita, will manage the Funks opera house for L. M. Crawford. The opera house was also one of the victims of the mad dog Saturday. She was bitten on the fingers of the left hand, and is badly frightened.

The republican congressional committee of the first district will meet at the Capital hotel tomorrow evening to select the date and place of holding the congressional convention.

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VAN WYCK FOR PRESIDENT

Nebraska Independents Preparing a Surprise for Their Unsuspecting Brethren.

HE WOULD BE A STRONG CANDIDATE

Reasons Why the General is the Most Available Man Who Could Be Nominated—He Says He Does Not Want the Honor.

"I want to tell you something that is going to happen," said Mr. V. O. Strickler yesterday. "The matter has not been heralded about the country as yet, but just as sure as the sun rises next Fourth of July General C. H. Van Wyck of Nebraska is going to be nominated in this city for the presidency by the independent national convention."

"Why do you feel so positive about the matter?" was asked of Mr. Strickler. "Because the signs of the times point to it with unmistakable certainty. Just look at the situation a moment: The two men who have been spoken of most frequently as probable candidates for the presidency on the independent ticket are Weaver of Iowa and Donnelly of Minnesota. While both of these gentlemen are able and have a strong following, yet there are vital reasons for predicting that neither will be nominated. Mr. Weaver ran for president some years ago and was defeated. That will militate against him. Mr. Donnelly is looked upon as being to a certain degree unsteady in his political attitude. People don't know just where to find Mr. Donnelly at all times.

His Record His Recommendation. "On the other hand here is General Van Wyck with a record for monopoly fighting that reaches back fifteen years or more. He has a national reputation as the champion of the people's rights against monopolies. I was surprised to see the cordiality with which General Van Wyck was greeted by the delegates to the St. Louis convention. Those Southerners were particularly enthusiastic over the general. His speech at the meeting of old soldiers simply melted the hearts of everybody in the hall. There were 120 union soldiers at that meeting, and they swarmed about him after the meeting in a way that surprised a good many people.

"Just at present there is sure to be nominated a western man. That is a foregone conclusion. This is Van Wyck's home state, and the convention coming to Omaha will have to take into consideration the fact that the republican convention in Chicago did in 1860— it nominated Lincoln. I feel perfectly confident that General Van Wyck will be our standard bearer next fall.

"How about the vice president?" "Hon. L. L. Polk of North Carolina will be nominated for vice president. This, you will note, is the north and the south and polk a vote that will astound the nation."

Van Wyck Favors Weaver. General Van Wyck was seen at the Paxton by a Bee reporter, and was asked about the probability of his becoming the nominee of the independent party for the presidency. "I shall not be a candidate," said the general frankly. "There are other men who will be very glad to get the nomination and I do not want it. I am looking after different matters entirely. I have no desire to run for president.

"Just at present there appears some doubt about the independents being able to elect a president this year, but no one can tell what changes may take place within a few months. But it is not an account of the doubt connected with securing an election the cause me to say that I have no desire to be the nominee for the presidency. I have other matters that are more interesting to me, and I believe that Mr.

Weaver of Iowa will be a splendid man for a standard bearer. He is an able and a fearless leader and I like him."

Greatest Convention on Record. "You will probably look after the governor, orship them, if you are not nominated for president."

"There is nothing positive about these things," replied the general, smiling blandly. "We shall have to wait until the campaign is more fully outlined before predicting with any degree of certainty. I have certain things in view and shall look out for them when the proper time comes."

"There is one thing you might say, however, in The Bee. It is this: We will have the largest convention of the three, and it will be all Omaha can do to take care of the people. Omaha will see the greatest Fourth of July next summer ever witnessed in the northwest."

COUNCIL MEETINGS, Ia., Aug. 8, 1870.—Dr. J. B. Moore: I feel it not only a privilege but a duty to say a good word for your catarrh cure. After doctoring with several of the best specialists of the country without relief, I was advised to try your catarrh cure, and I am pleased to say I am entirely cured. Yours truly, W. A. STRONG, Traveling agent Fairbanks Scale Co. For sale by all druggists.

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ASKED FOR A HOSPITAL.

Chief Neavey's Resolution Adopted by the Board of Health. A special meeting of the Board of Health was held yesterday afternoon, at which the mayor presided.

Chief Neavey offered a resolution requesting the mayor and city council to take immediate steps toward establishing an emergency hospital on lot 5, block 9, which is located at the corner of Ninth and Harney streets, is unoccupied and is owned by the city. The chief explained the pressing necessity for a hospital and urged the board to use its utmost influence to have such an institution established. The resolution was adopted.

The board passed a resolution requesting the city council to appoint a committee to confer with the proper authorities in regard to the establishment of a pest house.

A resolution requesting the council to define the duties of the city physician was also passed.

Dr. Somers reported on the condition of the West End dairies and it was decided to serve notices at once, requiring the dairy keepers to put their places in good sanitary condition inside of fifteen days. James Combs, a colored man who keeps a herd of cattle at Eleventh and Grace streets and feeds them on garbage, was ordered to abate the nuisance inside of ten days.

A couple of livery and sales stables on Cuming street near Twenty-fifth street will be notified to clean their premises.

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