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THINKS WOODMEN IN ERROR

Deputy Attorney General Says All States Tax Reserve Fund.

MORE DEPOSITIONS IN GRAIN CASE

H. G. Leavitt Serves Notice on State Board He is Ready to Commence Work on His Irrigation Project.

LINCOLN, Aug. 16 .- (Special.) -- Attorney General Norris Brown has received word

relative to the assessment of the Woodmen of the World by the county assessor and county board of equalization of Douglas county would be here within a few days. Immediately upon receipt of these mandamus proceedings to compel the assessment of the reserve fund of the order. Discussing the contemplated removal of the order from Nebraska should its re-

serve fund be assessed Deputy Attorney General Thompson said: "I do not know of a single state which would allow this fund to escape taxation. officers of the order are certainly laboring under a misapprehension. At this time I do not know of a state which would this fund and therefore I cannot see where the company would gain anything by leaving Nebraska. It would be a less to Omaha state. and to the state to have the Woodmen headquarters leave Omaha but under the

law it is clearly the duty of the county assessor to assess this reserve fund. understand that it is claimed that some of the home companies, run as old line companies, have escaped this tax. If that is true then the taxing officials have not done their duty. It is well, though, that the matter is to get into the courts so we can get an interpretation of the law. More Depositions in Grain Case, Depositions in the grain case will be taken in Lincoln Friday by Attorney Gen-

are C. Y. Long of this city. The depositions will be taken before Minor Bacon controversy between Leavitt and the govand the entire day will be consumed with ernment over the interstate project which the matter. The hearing will be held in will the senate chamber at the state house. Great Northern Has Right. The question as to the right of the Great Northern to condemn property for a right-

it has not filed its articles of incorporation with the secretary of state, it is said, will not cause that road to suspend operations. The Great Northern has purchased the rights of the Sloux City & Western and this latter road filed its articles many years ago. It is claimed that under the rights of



the Sloux City & Western the Great Northern is doing its work. A number of attorneys have been in Lincoln during the last few months looking up the matter, but

one of them would make a statement. Commission to Beautify Town. Lincoln people have started an agitation beautify the city and secure a number of parks. Rev. Samuel Z. Batten has rec mended that a commission be appointed to serve without compensation to study the ity's condition and needs in the way of parks and other features and to report to the city council. The proposition has met with much favor and probably the com-

mission will be appointed by the mayor. No Trace of Missing Grocer. from Omaha that the records and data disappeared several days ago. Yesterday which will break all connections except

greaves Bros. about the same amount. City to Sell Refunding Bonds. Lincoln is offering for sale \$50,000 4 per secords the attorney general will bring | cent refunding bonds. The issue is to refund an issue of bonds voted to help the Missouri Pacific railroad when it built to Lincoln. Bids will be received by City

Treasurer Fox up to 4 p. m. September 11. To Investigate Highlanders Friday. Insurance Deputy Pierce and Special Exuniner Wiggins will begin Friday morning on the examination of the records and In saying that no states tax such funds books of the Royal Highlanders. The two will go to Aurora Thursday evening. Between now and then they will check up the securities and reports of the order on file in allow the company to escape taxation on the insurance department. Following this LINCOLN WOMAN KILLS HERSELF investigation Mr. Pierce will examine into the accounts of other fraternals in the Has Wealth, but No Health, and

Work on Irrigation Canal.

The State Board of Irrigation has received notice from H. G. Leavitt, the Ames sugar construction work on the Columbia canal project, which has been allowed enough water to irrigate 28,000 acres. This project i begins at the Wyoming state line and extends along the north bank of the Platte area of 15,000 acres of land which can be city. watered from the canal. The significance of Leavitt's notice is not thoroughly un eral Brown at which time five or six derstood at the office of the secretary of witnesses will be examined, among whom the state board. It is pointed out that the work may have some bearing on the

with the construction of the Interstate canal. of-way for its Ashland extension, because project recently. Originally it was fathered by William Frank, whose rights were subsequently assigned to Leavitt. The territory to be served by the canal is the most fertile and susceptible to irrigation of all the lands to be watered from the Pathfinder project. It is supposed that Leavitt plans to use a considerable area of it for sugar beets.

water land in the same territory.

The government is already proceeding

Lineman Falls from Pole. Ralph Downing, a lineman employed by the Lincoln Telephona company, fell from a pole a distance of thirty-five feet this afternoon and received serious injuries. A blood vessel in his neck was ruptured and he was badly bruised.

Charles A. Mitchell Dies. Charles A. Mitchell, formerly connected with the Northwestern railroad and five persons present. s resident of Omaha for a number of years, died August 15 in the West Side hospital, Chicago, following an operation performed few days previously. His fliness was of three years' duration. He leaves a wife and daughter, Harriet, who have resided in Lincoln the last five years. The funeral will be held in Chicago.

Fremont to Do Some Paving. PREMONT. Neb., Aug. 16.—(Special.)—A special meeting of the city council was held last evening at which the ordinance for the paving of Fifth street was passed and the clerk directed to advertise for bids. The council also voted to extend the electric light plant to the North Side addition at an estimated cost of \$4,000 and bids will be advertised for at once. Representatives of the Sloux City & Western railroad were present and there was a lengthy informal discussion of what the road wanted of the city in the way of streets and alleys. The company will want about thirteen blocks of streets condemned for right-of-way and depot purposes, also the right-of-way across

a number of other streets. Many of the streets wanted are in the outskirts of th town. A map was exhibited showing the station and grounds at the foot of Main street south of the old site of the Union Pacific depot. The railroad company has sold several of the houses on its right-ofway, which are being moved into other parts of the city. In several cases the families continued to occupy them while they were being moved.

NEBRASKA GUARDS BREAK CAMP General Culver and Staff Will Stay

Day Longer. KEARNEY, Neb., Aug. 16.-(Special Telegram.)-The brigade broke camp early this morning, but owing to the delay of the covered any trace of the whereabouts of teams the special trains did not get out C. H. Green, the Lincoln merchant who until in the afternoon, instead of 7 a. m., Grainger Bros. attached the stock on a where they have special train service. From debt of \$200. It is claimed Green owed Har- a military standpoint the camp has been a great success. General Culver and each of the staff and officers of the regiments have worked hard to make it such.

Considering the number in camp their deportment was excellent, there being only a few scalawags, and these will be weeded out of the Guard as fast as the officers car get to them. Carousing on the streets or in camp and attempted familiarity with women is not good breeding and has no semblance of either a good soldier or a gentleman.

General Culver and staff will vacate camp Thursday with the feeling that it was one of if not the best vet held by the Nebraska National Guard.

Despondent.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16 .- Mrs. Bertha E. Finney of Lincoln shot herself in the left temple today at the home of a sister. Mrs. manufacturer, that he is about to begin Patterson, and died as a result three hours later. Despondency, due to ill health, is believed to have prompted the act.

LINCOLN, Aug. 16 .- Mrs. Finney was one of the wealthiest women of this city. Her first husband, C. P. Quick, was a Nebraska river to the central part of Cheyenne ploneer. Her second husband was E. Fincounty. It is claimed that there is an ney, father of Dr. E. B. Finney of this

> Insane Man Hangs Himself. LAWRENCE, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special Telegram)-Frank King, age 40, who lived with his parents near Lawrence, committed suicide this morning by hanging himself to the Missouri Pacific raffroad bridge, two miles north of this place. King was treated in the Lincoln insane asylum about five years ago and when returned was much improved in health, but during last year his condition had grown worse again until this morning about 2 o'clock he arose from bed, took a rope and proceeded to the bridge where he took his life. The

coroner from Nelson was called, but it

being a plain case of suicide no inquest

was held.

Bigh School Reunion AINSWORTH, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special.) The eleventh annual reunion of the Ainsworth High school was held at the old Chautauqua grounds near Long Pine last evening. The grounds were decorated with Japanese lanterns and a bright full moon. Roy Barnes delivered the address of welcome to the class of 1905 and Miss Winifred Eicher gave the response. After a dainty supper the young people climbed the bluffs to view the new railroad bridge by the light of the moon. There were about forty-

WOOD RIVER-The foundation for the new depot here is nearly completed and work will be rushed on the structure.

narried at Tekamah Tuesday evening, re-WORK DONE AT CAMP COBB urning to this city this morning. The ride is the daughter of Rev. F. N. Swan-serg, the former pastor of the Swedish autheran church of this place.

BEATRICE—E. C. Titon and G. T. Clark, two young farmers of the Filley selghborhood, yesterday leased the Shallabarger farm eight miles southwest of Beatrice and will farm there next season. BEATRICE—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lenhart entertained the Methodist church choir at their home last evening. Outdoor games were played after which a splendid musi-cal program was rendered. Refreshments were served.

were served.

WOOD RIVER-Miss Pearl Otto and Pharez B. Lilly, both prominent German young people, residing south of Wood River, were united in marriage last evening at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. J. B Leedom officiating.

BEATRICE-Isaac Rebinson, while engaged in mowing weeds on the Union Pacific right-of-way north of the city yesterday, received a sunstroke, the first reported here this season. He is 57 years of age and lives in Glenover.

ANSLEY—The Epworth league camp ANSLEY-The Epworth league camp meeting which is being held at Ansley drew a large crowd Sunday and the present

large crowd Sunday and the present prospects are for a large attendance the alance of the week. The camp grounds re all lighted with electricity. OSCEOLA—Carl A. Olson and Miss Mat-ie W. Smith were married at Shelby. BEATRICE—The village board of Barneson has granted a saloon license to smann. The remonstrators have taken appeal to the district court.

NEBRASKA CITY—The Overland theater recently leased by Woodward & Burgoss of Omaha will be opened Monday evening, September 4, by the Woodward Stock com-pany of Kansas City which will remain in the theater for a week's engagement PLATTSMOUTH—Mrs. Lydia E. Living-ston passed away yesterday afternoon at her home near Mynard, after suffering from a complication of diseases. She was 54 years of age. Mrs. Livingston was a sister of Mrs. Samuel Maxwell of Fremont. BEATRICE—More wheat was marketed here yesterday than at any time during the past week. Price remains steady at 72 cents, corn 44 and oats 22 to 23 cents. Many farmers will finish threshing this week. Yield of small grain continues large

and of fine quality.

WOOD RIVER—The prairie chicken season, which opens September 1, promises to furnish much sport for the hunters in this vicinity. The sand hills several miles north of town are reported to be full of chickens. There has been but few violations of the game laws here so far. SCHUYLER-The returns of the county assessor shows that Colfax county has 6,510 horses, 270 mules, 21,887 head of cattle, 2,521 sheep, 13,267 hogs, 1,230 dogs, 2,618 vehicles, 43

sheep, 13,267 hogs, 1,230 dogs, 2,618 vehicles, as threshing machines, 34 cash registers, 439,438 bushels of corn, 51,922 bushels of wheat, 217,-627 bushels of oats and 206 firearms. NEBRASKA CITY—The members of St. Mary's Roman Catholic church held a Harvest picnic in Riverside park yesterday. A large crowd was present and the addresses were delivered by Rev. B. K. Reilly, pastor of the cathedral at St. seph, Mo., and W. W. Wilson of this

SCHUYLER-Frank Wellman, Ada M. Bilss and Frank Bliss, through their attorney, E. F. Gray, appealed from the decision of the county commissioners in disallowing their claims against the Ehrnberger drainage ditch to the district court. All three of the parties named ask dam-All three of the parties named ask dam ages aggregating \$4,000. OAKLAND-The commercial club of this

city is making arrangements for a picnic at Well's park September 7. The clubs of the country have been asked to join in the good time. Hon. William Gurley has been secured to deliver the address of the All business houses will be closed for NEBRASKA CITY-Johnson Bros. of this

city who are conducting a retail grocery store have decided to open a wholesale grocery in the building they are at present occupying as a retail store. They will move their retail store to another loca-tion. They expect to open their wholesale business this fall. business this fall.

PLATTSMOUTH—The Board of County Commissioners of Cass county has passed a resolution under which they make the necessary repairs on the foot and wagon bridge which spans the Platte at Louisville. Sarpy county will be asked to stand one-half the expense, and in the event of its refusal to do so proper legal steps will be taken in the matter by Cass county. About 696 feet of the bridge was washed out during the spring floods, and an expenditure of over \$3,000 will be necessary to make the repairs.

WEST POINT—The weather continues to

new depot here is nearly completed and work will be rushed on the structure.

BEATRICE—A. C. Hansen of Tarkio. Mo. will arrive in Beatrice September 1 with the intention of taking charge of the Beatrice Military band as director.

WOOD RIVER—Miss Anna O'Connor entertained a number of young people at her home last evening, and the evening was passed in a social way. Refreshments were served.

BEATRICE—Frank Faulkner, who has been Burlington yardmaster here for some time, was transferred to Table Rock yesterday. He will be succeeded by Samuel L. Gamble.

BEATRICE—W. H. Mahannan returned home last evening from Winnipes, Manitoba. While there he purchased ID acres of land a few miles southwest of Winnipes. He reports crops fine in that section.

BEATRICE—J. S. Pool of St. Louis yesterday Essumed the management of the Paddock hotel. O. J. Gollman severs his connection with the hotel in order to devote his time to hie railroad interests.

OAKLAND—Arthur E. Boyce and Miss Theress Swanberg of this city stole a march on their friends and were quietly in the second and successful season.

Practical Instruction Given to Nebraska National Guard.

CAMP ADMI ISTRATI IN THE MAIN THEME

anitary and Culinary Conditions the Object of Care and Lessons Along This Line Taught Officers

and Men.

The camp of instruction of the Nebraska of practical instruction was accomplished. National Guard, which has just terminated | On the day of the sham battle the maneuat Kearney, was in many regards one of vers were among the hills north and west the best ever held, and in no wise did it of the camp, and the work was as nearly fall short of any. The success of the camp as possible under the conditions of actual is particularly gratifying to the officers warfare. Away to the south of the camp n command, for the reason that almost one. | the rifle range, under command of Colonel third of the men were in camp for the first McLaughlin, was in constant service, the time. This bringing together of untrained Sea Girt team practicing steadily and doing men under unaccustomed conditions and some excellent work. One world's record

curing a high degree of efficiency in the Monday an average of 80 per cent was performance of military duties incident to made. The world's record made was at the camp is looked upon as quite a feat. skirmish firing, and consisted of a total General Culver and his aides determined of twenty-four out of a possible twentyon the organization of the camp to give five at 500 yards. The five shots were fired especial attention to the more practical in thirty seconds and the soldier making side of camp life, and to push the purely the run scored four bullseyes and his fifti theoretical to the background. It has been shot was within a quarter of an inch of the an unfortunate experience of the American bullseye. This is a wonderful performance volunteer soldier on being called into and is not likely to be repeated soon again. active service that much unnecessary sickness and discomfort has resulted from the the officers have but vague and insufficient phonic communication that not only Guard has a full regulation hospital equipnotions of what is required of them, and brought the several sections of the camp ment. The great object of the commander the result usually is the loss of many men within easy communication of each other, through sickness and a general deteriora- but permitted of connection with the Ne- ever, was to teach the state's soldiers tion of efficiency in the force before offi- braska Telephone company's system, so how to keep out of the hospital, and Gencers and men are sufficiently trained to that it was possible by telephone to reach eral Culver believes that to a large extent know how to properly take care of them- any part of the state. This was found to this was successful. selves in camp. Under the new regulations be a decided advantage, both by the comthe regimental commander is held for the manding officer of the brigade and by his general condition of the camp, the battalion executive officers, especially Quartermaster ommanders for the battalion quarters and General Jenkins, who found it convenient

the company commanders for the in ordering supplies for the camp. He company quarters. In this way responsibut he is also responsible for the cuisine. This requires that he see to it that the proper amount of food is secured and properly prepared for the table, and that all surplus rations are cared for and accounted for. He must see to it that no mproper food is brought into camp, and that the company quarters are kept clean at all times. Good Health at Camp Cobb.

It was to this practical camp administration that attention was chiefly given at Camp Amasa Cobb. Strictest care was given to the points that would most affect the soldier's health, and under the rigid inspection of Colonel Bills and Colonel Evans, inspector general and surgeon general of the Nebraska National Guard, a highly satisfactory state of affairs was developed. So excellent were the conditions hat Major Birkner, who was in charge of the field hospital, said on Monday that if the conditions that prevailed then had been in effect at the beginning of the camp he would have had not one-fifth of the cases he was called on to care for. As it was, the cases due to unsanitary conditions or food were very few. Articles of food that would tend to cause sickness were excluded from the camp. The men were thus given a practical illustration of the necessity of taking good care of themselves under the unfamiliar conditions of camp life, and the company officers were also taught the proper methods to go about securing what is furnished for the soldier's consumption in camp.

Instructions for Officers. Major Cecil, Captain Palmer, Captain Welch and Lieutenant Hensel of the United States army were in camp, and devoted their time to the instruction of the officers in the minutae of their duties, giving them practical lessons in everything that pertains to the work of an officer of any grade. This instruction is of especial value and the lessons thus imparted are not likely to be soon forgotten. The officers of the regular establishment worked without ceasing and did not confine themselves

solely to the officers, but gave much of the point in which Colonel Evans took his their attention to the men. This instruction was along the lines of a soldier's duty, the result being a decided improvement in the manner and bearing of the men. In fact, Major Cecil, after the review by the govhighly gratified by the improvement he noted in the appearance of the troops,

Drills and Maneuvers.

The theoretical and tactical side of the work was not forgotten and much time was spent in drills, this being left to the discretion of the regimental commanders. Plenty of work along the line of extended order drills, outpost duty and the like was given the men, and much good in the way maintaining them without serious sickness was broken during the week and several or inconvenience, and at the same time se- other fine performances were noted. On

> Work of Signal Corps. The equipment of the camp was a source

bought the soft bread used in Grand Island, slity for the sanitary conditions prevailing and daily telephoned his order to the baker, camp is easily fixed. The company com- having the bread sent out by express. mander must take care not only of the Electric lights were furnished to illuminate sanitary condition of his company quarters, headquarters and thus a new feature was enjoyed.

Field Hospital Equipment. The field hospital and its equipment was

greatest satisfaction. This place was equipped with the latest and most approved of appurtenances, furnished by the United States government. The dispensary tent was furnished with a complete sup ernor on Monday, expressed himself as ply of drugs and all apparatus needed for the compounding and dispensing of medicines; the hospital tent had beds provided with modern conveniences, with screens to keep out insects, and was equipped with a perfect system for filtering water and providing the patients with properly prepared food. It was in the surgical that the real delight for the doctors was to be seen. This was fitted out with one of the very latest of the regulation outfits, which comprises a complete sterilizing the operating room and a complete set of instruments for performing any operation known to surgery, including dental operations. All of this apparatus is so arranged as to be packed into the smallest possible compass and transported with the least inconvenience. In fact, the surgical apparatus, the dispensary apparatus and the water filters would occupy less than half the space in an ordinary wagon and can easily be hauled in a field ambulance. The chest in which the surgical instruments are packed is designed so that it can be carried in the field from the field hospital

to the first dressing station if needed. Best in the World. Major Birkner, who was in charge of the hospital, has seen service in a number of countries and was in Cuba with the United States army during the Spanish-American war, says the equipment furnished by the United States for field hospital equipment ack of practical knowledge of camp ad- of great pride to General Culver and his is the best in the world and is far ahead ministration. The men are ignorant of the staff. Under Captain Henry's direction the of that furnished by any European govnethods essential to the best results and signal corps established a system of tele-, ernment. And the Nebraska National and instructors at Camp Amasa Cobb, how-

> Patients for Norfolk Asylum. NORFOLK, Neb., Aug. 16 .- (Special.)-Authorities at the Nebraska insane hospital in Norfolk are this week busy in preparing for the first allotment of female patients from the Lincoln hospital. Thirtyfive women from that institution will be brought to Norfolk the latter part of this week-probably Friday. This transfer will bring great relief to the hospital at Lincoin where, according to Dr. Greene, many patients have been forced to sleep on the floors.





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