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### BIBLE CASE BACK IN COURT

Daniel Freeman Still Dissatisfied with School Teachers' Method.

ROUTES TAKEN BY MILITIA COMPANIES

P. E. O. Sisterhood Elects Officers and Completes Business of Supreme Lodge of the Order.

reading of the King James version without sectarian note or comment, by the teacher of said district. In the objection filed the members of the school board, who are the defendants, claim that the opinion of Judge Sullivan is that the defendants have the full and lawful right to permit reading of said King James version of the bible in said district schools without sectarian note or comment.

Another weighty objection of the lessee of the writ is the failure of the relator in bringing his original suit in the district court of Gage county to make the successors of the then members of the board a party to the suit. At the time of the filing of the suit, John Behe, Henry Odell, Matilda Collett were the members of the board. Since then their original terms have expired and they have all been re-elected. Because of the failure to include successors in the suit it is claimed that the original alternative writ of mandamus bound the members of board only during the continuance of the term which had been begun at the time of the commencement of the original action.

The further objection is made that the writ of habeas corpus is a writ which is not available in the district court and that the petition for writ of habeas corpus can now be issued by this court in any manner which would affect any school board now holding office in said district or any teacher now teaching therein.

The submission of the demand for a writ is expected to demand from the supreme court a definite ruling on the right of the teacher to read the bible without sectarian comment. The present writ will not result in the employment of the Gage county district at the time that writ issued out of the lower court.

**Orders to Move to Riley.**

Adjutant General Culver today issued his order for the Second regiment to move to Fort Riley. In accordance with the instructions received from the commander of the Department of the Missouri, the companies will move from their home stations October 11 in the order as follows:

Company E will leave Kearney, 9:35 a. m., Union Pacific railway; company H will leave St. Paul at 9:30 a. m., Union Pacific railway; company L will leave Norfolk at 10:50 a. m., Union Pacific railway; company M will leave Albion at 11:30 a. m., Union Pacific railway; company N will leave Schuyler on the Union Pacific railway on special train carrying companies K and J at 11:30 a. m. above. Signal corps will leave Fremont on the same train. The ranking officer of this special train will ascertain from the railroad authorities at Grand Island the probable time of arrival of the train and arrive at Fort Riley with this information to company commanders of company K and signal corps.

Company E will leave Tekamah at 7:15 a. m., Omaha, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railway; companies G and I will leave Omaha at 9:30 a. m., on Union Pacific railway. This train will run as a special from Omaha and pick up company B at Lincoln and company H from Aurora. Company D will leave Aurora at 7:35 a. m., Burlington railway, and arrive at Beatrice at 8:30 a. m., Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway; and arrive at Beatrice at 8:30 a. m., company C will leave Nebraska City at 8:30 a. m., Burlington railway and arrive at Beatrice at 9:25 p. m.

**K. of P. Grand Lodge.**

The grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias will convene in this city next Tuesday and will be in session over Wednesday, Monday evening an informal reception will be given members of the order at the local lodge rooms, where the work will be exemplified and a good time spent. Tuesday night a regular old-fashioned stag party will be given at the same place. The meeting will be held at representative hall and it is expected that 300 knights will be in attendance.

**P. E. O. Election.**

At the national convention of the P. E. O. Sisterhood the following officers were elected today: President, Laura Webber, Knoxville, Ia.; first vice president, Mrs. Mary B. Lawrence, Kansas City, Kan.; second vice president, Mrs. W. E. Andrews, Washington, D. C.; recording secretary, Mrs. Mary J. Axtil, Lincoln; editor of Record, Mrs. Anna Gemond, Okemosh, Ia.

During the meeting Mrs. Lukens of St. Louis and Mrs. Andrews of Washington each spoke of the work on the World's Fair Board of Lady Managers and told of what was expected of the members of the P. E. O. The management of the fair opened June 15 as P. E. O. day and a meeting with the hearty approval of the members. Resolutions of thanks were adopted for the generous treatment given the convention members by the people of Lincoln, for their treatment at the hotels, at the capitol and for every little courtesy extended by everybody.

Mrs. W. J. Bryan invited the women to her home at the following address: "I am honored by the invitation the convention adjourned and a large number of the delegates went out."

**Coal Situation Improving.**

The coal situation, officials of the Burlington, in this district, is better in the last two days. Enough coal to run the northern and southern divisions daily has been received on the dates mentioned. The fuel department is living on the hope that large shipments of coal are now heading this way from the mines in Missouri and Iowa. The mines have promised to increase their consignments to a big figure from now on, and it is up to them to keep their word.


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It appears that the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy and the Missouri lines have been confiscating coal which should have come to the road west of the river and that the mines are not altogether at fault for the small shipments of engine fuel.

**Ralph George Located.**

Ralph George, who left his home in Des Moines and came to Lincoln to visit relatives and disappeared before seeing them about two weeks ago, is in Omaha. H. M. George, a brother of this city received a telegram from F. W. Bender of Sioux City, Iowa, stating that George was in Omaha, alive, and that he would write. Bender was the room mate of George at Sioux City.

**Takes the Gas Route.**

F. F. Cox, a stranger in a strange land, snuffed out his life at the Boyd hotel this morning with gas. He was found lying across the bed in the room, fully dressed and unconscious, by an employee, who notified the police. The man was at once taken to the city hospital and died two hours later. Cox is supposed to be a resident of Greenleaf, Kan., as papers in his pocket would indicate. He went to the hotel last night and registered, but did not write his address. This morning he came down to breakfast and after eating handed the clerk a dollar with the remark that probably if he didn't get his money then the hotel would be out that much. He then went to the room and evidently at once turned on the gas. Cox had come in from the west and had a railroad ticket from Omaha to Washington to Kansas. The remains were taken in charge by the coroner and removed to the morgue.

**Entertain Mrs. Denison.**

Lincoln club women today entertained Mrs. T. D. S. Denison of New York, president of the National Federation of Women's Clubs. A breakfast was given at the home of Mrs. A. J. Sawyer, at which covers were laid for thirty-six guests. At this Mrs. F. M. Hall delivered a short address of welcome, which was responded to by Mrs. Denison, who told of the objects and accomplishments of the Woman's club and of her trip through the west visiting the clubs.

**Demented Man Leaves Train.**

FREMONT, Neb., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—An insane man who says his name is James Donlan and his residence Springfield, O., caused considerable excitement in the southwestern part of the city early this morning. He ran about the streets armed with a pitchfork, screaming and threatening to kill anyone whom he might meet. He tried to force his way into the residence of A. W. Murphy, 767 West Jensen street, and was later arrested after a long chase by Policeman Kent and taken to the county jail. It has been learned that he was a passenger in the Pullman combination car on Union Pacific train No. 6, having been put on the car by some persons in Omaha. When the train reached Fremont about 12:45 he escaped, in spite of the efforts of the porter to keep him on the car. He is about 25 or 30 years of age, five feet seven inches tall and evidently a man of intelligence who has been for some time demented. The only clothing he had on was a pair of undershirt, pants and one stocking. From his general appearance and occasional remarks he makes when quiet it is thought that he has been a soldier in the regular army. The Union Pacific officials at the Union depot, Omaha, have been notified of the case.

**Sally School Statistics.**

PAPILLION, Neb., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—In the annual report of the county superintendent the following facts regarding the schools of Sally county are made known: During the last year there were 3,127 children of school age, while there were 2,346 pupils enrolled in school, and the average daily attendance was 1,675. The average length of term was eight months and seven days; the average wages paid to male teachers was \$4.35 and to female teachers \$4.15 per month; sixty-five teachers were employed. The total cost of maintaining the schools last year was \$41,640.93, or an average of \$17.75 per capita based upon the enrollment. All districts own their text books, and the total indebtedness of all the school districts is \$18,238.84. Of this amount Papillion owes \$10,500 and the remainder is owed by nine other districts.

**Three Held for Robbery.**

BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The preliminary hearing of John King, Charles Ray and George Searns, who are charged with robbing W. T. B. Simpson, a traveling man, of \$1,300 in currency and negotiable paper in this city September 18, was held today before Judge Imman and resulted in their being bound over to the district court in bonds of \$1,000 each. Mr. Simpson and C. J. Jackson, the latter a resident of Cortland, who was also robbed on the same day of \$65, positively identified the men as being the guilty parties.

**Charged with Embezzlement.**

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Edward P. Stewart, who formerly resided in Plattsmouth, has been arrested in St. Joseph, Mo., charged with embezzlement. It is charged that Stewart borrowed a watch, valued at \$30, from Miss Myrtle Lewis, and pawned the time piece for \$5.50 and kept the money.

### COMMITTEES ARE SELECTED

Dr. Conley Names Persons Who Will Map Out Work for Baptist Convention.

BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—The morning session of the Baptist state convention yesterday differed somewhat from the previous session. The subject under discussion was "The Consecration of Money for Evangelizing Efforts." Next followed a report on "Systematic Beneficence," which was read by Rev. C. H. Hancock of Central City, followed by discussion.

Rev. C. J. Pope of Grand Island spoke on "The Pastors' Responsibility to Their Work," after which a report of the church edifice committee was read by Rev. E. E. Bennett of Lincoln. The remainder of the morning was taken up with department conferences.

Dr. Conley announced the following standing committees:

Committee on Education—John R. Webster, Omaha; H. Clay, Norfolk; Rev. G. C. Jeffrey, Alliance; Rev. P. Kirby, Syracuse; Supt. J. G. N. Lewis, Broken Bow.

Foreign Missions—R. R. Coon, Peru; L. M. Denton, East Lincoln; Mrs. C. J. Pope, Grand Island; Rev. A. H. Ballard, Pawnee City; Mrs. E. F. Jordan, Fremont.

Home Missions—J. H. Wood, Fairbury; Rev. C. W. Eldon, Hastings; J. P. Kirby, Stella; F. L. Smith, Albion; E. E. Duley, Wayne.

Systematic Beneficence—S. P. Morris, Broken Bow; Rev. George Sutherland, Grand Island; E. E. Bennett, Lincoln; C. V. Brinkard, Omaha; Rev. George Van Winkle, South Omaha.

Prayer—Rev. John N. Merrill, Beatrice; E. J. Jordan, Fremont; Rev. J. A. Shaw, Ashland; W. Benjamin, Plattsmouth.

By adoption of the report of the committee the next convention will be held at Fremont. Rev. S. C. Green of York, is to preach the convention sermon.

The afternoon session was devoted almost entirely to foreign mission work, with addresses by Mrs. J. H. Kerr, secretary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the west, and Miss Austin of Chicago. The latter spoke of the missionary work in the heathen lands. She stated that there were 15,000 Christian workers in these lands and 75,000 in the schools; that there are still millions of heathen women yet unreached, 25,000,000 of these being widows and 175,000 under fourteen years of age.

The closing hour of the session was occupied by Dr. J. W. Conley, D. D., of Omaha, who spoke on "The Influence of the Christian College in the Evangelization of Nebraska."

In the evening the convention was addressed by Rev. George Sutherland of Grand Island and Rev. George E. Merrill, D. D., president of Colgate university, Hamilton, N. Y. Dr. Merrill spoke of the great need for Christian education and for educated Christian ministers.

The convention yesterday was not as largely attended as the day before, many of the delegates having left the city.

The Baptist state convention, which has been in session here since Monday, adjourned at noon today. The session this forenoon was devoted to closing up the business of the convention. The delegates left the city on the afternoon and evening trains.

### CANNON TALKS OF CONGRESS

Next Speaker of House Predicts No Change in Currency Laws.

NO FINANCIAL MEASURES THIS SESSION

Venerable Statesman Stops in Omaha to Visit Acquaintances While on His Way Back to Illinois.

Hon. Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois was an Omaha visitor yesterday enroute home from a visit to the northern part of Nebraska, where he has landed interests which he was looking after. Mr. Cannon visited Mayor Frank E. Moores and Mr. Edward Rosewater at The Bee office. The coming speaker expressed himself as deeply pleased with the outlook in Nebraska and the evidence of prosperity that was everywhere manifest.

"I have a very warm feeling for Nebraska," said Mr. Cannon, "and especially for the republican members of the Nebraska congressional delegation, whose assurance of support for the nomination for speaker of the house came just in the nick of time."

When asked whether he had completed his list of committees for the next congress he said:

"I have not yet formulated the committees, nor have I yet endeavored to make any selections because of the fact that a large number of the members of congress have been abroad and out of reach. There are 115 new members, who have never before served in congress. And then, again, it is the usual custom to confer with the minority in reference to their preferences on the committees, but as yet the minority has no leader."

"I have been simply overwhelmed with applications for chairmanships of the more prominent committees. There are 256 members of the house and out of that number there are about four pages for every hole. Hence I have about concluded to leave the makeup of the committees until after congress has convened, so that I may have an opportunity to confer with my colleagues."

**Important Committee.**

"One of the most important committees in the next congress is one that will be most difficult to fill is the committee on postoffices and postroads. This committee makes its own appropriations, which amount to \$15,000,000 annually. Great pressure is brought to bear for the increase of pay for the rural free delivery carriers and letter carriers and this will involve the selection of level-headed business men and some of the ablest members of congress."

In reference to probable financial legislation, Mr. Cannon said:

"I doubt if any will be enacted during the coming session. The presidential election is coming on, and it is hardly probable that the proposed changes in the currency laws will be made."

Mr. Cannon looks ruddy and in splendid health. He held that inevitable cigar in his lips, and is the same plain man of old.

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**Chemicals Cause Explosion.**

HASTINGS, Neb., Oct. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—While an experiment was being performed before the senior class of the Hastings High school this morning an explosion of chemicals occurred which injured Miss Helen Dillenback and Miss Maud Johnson, two members of the class. In performing the experiment potassium permanganate and sulphuric acid were used. These ingredients have been frequently used in the same kind of an experiment by Prof. P. E. McCoy, the instructor of chemistry, and they were never known to have caused an explosion. By the accident this morning Miss Johnson's face was somewhat cut up with broken glass and Miss Dillenback's eyes were slightly burned by the chemicals.

**Rob Farmers' Homes.**

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Sheriff J. D. McBride received a telephone message today informing him that while Helm and Osenkop, two farmers residing southwest of Plattsmouth, and their families were in Omaha yesterday that someone entered their respective homes and got away with one gray check suit, a quantity of clothing and a gold hunting case watch. Thus far no trace of the missing goods or the persons who took them have been found.

**Make Judge Present.**

PAPILLION, Neb., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—When the jury of the present term of the district court was released this week the jurors presented Judge Day with an elegant Masonic pin. The judge was much pleased with it and has been busy ever since showing it to his friends.

### FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Promise of Fair for Nebraska and Kansas, with Warmer in Eastern Part.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—The forecast: For Nebraska and Kansas—Fair Saturday, with warmer in eastern part; increasing cloudiness Sunday. For Iowa—Fair and warmer Saturday; Sunday, rain. For Missouri—Fair and warmer Saturday and Sunday. For Illinois—Fair and warmer Saturday and Sunday. For Colorado—Fair Saturday; rain and cooler Sunday. For North and South Dakota—Partly cloudy Saturday, with warmer in eastern portions; Sunday, rain. For Wyoming and Montana—Rain Saturday; rain and cooler Sunday.

**Local Record.**

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Oct. 9.—Official record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

1902	1901	1900	
Maximum temperature	65	74	72
Minimum temperature	39	42	35
Mean temperature	54	62	55
Precipitation	0.00	0.00	0.00
Record of temperature and precipitation for Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1903:			
Normal temperature	57		
Deficiency for the day	0.00		
Total excess since March 1	0.00		
Normal precipitation	0.09		
Deficiency for the day	0.09		
Total deficiency since March 1	36.25		
Excess for cor. period, 1902	2.39		
Deficiency for cor. period, 1901	5.14		
Normal precipitation	1.54		
Report on Stations at 7 P. M.			

**CONDITION OF THE WEATHER**

Temperature at	Precipitation
Omaha, clear	0.00
Valentine, clear	0.00
Beatrice, clear	0.00
Cherryvale, clear	0.00
Salt Lake City, clear	0.00
Omaha, clear	0.00
Huron, cloudy	0.00
Williston, cloudy	0.00
St. Louis, clear	0.00
St. Paul, clear	0.00
Dayton, clear	0.00
Kansas City, clear	0.00
Hayre, cloudy	0.00
Meridian, clear	0.00
Bismarck, clear	0.00
Galveston, cloudy	0.00


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