OMAHA NATIONAL BANK CASE

Defendants Protest Against a Rehearing in Douglas County District Court.

COUNTER SHOWING IN SUPREME COURT

Claim is Set Up that the Court Has No Jurisdiction to Recall a Mandate Issued Except to Correct Clerical Errors.

LINCOLN, March 28.—(Special.)—The defendants in the case of the State of Nebraska against the Omaha National bank filed a counter showing in the supreme court today protesting against the issuance of another mandate ordering a rehearing of the case in the district court of Douglas county. This suit involves $201,000 of state money lost through the defalcation of ex-Treasurer Bartley. The last decision of the supreme court reversed the decision of the Douglas county district court and the case was remanded for further proceedings. The defendants moved for judgment on the original proceedings and the motion was sustained. Attorney General Smyth contends that the lower court violated the terms of the mandate in not submitting the case to a jury for another trial and asks for another and more explicit order compelling the district court to try the issues of the case again.

The counter showing of the defendants alleges that the supreme court has no jurisdiction to recall a mandate once issued except for the purpose of correcting clerical errors and it is asserted that the showing made by the attorney general does not disclose any errors in the supreme court decision.

It is alleged that the opinions of the judges of the supreme court decided no question of law or of fact and furnished no rule of procedure that was of controlling force on the district court. The opinion reversing the district court and remanding the case is analyzed as follows:

Opinion Analyzed.

"Judge Sullivan handed down an opinion holding that the trial court erred in instructing the jury to return a verdict for the defendant; and which opinion does not pass upon any other error in said case; that Harrison, chief justice, handed down a written opinion in which he expressly stated that he did not concur in any part of the opinion of Judge Sullivan and which was an actual dissent thereto, but that in his opinion the district court erred in overruling the application of the State of Nebraska for leave to dismiss its action without prejudice before final submission of the case to the jury; that the third member of the court, Judge Norval, took no part in the decision; that no two members of the court agreed on any question of law or fact as ground for reversal, and hence, as two members of the court held that the judgment should be reversed, but for different points of error, a judgment was entered reversing the judgment of the trial court, but not directing anything further as to the particular manner of procedure, and the judgment of this court and its mandate to the district court reversed said judgment of the district court, but did not direct a new trial of all the questions of law and fact in the case."

The counter showing alleges that the supreme court as now constituted cannot rightfully give an intrepretation of the meaning of the former judgment. When the opinion was handed down the court was composed of Judges Harrison, Norval and Sullivan. Judge Harrison has since retired from the bench and hence cannot participate in this subsequent interpretation, and no decision can be rendered on these questions by Judge Sullivan alone, as the constitution requires the concurrence of a majority of the court in all opinions. Judge Holcomb, it is alleged, cannot pass judgment on opinions rendered by the former court. It is further alleged that he is disqualified from the fact that he held the office of governor and as such directed the commencement of this suit and also testified as a witness on behalf of the state in a suit lately pending against ex-State Treasurer Bartley and his bondsmen, in which was involved a recovery from them of the same money for which this action was brought.

The attorneys appearing for the Omaha National bank are R. S. Hall, W. J. Connell and John L. Webster.

Railroad Rate Cases.

The various railroad rate cases which have been pending before the State Board of Transportation for several weeks will be called up for consideration tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. On account of the complicated condition of the railroad rate litigation it is quite probable that several of the cases will be dismissed. Several of the roads are being prosecuted in the supreme court by the attorney general and at the same time an effort is being made to enforce a widely different scale of rates under the jurisdiction of the Board of Transportation.

A runaway engine crashed into a freight train on the Burlington railroad near Havelock today. The crew in charge of the freight train escaped uninjured and the engines were only slightly damaged.

At a special meeting of the library board last night plans were adopted for the Carnegie public library building. The proposed building will be 80x100 feet in size. It will be practically two stories high, the plan calling for one story and an extraordinarily high basement. A museum will be placed in the basement. The building will cost $68,000 and the fixtures $7,000.

The Evans Rifle club of Columbus filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state today. The club is capitalized for $5,000. The incorporators are: C. D. Evans, C. J. Garlow, Fred Stires, Albert Becher and Gus C. Becher.

PROCLAMATION OF GOVERNOR

Cattle in Certain Localities in State Quarantined on Account of Texas Fever.

LINCOLN, March 28.—(Special.)—The following proclamation, quarantining certain localities in Nebraska on account of Texas fever, was issued today by Governor Poynter:

STATE OF NEBRASKA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, LINCOLN, March 28.—Whereas, It has been brought to my notice by a circular issued by the United States Department of Agriculture and through other sources that a contagious and infectious disease, known as splenic or southern fever, exists among cattle in the area of the United States hereinafter set out.

Now, therefore, I, William A. Poynter, governor of the state of Nebraska, for the purpose of preventing the introduction and spread of said disease in this state, do, by virtue of the authority vested in me, hereby proclaim that between the 1st day of April, 1900, and the 30th day of November of the same year any cattle imported from the said area or district shall be brought in subject to the regulations hereinafter set forth.

First—All railroad and transportation companies in this state transporting such cattle into or through this state, or that shall receive or ship such cattle that have, prior to such shipment, been shipped or driven out of such scheduled district to the point where they were received by such railroad or transportation company for transportation into or through this state, shall, by their bill of lading or waybill, state explicitly whence said cattle were originally shipped or driven and shall stamp thereon in large letters the words: "FROM THE SCHEDULED DISTRICT," and on cars carrying cattle from said area shall bear placards stating that said cars contain "SOUTHERN CATTLE."

Second—All railroad and transportation companies that shall so receive and ship such cattle shall immediately after the said cattle are unloaded and before the cars are used for any other purpose, cleanse and disinfect such cars in which the same are shipped, by removing all manure and litter thoroughly from the floor and side of cars, inside and out, to places inaccessible to animals of the bovine species.

Third—All railroad and transportation companies that shall hereafter unload such cattle in any yards along the line of their said roads or routes of travel shall unload such cattle in pens set apart especially for such cattle and shall allow no other cattle to enter into or be placed in such pens.

Fourth—The cars used to transport such animals and the pens in which they are fed and watered and the pens set apart for their reception at points of destination, except those pens that are set apart for the exclusive receiving and yarding of such cattle, shall be disinfected in the following manner: (a) Remove all litter and manure. This litter and manure may be disinfected by mixing it with lime, or saturating it with a 5 per cent solution of 100 per cent carbolic acid; or if not disinfected, it may be stored where no cattle can come in contact with it until after November 30, 1900. (b) Wash the cars and feeding water troughs with water until clean. (c) Saturate the walls and floors of the cars and fencing, troughs and chutes of the pens with a solution made by dissolving four ounces of chloride of lime to each gallon of water. Or disinfect the cars with a jet of steam under pressure of not less than fifty pounds to the square inch.

Fifth—Cattle originating in said area may, after having been properly dipped, under the supervision of an inspector of the department of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, be shipped without further restriction. Provided, that the cattle when dipped be shipped in clean cars and not be driven through the infected district or unloaded therein, except at such points as may be duly designated by an order issued by the department of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry.

Sixth—From November 1 to November 30, inclusive, cattle from said area, which are found free of infection upon inspection by officers of the department of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, may be moved into the state without restriction. If evidence of infection is found upon such inspection the cattle must be dipped in accordance with the provisions of section 5 before same can be permitted to enter this state.

Seventh—Cattle froom the Republic of Mexico may be admitted into this state after inspection according to law as follows: (a) Cattle free from splenetic or Texas fever and from contact therewith during the three months preceding such inspection, and which have beeen grazed in a locality free from infection of such fever, may be admitted into this state. If destined to points in this state a special permit must be obtained from an inspector of the Bureau of Animal Industry, said permit being issued according to the regulations of said bureau; the cattle for which said permit is issued must not be driven through the infected area, nor be unloaded in any part thereof except at such points as may be duly designated by an order issued by said bureau; if shipped in inclosed cars or unloaded in the infected area, except as above stated, they will be subject to the regulations concerning infectious cattle. (b) Cattle found upon inspection to be infected or to have been exposed to infection during the preceding three months must be dipped at port of entry under supervision of an inspector of the department of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry prior to admittance to the state of Nebraska; after dipping, said cattle shall be subject to the conditions specified in the last preceding paragraph.

Eighth—Notice is hereby given that cattle infested with boophilus bovis, or southern cattle tick, disseminate the contagion of splenetic or southern fever (Texas fever); therefore, cattle originating outside of the district described by this proclamation and which are infested with the boophilus bovis ticks shall be considered as infectious cattle and shall be subjected to the rules and regulations governing the movements of southern cattle.

Ninth—Stock yard companies receiving cattle infested with said ticks shall place such cattle in the pens set aside for the use of southern cattle, and transportation companies are required to clean and disinfect all cars which have contained the same in accordance with the requirements heretofore enumerated.

Tenth—All stock yard companies in the state of Nebraska receiving cattle from the scheduled district shall set apart certain portions of their yards for the cattle described in this proclamation and shall conspicuously mark same, and shall provide separate chutes, alleys and scales for such cattle, and where the waybills or bills of lading and cars of the railroad delivering the same show that they are the kind of cattle before described, they shall be placed in that portion of the yard set apart for such cattle, and in no case shall such cattle be unloaded by any railroad or transportation company in yards or pens other than those set apart for the exclusive receiving and yarding of such cattle.

Eleventh—All stock yard companies in this state receiving cattle from the scheduled district shall yard such cattle only in pens set apart for their exclusive use and shall not permit the driving of such cattle through any alleys or over any scales other than those set apart for that purpose; and said stock yard companies shall not permit any cattle that have been imported from the scheduled district to leave the yard to be driven into, upon or over or across any public street, highway, alley or common.

Twelfth—Cattle may be imported from the scheduled localities when they are destined for immediate slaughter in this state, in which case such cattle shall not be driven over any public highway or common.

Thirteenth—Cattle from the scheduled district may, while in transit through this state, be unloaded for the necessary time required for feeding and watering at the stock yards at South Omaha, Lincoln, Grand Island and Aurora, in said state, and then only in pens and feed yards set apart for the exclusive use of such cattle.

Fourteenth—Transportation and stock yard companies are required to fully comply with the above regulations.

Fifteenth—All cattle coming into this state in violation of any of the foregoing rules shall be held in quarantine at the risk and expense of the owner or consignor for a period of ninety days, or until they shall be otherwise disposed of in accordance with law.

This proclamation to go into effect and be in force from and after the 1st day of April, A. D. 1900.

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the state of Nebraska. Done at Lincoln this 28th day of March, A. D. 1900.

WILLIAM A. POYNTER.

By the governor:
W. F. PORTER, Secretary of State.

Postpone Action on Bridges.

GERING, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—The county commissioners, at their meeting to consider the bridge propositions, postponed final action on the matter until their next meeting, not deeming it advisable to submit propositions for new bridges until the approaches thereto were made county roads. It is presumed that those interested in the two new bridges, which are to be located at Sunflower and Minatare, respectively, will make the arrangements to avoid that objection by the next meeting. The petitions were signed by 272 persons.

PEDAGOGUES TAKE COUNSEL

Three Gatherings of Teachers Are Held in Nebraska.

AT HASTINGS, BEATRICE AND WAYNE

Annual Meetings Are Held and Topics of Interest to the Profession Are Discussed—The Programs in Detail.

HASTINGS, Neb., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The eighth annual meeting of the Central Nebraska Teachers' association opened a three days' session here today at the Presbyterian church. The meeting was opened at 2 o'clock by President Horace F. Carson of Kearney. The program was as follows: Round table rural schools conference, Superintendent C. Q. Jester of Clay Center presiding. "The Greatest Need of Our Rural Schools," Superintendent A. J. O'Malley of Greeley, discussion led by G. S. Lininger of Loup City; "The Teacher from 4 P. M. to 9 A. M.," Superintendent Eva Case of Red Cloud, discussion led by Superintendent C. B. Manuel of St. Paul; "Requirements for Teachers," Superintendent T. F. McCarthy of Aurora, discussion led by Superintendent W. T. Bottenfield of Nelson. Grade and High school conference, Principal J. F. Mathews of Grand Island presiding: "English in the Grades," Miss Esther A. Moyer of Edgar, discussion led by Mr. Allen of Miller; "English in the High School," Mrs. E. E. Cromes of Nelson, discussion led by Principal L. A. Olinger of Overton; "The Proper Basis for Promotion," Superintendent C. L. Anderson of Ord, discussion led by James Sparks of Fairmont.

The session met again this evening. After music by the orchestra and invocation by Rev. Vandyke Wright an address of welcome was delivered by Mayor Jacob Fisher, which was followed by a response from J. L. McBrien. A lecture on "How Geographic Environment Has Shaped Our National History" was given by Dr. Jacques W. Redway. The session is well attended, as there are 200 or 300 teachers in attendance.

Southeastern Association.

BEATRICE, Neb., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The Southeastern Nebraska Teachers' association convened at the High school building in this city today. The attendance is large. Three sessions a day, with interesting programs for each, are announced to conclude Friday evening. The leading educational talent of the state will make these various meetings pleasant and instructive. Tonight the Inter-High School association engaged in a splendid debate at the auditorium. The trust question was discussed, with Crete and Falls City on the affirmative and Nebraska City and Beatrice on the negative. Tomorrow the program includes discussions and papers on school work and management, with the evening devoted to a lecture by Prof. Jaques M. Redway on the subject of "How Geographic Environments Have Shaped Our National History."

North Nebraska Association.

WAYNE, Neb., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The North Nebraska Teachers' association convened here today in annual session and in spite of the inclement weather the attendance is good. Large delegations arrived on all trains. About 250 are already in the city and it is expected that by tomorrow the number will be increased to more than 400.

The reception committee was at the trains to meet the different delegations and assign them lodging. The first session was held at the court house this afternoon at 2:30 and was called to order by President D. C. O'Connor of Norfolk. Miss Ellen Austin of Stanton was elected presiding officer. An interesting paper was read by Miss Eoline Clark on "The Requirements Necessary to Graduate from the High School," which was thoroughly discussed.

The High School Declamatory association was organized by the election of the following officers: Prof. Miller of Randolph, president; Prof. Seykora of South Omaha, vice president; Superintendent Laird of Fremont, secretary.

The north Nebraska high school declamatory contest takes place at the opera house tonight, there being two contestants in the oratorical class, eleven in the dramatic and three in the humorous.

WOMAN WILL PROSECUTE HUSBAND.

Mrs. Emma F. Coon is Raising Funds for Attorneys.

ASHLAND, Neb., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. Emma F. Coon, the divorced wife of James Warren Coon, who narrowly escaped death at his hands on the afternoon of March 10 and who is now living in South Omaha, was in Ashland today, coming from Wahoo this morning, where she had been to sign the papers calling for his appearance in court for preliminary hearing. Mrs. Coon was here raising money to employ attorneys to assist County Attorney Gilkeson in the prosecution of Coon, who, it is reported since his arrest and confinement in the county jail at Wahoo, has several times threatened to make another attempt on her life. It is also reported that Coon has said that when he came back to Ashland he would burn the town and would shoot five of the men who were instrumental in securing his incarceration in the county jail.

A few days ago Sheriff Thomas Farris took Coon from the jail at Wahoo to Omaha to see his son, William Coon, and have the latter intercede with his mother and have the prosecution stopped. The son refused to do so. Coon has a bad record. He attempted to shoot his wife fourteen years ago, when they were living at Chester, Neb., Mrs. Coon saving his life when the mob had a rope around his neck. Coon's case has been transferred from Justice of the Peace Moon's court in Ashland to the county court in Wahoo. The preliminary hearing will occur at Wahoo on Thursday, April 5, the prisoner having recovered from his sickness. His plea will be insanity.

REPORTS OF STORM IN STATE.

Ground Being Put in Good Order for Spring Work.

GIBBON, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—A slow, drizzling rain fell here last night, turning to snow early this morning, but the snow is melting fast.

NORTH LOUP, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—A shower of rain fell here last night, lasting about two hours.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—This section was visited by a heavy rain last night. This will place the ground in good condition for spring plowing and seeding.

PLAINVIEW, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—It has rained and snowed for the last twenty-four hours. The ground is in fine condition. Some small grain has been sown.

Notice of Waugh in Manila.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—The American, a newspaper published at Manila, P. I., just received here, contained the following in regard to the son of Samuel Waugh, cashier of the First National bank of this city: "Lieutenant Waugh of Company H, Thirty-ninth infantry, arrived from Thyabas yesterday on the N. S. del Carmen, bringing with him fifty-five sick men and one wounded soldier, belonging to the Second battalion of that organization. The wounded man was shot through the arm and leg, and was being brought in to the first reserve hospital. This was the day previous to the death of the young lieutenant, and is the only word received of him by the parents except the report from the War department.

Robbers Sentenced to Jail.

DAVID CITY, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—In the district court Saturday afternoon Richard Smith and Oliver Stevens withdrew their plea of not guilty and plead guilty to the second count in the information, charging them with daylight burglary. Oliver Stevens previously confessed his guilt and his name was indorsed on the information against Smith. Stevens further gave the names of parties who had furnished tools to assist them in liberating themselves from the jail. Judge Sornborger, in view of Stevens' confession and turning state's evidence, sentenced him to the county jail for sixty days. Richard Smith was sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of two years.

District Court at Plattsmouth.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—In the district court the case of Charles Williams against Edward L. Parish was dismissed for want of prosecution.

The motion for a new trial in the case of George Hurlbut against the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad was overruled and judgment given on the verdict, to which defendant excepts, and is given forty days in which to file bill of exceptions.

Sale was confirmed and deed ordered in the case of the County of Cass against M. N. Anthony et al.

In the case of Lulu N. Humphrey against William A. Humphrey the plaintiff was given until April 9 to file an amended petition, to which the defendant excepts.

The case of Annie Wilkison against John Wilkison was set for trial March 30.

In the case of Christian E. Mockinhaupt against R. T. Rochford the judge appointed Louis Neitzel as receiver.

Building Boom at Grand Island.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—Richard Gocring is now excavating for the basement of a business building on Front street on the lot adjoining the Koehler hotel on the west. The building is to be 124x48 feet, two stories high, besides the basement, and be constructed of iron, stone, brick and wood. It is specially designed for a wholesale house. The Nebraska Mercantile company has rented the building for a term of five years.

Several dwelling houses are in process of construction in different parts of the city and the prospect is good for more as the season advances. The remodeling of Wolbach's mammoth store will cost thousands of dollars, and when it is finished it will have a front of eighty-eight feet.

Perigo Pleads Self-Defense.

ALMA, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—J. A. Perigo, the young man who shot Charles Hanson at Franklin, was arrested at his home near Woodruff, Kan. The officers drove from this place to his home and when he made his appearance they placed him under arrest. He pleaded guilty of the shooting and claims it was in self-defense. The story as told by Perigo narrates that they had several altercations before and he had informed Hanson if it occurred again he would shoot him. It is the general opinion where the accused lived that he was justified.

Gering Municipal Tickets.

GERING, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—Two municipal tickets have been placed in the field for the city election, one of them being nominated by the Anti-Saloon league, as follows: R. M. Hanks, W. H. Trainor, E. H. Sayre, James Westervelt, sr., and E. P. Cremer.

The second ticket is comprised of George B. Luft, Martin Gering, A. L. Birchard, J. A. Burton and D. C. Onstott, and is intended as a business man's ticket, without reference to the license question. The nominees are all business men.

Mrs. Horton Discharged.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—The case against Mrs. Etta Horton, charged with the murder of her newly-born babe, came to an end this afternoon. Justice Smith, before whom the preliminary was held, discharged the accused upon motion of the attorneys for the defense, as soon as the examination of the witnesses for the prosecution had completed their testimony. The justice sustained the motion. All the evidence was purely circumstantial.

Hunter Shoots Himself.

TECUMSEH, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—While hunting at McLaughlin's lake, nine miles northwest of here, Saturday, Edward Smith met with a terrible accident. In loading his gun he placed the muzzle on his foot to steady it as he attempted to work the lever, which did not act freely. The gun was discharged, two toes were torn off and the foot otherwise badly mangled.

Boy Killed by a Broncho.

GERING, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—Wesley White, a young man living about ten miles west of Gering, was thrown from a vicious broncho yesterday and instantly killed. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White, well known and highly respected citizens. The burial services are to be held this afternoon.

Sleet at Dixon.

DIXON, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—A cold, drizzling rain and sleet has been coming from the northwest all day, which will retard the sowing of grain for several days. Farmers were just getting their seeding under way and the ground was in good shape.

New Paper in State.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—The initial number of a new evening paper, the Republican, made its appearance yesterday. The publishers are Bedford & Berry. The paper will be republican in politics.

Mrs. Calvin Zimmerman, Milesburg, Pa., says, "As a speedy cure for coughs, colds, croup and sore throat One Minute Cough Cure is unequaled. It is pleasant for children to take. I heartily recommend it to mothers." It is the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. It cures bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe and throat and lung diseases. It will prevent consumption.

FIRE RECORD.

Large Barn Burns.

ALBION, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—Yesterday morning at 4 o'clock the large barn of John O'Neil was burned to the ground and with it nearly all the machinery on the farm, some fifteen tons of hay and one cow. Lightning was the cause of the fire. All his horses and many head of cows and calves were in the barn, but they were all gotten out safely. The total loss was $1,000. Insurance covered the amount.

Bryan's Tour of the Northwest.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 28.—W. J. Bryan spoke at Albany and Salem today and then came to Portland, where he spent a few minutes. He left at 8 o'clock for Pendleton over the Oregon Railway and Navigation road, where he will speak tomorrow. In the afternoon tomorrow he will go into the state of Washington, making his first speech at Walla Walla. In his speech in Albany today Bryan charged the republican party with the encouragement of trusts and, for their suppression, advocated that they be controlled by the federal government through the interstate commerce act.

Bad Man Killed in a Saloon.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 28.—"Boston Blackie," known throughout the state as a dangerous and quarrelsome character, was fatally shot in a saloon this afternoon by the proprietor, John Van Toll. Blackie had been ordered out. After leaving he broke in the front windows and re-entered and attacked Van Toll with a knife, knocked out his front teeth and cut several gashes on his neck and face. Van Toll picked up a shotgun and fired at Blackie, the charge tearing off most of the right side of his face. Van Toll was arrested.

Expressmen's Combine in Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 28.—A combination of expressmen and moving van companies in this city is said to have been formed, embracing nearly 300 companies and single expressmen. It is said to be the intention of the originators of the combine to reduce by one-half the rates for moving furniture, trunks and for all business that comes to an expressman until the entire army of expressmen in Chicago is in the combination.

HEAVY SNOWFALL IN DAKOTA

Nearly a Foot Now on the Ground and Storm is Still Raging.

HURON, S. D., March 28.—The heaviest snow of the season has fallen here since midnight. Nearly one foot of snow now covers the ground and the storm is still in progress. Reports indicate similar snow fall over the state east of the Missouri river and south from Aberdeen.

MELLETTE, S. D., March 28.—The worst blizzard of the season prevails here. Twenty inches of snow fell last night and a heavy north wind is blowing. However, the temperature is moderate.

MITCHELL, S. D., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—This part of the state is in the finest possible condition for beginning of spring work on farms. Nearly an inch of water fell Monday night and a heavy, wet snow has been falling since yesterday afternoon, amounting to at least five inches.

ABERDEEN, S. D., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The heaviest snow storm of the winter prevails here today. Six or eight inches of snow has fallen. Points south report fifteen to twenty inches. The temperature is mild. Stock will suffer in cases where the hay supply is light.

STRIKE RICH ORE FIND.

Rich Ledge Just Discovered in the Ironsides Mine.

DEADWOOD, S. D., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Frank A. Waters of Colorado Springs, Colo., came in today from Camp Harnan in the phonolite district with wonderfully rich samples of sylvanite ore from the Ironsides mine, the property of the Colorado-Deadwood company. Waters was only recently reinstated as general manager of the mine. He himself discovered the rich ledge in the roof of the main tunnel. It now has been opened eight feet wide and traced 150 feet to the face of the tunnel. The ore is literally filled with sylvanite, running from four to nine ounces of gold. It is considered by Colorado men here to be a remarkable discovery. Three carloads of $175 ore will be shipped next week to the Colorado-Philadelphia Reduction company, Colorado City.

Claim Political Persecution.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., March 28.—(Special.)—Wessington Springs has had a series of sensations growing out of the issuance of a warrant for the arrest of M. A. Schaeffer, a druggist, and formerly county treasurer of Jerauld county, on the charge of selling intoxicating liquors. Schaeffer fled, but has now returned. He has been bound over to appear before the next grand jury to answer to the charge against him. The most sensational feature of the affair is the arrest of Patrick McDonald, sheriff of Jerauld county, who is charged with refusing to serve the warrant issued for the arrest of Schaeffer or permit a deputy to do so. The sheriff also has been bound over to appear before the next grand jury to explain his alleged official misconduct in the matter. Both men are prominent in populist circles in Jerauld county and claim to be the victims of persecution on the part of their political enemies.

Lodge Will Meet at Hot Springs.

ABERDEEN, S. D., March 28.—(Special.)—The Degree of Honor Grand Lodge have finally decided to hold their annual meeting at Hot Springs at the time of holding the grand lodge of Ancient Order of United Workmen. The jurisdiction comprises North and South Dakota and it was felt that the expense in traveling so far was greater than could be incurred. This objection was finally overcome. It is quite probable that the lodge will separate and form a jurisdiction for each state at the next meeting.

Bad Man Rounded Up.

PIERRE, S. D., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—A young fellow giving the name of Ed Williams, who came in here several days ago and tried to do the "bad man" act, was rounded up and his revolver taken from him. He then hired a horse at the Northwestern livery barn for a short ride in the country, but failed to turn up. The last heard of him he was south of Harrold, about forty miles from here, with the horse. Officers are after him and expect to bring him back.

Verdict of Accidental Death.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The coroner's jury returned a verdict tonight finding that the death of Mrs. Paul Flemrey, who was burned at her home last Friday night, was accidental. Flemrey, who was held pending the result of the inquiry, will be released. Mrs. Flemrey charged her husband with the crime, but it was found that she set herself on fire and that her clothing had been burning several hours when discovered.

Dakota Republican Rally.

ABERDEEN, S. D., March 28.—(Special.)—The republican county convention, held in Aberdeen March 28, resolved itself into a grand rally, which was attended by many people from all parts of the county, in addition to the regular delegates. Music was furnished by the Aberdeen City band. Lieutenant Governor John I. Kean of Woonsocket and Hon. H. L. Loucks delivered the principal addresses.

Large Cattle Sale.

HURON, S. D., March 28.—George E. McEatherton, proprietor of the largest Hereford cattle ranch in this part of the state, sold at public auction in this city yesterday seventy head of choice stock at good prices. The sale amounted in round numbers to about $3,000, most of which was paid in cash, farmers in almost every instance being the purchasers.

River Full of Ice.

PIERRE, S. D., March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The river has been so full of running ice today as to prevent crossing. It came up to the seven-foot mark last night, a rise of about four feet, but is falling again this afternoon. Three inches of snow fell here last night, which will furnish moisture to start the grass on the prairie and help stock interests.

Petition for New Contract System.

ABERDEEN, S. D., March 28.—(Special.)—A petition for the adoption of the New Zealand method of letting contracts for the public work of the city has been filed with the city auditor. The city council is asked to pass an ordinance embodying the provisions of the system, which are set forth at length in the petition.

PACKING HOUSE STATISTICS

Marketing of Hogs Continues with Practically No Changes from Last Week's Figures.

CINCINNATI, March 28.—(Special Telegram.)—Price Current says: The marketing of hogs continues practically unchanged in aggregate number, western packings showing a total of 410,000 for the week, the same as for each of the preceding weeks, and compared with 380,000 the corresponding week last year. From March 1 the total is 1,880,000, against 1,470,000 a year ago. Prominent places compare as follows:

	1900	1899
Chicago	400,000	475,000
Kansas City	210,000	190,000
Omaha	165,000	110,000
St. Louis	125,000	125,000
Indianapolis	55,000	58,000
Milwaukee	44,000	62,000
Cincinnati	47,000	39,000
St. Joseph	108,000	87,000
Ottumwa	39,000	36,000
Cedar Rapids	27,000	15,000
Sioux City	58,000	52,000
St. Paul	36,000	30,000

HYMENEAL.

Davis-Pearman.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., March 28.—(Special.)—Leonard Davis, the local manager of the Western Union Telegraph company, was married today to Miss Katherine Pearman. Rev. Garvin of the Cumberland Presbyterian church officiated.

English-Boettcher.

Richard E. English and Miss Dorothea M. Boettcher were married Wednesday evening, March 28, at 3451 South Fifteenth street. Rev. Charles W. Savidge officiated.

Danielson-Pearson.

Otto Danielson and Miss Ellida Pearson were married Wednesday, March 28, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Charles W. Savidge.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Thursday and Friday to Be Fair in Nebraska and Kansas—Winds Northerly.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

For Nebraska and Kansas—Fair Thursday and Friday; northerly winds.

For Iowa—Fair in western, snow in eastern portion Thursday; Friday fair; northerly winds.

For Missouri—Fair in western, rain in eastern portion Thursday; colder in southeast portion; Friday fair; northerly winds.

For South Dakota—Generally fair Thursday and Friday; variable winds, mostly northerly.

For Wyoming—Fair Thursday and Friday; easterly winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, March 28.—Official record of temperature and precipitation, compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

	1900.	1899.	1898.	1897.
Maximum temperature	30	34	33	62
Minimum temperature	34	20	13	35
Average temperature	26	27	23	49
Precipitation	.26	.00	.00	.00

Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1900:

Normal for the day	41
Deficiency for the day	5
Excess since March 1	22
Normal rainfall for the day	.07 inch
Excess for the day	.19 inch
Total since March 1	1.48 inches
Excess since March 1	.19 inch
Deficiency for cor. period, 1899	.70 inch
Deficiency for cor. period, 1898	.14 inch

Report from Stations at 8 p. m.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.	Temperature at 8 p. m.	Maximum temperature	Precipitation
Omaha, cloudy	38	38	T
North Platte, clear	42	44	.04
Salt Lake, clear	44	48	.04
Cheyenne, partly cloudy	34	36	.06
Rapid City, clear	30	34	T
Huron, snowing	28	30	.16
Williston, snowing	26	32	.12
Chicago, snowing	38	42	T
St. Louis, cloudy	64	68	.00
St. Paul, cloudy	34	36	.00
Davenport, raining	32	32	.66
Helena, partly cloudy	42	42	.00
Kansas City, cloudy	42	56	.00
Havre, partly cloudy	28	30	T
Bismarck, cloudy	28	28	.64
Galveston, partly cloudy	62	66	.00

T indicates trace of precipitation.

L. A. WELSH,
Local Forecast Official.

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