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RAISE WHOOOP FOR GOOD ROADS

Buffalo County People Show Lively Interest in the Movement.

KEARNEY, Neb., May 27.—(Special Telegram.)—The special train over the Union Pacific carrying the officers of the National Good Roads association arrived here at noon today. The party came to attend a meeting previously arranged, for the purpose of organizing a "Good Roads" association at this place, which will be an auxiliary to the national organization.

ALLEN NAMES THE DELEGATION

Governor's Secretary Nominated for Berkeley's Shoes in Home County. TECUMSEH, Neb., May 27.—(Special.)—The republicans of Johnson county held a delegate convention in this city this afternoon for the purpose of selecting fifteen delegates to the first district congressional convention, which meets in Falls City June 1. Organization was perfected, with J. L. Turner as chairman and S. W. Thurber and J. C. Moore as secretaries.

RUNAWAY IS CAUSE OF ROMANCE

Girl Weds Man Who Rescued Her When Thrown from Buggy. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., May 27.—(Special.)—The marriage of John Q. Pearson and Miss Eliza Brookman a few days ago proves to be the culmination of a little romance which had its beginning in Nebraska. Several years ago, while Miss Brookman was visiting with relatives a few miles west of Plattsmouth, she was enjoying a drive one morning when her horse became frightened and ran away. She was thrown from the buggy, and when found soon afterwards by Mr. Pearson was lying unconscious near the roadside and bleeding profusely from a gash in her forehead.

CADETS PITCH CAMP AT YORK

University Artillery and Signal Corps Advance Guard. YORK, Neb., May 27.—(Special Telegram.)—The university cadets battalion advance detail, composed of artillery and signal corps, came to this afternoon and are setting up camp in the district court. The artillery is in charge of Lieutenant Crawford, and Lieutenant Heintz has charge of the signal corps. The remainder, about 60, will arrive next Monday.

Saloon Cases at Beatrice.

BEATRICE, Neb., May 27.—(Special.)—The city council held a special meeting last night to consider the matter of granting saloon licenses to Fred Robare, George H. Smith and B. A. West. A billiard hall license to H. E. Markle. The license committee reported favorably upon the application of Mr. Robare and he was granted a license. The same reported that in the matter of George Smith, they found a remonstrance filed by Minerva Colby, and asked that time be fixed for hearing the remonstrance, which was done. Further, time was granted the committee to report on the application of B. A. West. The application of H. E. Markle for a billiard hall license was refused by a vote of 4 to 4. After disposing of the license question the council ordered the city clerk to purchase a carload of brick to be used in repairing the streets.

Court Work at Dakota City.

DAKOTA CITY, Neb., May 27.—(Special.)—Upon application of the attorneys for the prosecution the bond of Logan Lambert, the thief who assaulted Rev. Father Joseph Schell, which was fixed by County Judge Elmers at \$100 for his appearance at district court, was raised to \$1,000 by District Judge Graver and the case was continued until the October term of district court. The new bond was furnished by Lambert. The jury in the district court in the case of

ANOTHER TERM FOR TAWNEY

State Board of Education Asks Governor to Reappoint Pierce Man.

MAJORS FINDS ALLIES BREAKING AWAY

State Auditor Refuses Certificate to Omaha Insurance Agent Because of Alleged Remarks Made by Applicant.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, May 27.—(Special.)—The State Board of Education has adopted a resolution asking Governor Mickey to reappoint R. A. Tawney of Pierce, when his term expires. It was adopted unanimously and it is believed that the governor will heed the request, notwithstanding the fact that the Pierce man is a fusionist. The resolution was offered by Majors, who has been steadily opposed by Tawney in the former's efforts to dictate to the board. It was seconded by Mortenson and McElvren, whose faction Tawney headed. The latter had urged the appointment of the retiring member, claiming that precedent justified the policy of making the board nonpartisan. The retiring member is a brother of James Tawney, the Minnesota congressman, who stands high in national republican councils and that fact is counted on to have some weight with the governor.

Break in Majors Combine.

Reports from Peru indicate that Majors was about to break with Gregg and Dezell, his allies, because they secured the selection of W. A. Clark to the faculty of the western school. The instructor was at the head of the Peru school until last summer, when he was forced out because he would not submit to the dictation of the Peru member. He is considered a good educator and the Kearney men wanted him because his name would help the school, but Majors regarded the choice as an affront.

This friction is regarded as the first symptom of the realignment on the board, which those interested in the contest said was sure to come as soon as the diversity of the interests of the board members was indicated. As an indication of the extent to which this development has been carried, it is intimated that Dezell, who owes his place on the board to Majors, is ready to break with him. Dezell, who has been elected superintendent of the Lexington schools, is said to be slated for the Kearney superintendency as a reward for his unwavering fealty to A. O. Thomas. His acceptance would give Kearney two members on the State Board of Education, which would be contrary to established precedents and may be made the basis of a request for his resignation.

WELL-TO-DO FARMER FOUND DEAD

Hanging by Rope in Out Bin with No Known Cause for Suicide. FENDLER, Neb., May 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Herman Bookman, a well-to-do farmer residing six miles southwest of here, was found dead in an out bin this afternoon. It is supposed he committed suicide, as he was hanging to a beam with a rope around his neck. No one was at home at his wife and children, who found the dead man dangling by a rope. The cause for this act cannot be learned. The deceased was in Fendler yesterday, seemingly in his usual good health.

Platte Channel Its Course.

FREMONT, Neb., May 27.—(Special.)—Old reports say that the course of the Platte river has changed wonderfully within the past fifty years. The north bank is almost 30 feet north of its former location. Lee's island, which at the time of the Pawnee council was a short, narrow sandy strip with a few cottonwoods on the upper end is now over a mile long and almost forty rods wide at its broadest point, extending far below the site of the famous council. The channel is changing to the south channel, which in 1885 scarcely existed, and a few years later was spanned by sixteen-foot timbers. This channel is cutting off an unusual amount of land this spring in spite of the fact that along by the island its banks are covered with good sized trees. The spans of the bridge carried out by the flood week before last are mostly replaced and will be ready for travel in a few days.

Elect Necessary to Thomas.

KEARNEY, Neb., May 27.—(Special Telegram.)—At a special meeting of the Board of Education this afternoon A. O. Thomas, who was recently elected principal of the Kearney Normal, resigned as superintendent of the city school. The board by a unanimous vote elected George Burgert to fill the vacancy. Prof. Burgert is a graduate of the State university class of '88 and has been principal of the Kearney High school for three years, giving splendid satisfaction. His successor has not yet been selected, there being no applicants for the place.

Hall in Gregory County.

GRGregory, D., May 27.—(Special.)—Yesterday evening a severe hail storm visited the north part of Gregory county. Hail stones measuring seven inches in circumference were found after the storm. Fortunately there was no wind and the hail came straight down. Crops were not far enough advanced to be greatly damaged, but the young prairie chickens in the district of the storm were all killed.

of much other land which is now unproductive because of the presence of the chemical in the surface soil. At Imperial experiments are being conducted to determine the feasibility of irrigation through the use of a pumping plant. An effort will also be made to develop the dry farming method of soil culture. The same appropriation will not be available until July 1, but the government is already at work. The legislature provided the \$5,000 on the condition that the government make a similar allowance.

Barker Has Visit from Attorney.

Attorney P. G. Haines of Kearney spent some time in the death cell with Frank Barker today. He was not state his mission, but it is intimated that he is preparing to ask the warden to report to the district judges that the man appears to be insane. Under the statute one of the judges of the district court, when such a report is made by the warden, is required to summon a special jury of twelve men to listen to evidence and pass on the man's sanity. Because of the distance from the scene of the crime and the general dislike among Lincoln people for the execution County Attorney A. M. Walters of that county claims that the man cannot have his sentence commuted because he has served several terms in prison. Former State Senator Warner of Dakota City is his attorney. The man belongs to a wealthy family.

No Hearing for Keating.

Notwithstanding the fact that arrangements had been made to hold a hearing today on the application of Convict Frank Keating for a commutation of a ten years' sentence for highway robbery, none of the attorneys put in an appearance. The man received John Rose, a prominent farmer of Webster county. The announcement that the governor contemplated the issuance of a commutation stirred up great opposition at the scene of the crime. Keating's trial cost the county several thousand dollars. Auditor Searle is registering \$3,000 worth of Harvard school district refunding bonds. They bear 4 1/2 per cent and run ten years. Brokers are making a considerable profit handling school refunding bonds, taking them on a 4 1/2 per cent basis, and selling them to small investors at 4 per cent, keeping the difference in the interest as commission.

Not All Alfalfa.

Prof. Bessey of the University of Nebraska has received many complaints from the rural districts regarding the prevalence of yellow top clover in newly seeded alfalfa fields. It is thought that part of the alfalfa seed sold in Nebraska this spring has been adulterated with this clover seed. It is practically worthless as a fodder crop.

Saloon Fight at Shelby.

SHELBY, Neb., May 27.—(Special.)—Shelby is having a time with its saloon question. Shortly before the beginning of the municipal year the board of trustees raised the license from \$1,000 to \$1,500, so that it would continue to have only one saloon. One saloon started May 1 and after that S. J. Dixon, who has run saloons at Norfolk and Bancroft, filed his petition for a license. He is now in the Metz Brothers' building, which is on the main street. Shelby, Hastings and David C. Beebe of Shelby and W. M. Johnston of the city are petitioning for a license. The arguments all day yesterday the board granted the license, after which they were enjoined and the case goes to the district court. Shelby has the only saloon in Folk county.

Union Pacific's New Through Line.

HASTINGS, Neb., May 27.—(Special.)—The Union Pacific is advancing rapidly with the line from Topeka to Marysville, Kan. The railway officials expect to have that part of the road completed before August and through trains running over that line and the St. Joseph and Grand Island into Hastings, and out of this city, over the Burlington stub, to the Union Pacific line at Kearney by September 1.

Ten Thousand for Hastings College.

HASTINGS, Neb., May 27.—(Special.)—Rev. E. Van Dyke Wright has just returned from an eastern trip. While away he secured a donation of \$10,000 for the endowment fund of Hastings college. The city will put in three new drinking fountains on prominent street corners.

News of Nebraska.

GIBBON—Gibbon high school graduated ten girls and one boy at the opera house last night. GIBBON—A heavy rain fell here last night and this morning. This will delay replanting of the corn. MILLARD—Five boys and a girl graduate from the public school. Closing exercises will be held at 8 o'clock tonight. LOUISVILLE—The graduating exercises of the Louisville high school will occur next Wednesday evening. WEST POINT—Theodore Bertrath and Miss Ida Radecheff were married in the

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Some Lace Curtains to close that are all this season's goods, sold down to small lots—with prices at half and less.

Table listing various lace curtains and portieres with prices. Includes items like Brussels, 4 yard numbers, \$5.00 values; special, 2.35; \$5.00 Irish Point, new patterns, 2 to 6 pairs, 3.75; \$5.00 extra fine Cable Nets, white and Arabian colors, 2.50; \$7.50 extra serviceable Cable Nets, domestic, Arabian; special, 4.95; \$11.50 Brussels Curtains, three patterns, 18 pairs in all; special, 6.75.

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All remnants of Wool Carpets, from 75c to \$1.00, two and three-ply, up to 10 yards, at 25c a yard; from 10 to 20 yards, 45c; above 20 yards, 55c. Union and Granite Carpets, up to 10 yards in length, 12c; 10 to 20 yards, 20c; above 20 yards, 30c.

MONDAY MORNING—SECOND FLOOR.

German Lutheran church northeast of town by Rev. J. C. Hanns. COZAD—The tenth annual commencement of the board of education. STANTON—The Stanton High school held commencement exercises last night. There were eight graduates, six girls and two boys. Prof. Mason, who has been at the head of the Stanton school for six years, retired voluntarily to engage in business. NEBRASKA CITY—Henry Price, a colored lad, was arrested and taken to Auburn to answer to a charge of burglary. Price is said to be a member of the gang of young white and colored boys arrested a few days ago by a Missouri Pacific detective. BURWELL—Chris Veaper, an old resident of eastern Loop county, was buried in the Christian church in this place yesterday afternoon. Mr. Veaper came to this community in an early day and had many friends, especially among the old settlers. LEIGH—Class day exercises of the graduating class of the Leigh High school were held yesterday afternoon at the high school rooms. The commencement program was given at the opera house this evening. State Superintendent L. J. McBrien delivered the address. FREMONT—The signal corps had the annual target shooting south of the city yesterday afternoon. Colonel McLaughlin and Captain Culver of Lincoln inspected the company. On account of lack of previous practice the scores made by the boys were not high. LEIGH—Another long, steady rain set in here last evening and continued throughout the night and today. Corn is not all planted and farmers are getting uneasy on account of the lateness of the season. FENDELER—The commencement exercises of the Fremont public schools was held in the opera house last evening. There were fourteen graduates this year. Prof. H. F. Carson, Fremont delivered the address. WEST POINT—Prof. R. H. Graham, superintendent of the West Point schools, has resigned his position, and has been elected as city superintendent of the Wymore schools, and has accepted his position. PAVILLION—Principal A. E. Hildebrand and Misses Ita Dunn and Whitmore were re-elected to the Gretna High school at the meeting of the board Thursday night. The other two places will be filled later. WEST POINT—John Beckenbauer one of the oldest settlers of Rock Creek precinct, died at the age of 72 from kidney trouble. He resided in Cumming county in the year 1870. BURWELL—The Burwell High School closed yesterday, after a year of very successful work under the leadership of Prof. W. D. Cave. There were four graduates, Chloe Johnston, Ruth Borden, Harry Doran and Ralph Brownell. LOUISVILLE—There is considerable replanting of corn in this locality, due principally to cool weather and a hard crust which covered the listed corn. It is expected that the rain which is now falling will be of great benefit to all crops. NEBRASKA CITY—The graduating exercises of the class of 1905 of the high

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