

CASH IN THE BANK IS SHORT

Cashier Chamberlain of Tecumseh Takes Away Collateral to Sell.

NEITHER MONEY NOR CASHIER RETURNS

Assistant Unable to Transact Business with \$30 and Notified the State Banking Board.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Aug. 30.—(Special.)—The disappearance of Cashier Charles M. Chamberlain of the Chamberlain Banking house at Tecumseh, led to the sudden and unexpected closing of that institution today.

Chief Clerk A. N. Dodson of the State Banking Board, has been placed temporarily in charge, but will be relieved soon by Examiner Hartwell, who was notified by telegraph this morning to hasten to Tecumseh and take possession on behalf of the board.

Cashier Chamberlain departed a week ago, saying that he intended to dispose of a large block of the bank's collateral in exchange for currency. He intimated that he would make the transaction in Chicago.

Comparatively nothing is known here of the actual condition of the bank. The last statement, made on June 3, showed that the bank had deposits amounting to \$102,843.85; loans, \$100,787.56; capital, \$50,000; cash, \$34,953, and due from other banks, \$10,613.96.

So far as known here, the only shortage will be in the collateral. The books have been balanced up to the paper taken away by Mr. Chamberlain, but it is not known here how much this paper amounts to.

Two other banks in Johnson county were heavy depositors in the Chamberlain Banking house, but it is not believed the failure of the latter will seriously affect them, unless the assets are much poorer than expected.

Several months ago Mr. Chamberlain caused the State Banking board some trouble by the organization of two branch banks, one in Vesta and one in Graf. The board investigation showed that neither of these organizations were clearly authorized and illegal.

Many stories about failure. TECUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—State Bank Examiner W. D. Hartwell of Pawnee City is in charge of the Chamberlain banking house at Tecumseh, the institution having been turned over to the State Banking board this morning.

It is said that Mr. Chamberlain is in New York state settling up his father's estate and that he will return to Tecumseh at once. The teller says the bank will pay out in full. That it has \$40,000 deposits, \$90,000 good paper and no bills payable.

Many reasons are advanced for the closing of the institution, the most feasible one being that some of the heavy depositors have commenced to lose faith in the stability of the institution within the last sixty days and have drawn heavily on the deposits, scarcely giving the bank an opportunity to prepare for the withdrawal of their money.

The other two banks in Tecumseh were prepared for runs today, but experienced none. The closing of the Chamberlain bank will surely cripple business here for a time and if it falls it will be a severe blow to many depositors who can ill afford the loss.

Trouble in Light Company Two Factions Among Owners Contending Over Who Shall Be the Manager.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Aug. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—Another shaking up in the executive department of the Lincoln Gas and Electric company is imminent. General Manager Daugherty of the Emerson-McMillan syndicate, which owns a controlling interest in the Lincoln company, was expected here this afternoon, but did not arrive. It is likely he will be here Monday and a meeting of the directors will then be held.

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MANY VISIT THE FAIR GROUND

Exhibits Being Put in Place for the Opening Day, Monday.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Aug. 30.—(Special.)—Street cars and railroad trains began hauling people in large numbers to the state fair grounds today, notwithstanding the position does not really open until Monday morning.

In Agriculture hall space is at a premium. Hereafter each county sending a collective exhibit has been allowed fifty feet of space, but this year, owing to the increased number of exhibitors, the managers found it necessary to reduce the allotment to thirty-six feet.

John H. Fawell of this city, son of Mrs. E. P. Holmes, died today in Manila. He was attached to the staff of one of the generals in the islands, acting as official interpreter. Mr. Fawell was four years commander of the United States Marine Corps, Philippines, being transferred to the Philippine Islands a year ago.

The scale of prices are the same as those fixed in the contract given a year ago and are considerable lower than those prevailing here several years ago.

The contract will call for 174 half night lights and eighteen all night lights. For the all night lights the charge is \$7.45 each per month and for the half night lights \$5.45 each per month.

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The Burlington shops will be closed and at 2 o'clock there will be a grand parade. It will be participated in by representatives of every brand of industry in Plattsmouth.

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GENOA, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—The sixth annual encampment of the Platte Valley Grand Army of the Republic association, which is being held at this place this week, is proving to be a winner. The largest crowd, about 3,000, in the history of the association was in attendance Thursday to witness the ball game between ball teams from Fullerton and St. Edward.

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WORK FOR THE PAYMASTERS

Large Number of Troops in Department Require Services of Three.

EXPERIMENT IN RURAL FREE DELIVERY

Routes Laid Out to Cover All of Cass County and Intended to Give Each Inhabitant Daily Mail Service.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—The enlargement of the Department of the Missouri, for chief of return of troops from the Philippines, has greatly increased the work of the pay corps in that department.

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ELECTRICAL STORMS SEVERE

Disturbances Visit Gage, Clay and Cass Counties, Doing Minor Damage to Property.

BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—A severe rain, wind and electrical storm visited this section this evening. Several buildings were damaged by lightning, but as far as known no fatalities occurred.

The precipitation was immense and the storm was in the shape of a cloudburst. EDGAR, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—One of the heaviest thunderstorms that has ever visited this section of Nebraska passed over this section last night from 12 to 1 a. m.

Temperance Workers at York. YORK, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—The Woman's Christian Temperance union convention began in this city at 3:30 Thursday afternoon. After the usual opening exercises the president, Mrs. Northrup, appointed committees on credentials, courtesies, resolutions, also reporters.

Old Settlers Organized. SCHUYLER, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—Permanent organization of the Old Settlers' association was formed here today. James Hughes being elected president.

Case Where Rain Benefits. GIBBON, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—A fine rain fell here last night. This insures the largest corn crop in years and will start fall plowing, as the ground has been too hard.

Morrisey is Fusion Entry. VALENTINE, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—The democratic and populist senatorial convention for the Fifth senatorial district were held here today, each being represented by three delegates.

Boy Struck by Lightning. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—Lightning struck a young son of Horace Wilson, living three miles west of Syracuse, this afternoon, and while he was not killed outright the physicians hold out no hope for his recovery.

Grain Commission Firm for Beatrice. BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—P. P. McMahon will open a branch office in this city September 1 for Floyd J. Campbell & Co. of Omaha, members of the Chicago area, thirty-eight square miles; population, 1,000.

Corn Needs Maturing Weather. WATERLOO, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—Corn is in excellent condition, but needs bright, warm days yet to put it out of danger of frost.

Unique Method of Raising Fund. TECUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—The women of St. Andrew's Catholic church of this city are in charge of A. F. Hart's general merchandise store today.

Sunday Schools to Meet. TECUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—The Johnson county Sunday School association will hold its annual convention in Crab Orchard, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 9 and 10.

Rushes Telephone Lines to Lincoln. LINWOOD, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—The Nebraska Telephone company has a carload of poles here and is pushing its line to this point. The connection is expected to be completed in three weeks.

Call Fusion Conventions. SCHUYLER, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special Telegram.)—The democratic and populist county central committees met here today and set September 20 as the time of holding separate county conventions.

Clear Sky at Lincoln. LINWOOD, Neb., Aug. 30.—(Special.)—The last few days were the only "hay" days here for about three weeks. The farmers have lost a quantity of hay by the continued wet weather.

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SHERIDAN, Wyo., Aug. 30.—The great forest fire in Fremont county is still raging. The fire has already burned over a territory of forty miles.

ORDERS SPECIAL GRAND JURY

Judge Brentano of Chicago Begins Probing Tax Scandals.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Judge Brentano today ordered a venire for a special grand jury to convene next Tuesday to consider the "tax-fixing" scandals that have thrown county officers into a turmoil during the past week.

Charge is Made that Taxes Were Marked Paid in Order to Deceive Bonding Companies into Accepting Prospective Issues.

Wahsh Makes Exposure. According to Walsh he was appointed by Luke Wheeler, a man who, he maintains, was the head of the conspiracy. Wheeler, Walsh said, told him that the Masonic Temple association was in bad shape financially and that a bond issue was necessary—probably for more than \$100,000.

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