

**BIG SUM FOR THE SCHOOLS**

**May Apportionment Largest But One in the History of the State.**

**DOUGLAS COUNTY GETS FORTY THOUSAND**  
State Board of Public Lands and Buildings Arranges to Allow Railroad to Run Through State Grounds at Norfolk.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
LINCOLN, May 19.—(Special)—The May apportionment of school money to be certified to the state superintendent at the close of business Monday evening by the state treasurer will amount to over \$412,000. There is that amount now on hand and Monday's business is yet to be considered. This is the second largest apportionment, Treasurer Mortensen having topped the record in May, 1904, when he apportioned out \$462,388. Last December the apportionment was \$359,000 in round numbers.

The per capita apportionment at that time was \$1.05 and under the present apportionment of \$412,000 the per capita will be about \$1.10. This will give to Douglas county about \$40,000 as its portion of the state school money. In 1904 the per capita apportionment was \$1.17.

**Railroad Wants State Land.**

The State Board of Public Lands and Buildings went out to Milford this morning to look over the ground which the Burlington railroad wants to use as a right-of-way in changing its line through Milford. Without a special act of the legislature the board has no right to deed the land to the railroad company, but the board, after an investigation, agreed to allow the road to put in its track and then go to the legislature for a deed next winter. The road crosses the state land in what is considered the worst part of it. The company will have to do considerable grading.

**Norfolk Hearing Postponed.**

Because district court begins at Norfolk Monday the investigation at the Norfolk asylum by the members of the Board of Public Lands and Buildings has been postponed until later in the week. Judge Robertson, attorney for Superintendent Alden, asked for the postponement because he will be busy the first part of the week in the district court.

**Governor Talks to Graduates.**

Secretary Piper of the State Board of Charities and Correction, returned today from Alma, where he accompanied Governor Mickey yesterday. Mr. Piper attended the closing exercises of the Alma schools and listened to the address by the governor. He reported the exercises good and the attendance large.

**Formal Closing of Assessment.**

At its meeting to be held Monday morning the State Board of Assessment will take a formal vote on the assessment of railroad property and the records will be made up in accordance with the decision of the board as already published. Then comes the work of distribution of values along the different roads belonging to each system. Inasmuch, however, as changes were made only in two systems, it is presumed the amount assessed will be distributed as it was last year. The board this year completed its work quicker than ever before in its history and very little debate was indulged in.

**Supreme Court Assignment.**

The following is a proposed assignment of cases for hearing Tuesday, June 19, 1906:

Central Granite Company against Lancaster, (reargument before the court), Lancaster; De Laval Separator Company against Godding, Otoe; Ord Hardware Company against the City of Omaha; Machine Company, Valley; Wood against Speck, Holt; Morrow against Laverty, York; American Bonding Company against Private Bank of Omaha; Bruder, Holt, Strawn, Executrix, against First National Bank of Humboldt, Richardson; Port Huron Machinery Company against the City of Port Huron; Madison; Kerton against Kerton, Madison; Shatt against Lockner, Butler; Cheney against Cheney, Butler; Butler against the State, (reargument before the court), Chase, Merrill against Conroy, Douglas; Sebesta against Supreme Court of Honor, Case; First National Bank of North Omaha against Lohnoff, Case; against State, Boyd; Moyer against Adams, Duwe; Allen against Rutherford, Douglas; Fryer, Lancaster.

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Southern National Bank against McGinn, (reargument before the court), Chase, Jacob North & Co., against Angelo, Lancaster; Stul against Maslowski, (reargument before the court), Omaha; Loan and Building Association against Hendee, (reargument before the court), Douglas; Low against Prospect Hill; Jones, Adair, and Associates, (reargument before the court), Madison; Prante against Lomax, Nemaha; Holysoke against Sipp, Lancaster; Newell, Sturz against Thompson, (reargument before the court), Douglas; Steger against Koch, Butler; Canham against Briemers, Knob; Burdick against Rutherford, Douglas; Griffith against Griffith, Richardson; Brown against Brown, Hamilton; Brockway against Reynolds, Davis, Mirage Irrigation Company, and Sturgens, Sheldon; Moore against Neece, Sioux; Hite against Troup, (reargument before the court), Buffalo; Steger against Morris, (reargument before the court), Douglas; Fort Dodge Railway Company, Douglas; Disraeli against Modern Brotherhood of America, Lincoln.

**Insurance Money Paid in One Week.**

TABLE ROCK, Neb., May 19.—(Special)—The policy held in the American Accident association of Lincoln by Frank W. Bailey, who was killed May 11 in the machinery of the Table Rock Brick plant of this place, was paid to the widow yesterday to her full satisfaction. The policy was for \$1,000.

**Piles Cured**

As Easily As a Cough; Painlessly, Quickly and Without Cutting.

**Trial Package Mailed Free.**

The agony and suffering in piles is so great that if a surgical operation was a certain cure (which it isn't), and there was no other means of relief, some persons might be willing to take the chance of blood poisoning or lockjaw.

But now that the Pyramid Pile Cure has been discovered and has proven to be a quick and certain means of relief and lasting cure, there is no excuse for risking your life.

Does Pyramid Pile Cure give immediate relief? Does it cure? Try it and prove it to yourself, as thousands have done before you. Then go to your druggist and get a 50-cent box and complete the cure.

Pyramid Pile-Cure will cure you, and do it with a certainty and a rapidity that will astonish you.

Take, for example, the case of Mr. Benjamin Shaw, postmaster of Bland. We quote his own words in his letter of October 21, 1905: "I was in great agony of mind and body. In the meantime a gentleman told me of the virtues of your Pyramid remedy. I fortunately found it at a drug store, and by the next morning I did not feel that any operation was necessary, and in three days I was able to return home, and a complete cure was accomplished, to my great satisfaction and the surprise of the physician."

For a trial package send your name and address to the Pyramid Drug Co., 697 Woodward Building, Marshall, Michigan, and you will get a trial package by return mail. No marks.

and his rating as a machinist entitled her to receive 20 per cent of this amount. She was handed a draft for \$720. J. H. Whitt, general agent, and M. D. Hatch, secretary and adjuster, were here from Lincoln and arranged the settlement.

**HOUSE PLANS HIS CAMPAIGN**  
Branch of Committees Appointed to Secure Candidacy.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., May 19.—(Special)—Twenty-nine supporters of George L. Rouse in his efforts to land the republican nomination for governor met at the courthouse yesterday and appointed several committees to boom his campaign. The meeting was in response to the written notice sent to the members of the committee of one hundred notifying them of their appointment and requesting them to meet to organize. Twenty-nine of the honored responded.

Mr. Rouse was called for and suggested the plan along the lines of which he desired the committee to work.

In accordance with his suggestion a committee was appointed to consider the committee of C. E. Fralick and W. R. King, to act in conjunction with Henry Schaff and Mr. Rouse. Mr. Rouse, Mr. Schaff, Mr. Horlin and Mr. McAllister were appointed as a committee to appoint six congressional committees for work under Mr. Rouse's direction, each congressional committee to consist of five members. A committee was also appointed to work among the bankers who will convene in this city next week.

The committee on publicity was, on motion of W. R. McAllister, requested to have envelopes printed bearing a history of Mr. Rouse, to be mailed, enclosing correspondence, where they would do the most good.

A committee was appointed to see that the papers of the county were lined up in support of Mr. Rouse, but this motion was later withdrawn.

Seven precincts of the county were represented, Wood River, the Soldiers' Home and the five precincts in Grand Island.

**THOMAS TALKS AND SALOONS OPEN**

**Blair Grants Five Licenses After League Organizes.**

BLAIR, Neb., May 19.—(Special)—Elmer Thomas of Omaha assisted in the organization of a Law Enforcement league here on Thursday evening and today the 11th was lifted and four licenses for saloons were granted. Mr. Thomas spoke in the opera house to a large audience, which showed his sympathy with the objects of the league by subscribing a sum of nearly \$500 to meet expenses of the coming year.

The following officers were elected: President, Dr. C. R. Mead; first vice president, C. O. Krogh; second vice president, John A. More; third vice president, John L. Lutz; secretary, Rev. Mr. Axelson; treasurer, C. L. Pollock; finance committee, C. C. Crowell, Jr., George A. Smith and J. B. Adams. A large membership has already been secured.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon Don C. Van Dusen, editor of the Courier, called on Mayor Harrison and withdrew his notice of appeal on the publication of licenses, which he contended were not printed in the paper having the largest circulation as provided by law. As this removed the only obstacle in the way licenses were at once issued to the four applicants and they immediately opened up for business. One more license will be granted on Monday. There has been a bitter fight over the issuance of the licenses since May 1.

**CHAMBERLAIN IS FOUND GUILTY**

**Teecumseh Banker Convicted of Embezzling Ten Thousand Dollars.**

AUBURN, Neb., May 19.—(Special Telegram)—Charles M. Chamberlain was found guilty tonight of the charge of embezzling \$6,000 from the Chamberlain Machine Company, Valley; Wood against Speck, Holt; Morrow against Laverty, York; American Bonding Company against Private Bank of Omaha; Bruder, Holt, Strawn, Executrix, against First National Bank of Humboldt, Richardson; Port Huron Machinery Company against the City of Port Huron; Madison; Kerton against Kerton, Madison; Shatt against Lockner, Butler; Cheney against Cheney, Butler; Butler against the State, (reargument before the court), Chase, Merrill against Conroy, Douglas; Sebesta against Supreme Court of Honor, Case; First National Bank of North Omaha against Lohnoff, Case; against State, Boyd; Moyer against Adams, Duwe; Allen against Rutherford, Douglas; Fryer, Lancaster.

The defense rested at noon yesterday and the state offered only one witness in rebuttal. Halick F. Rose made the closing argument for the defense after supper, and this morning George A. Adams closed the case for the state. Judge Raper instructed the jury and the case was submitted at 2:30 this afternoon. The jury was out about two hours and a half.

The case has occupied the attention of the district court for about two weeks.

This was the third trial of the case.

Following the failure of the bank nearly five years ago Chamberlain fled. He was indicted and two years later returned voluntarily for trial.

TEECUMSEH, Neb., May 19.—(Special Telegram)—The verdict gives general satisfaction in this city, although Chamberlain has a following which of course is displeased with the decision.

**J. E. NORTH IS NOW FOR BRYAN**

**Cleveland Appoints Who Left Demos- tration to Old Party Fold.**

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**School Work at Humboldt.**

HUMBOLDT, Neb., May 19.—(Special)—This has been a busy week in the city school, teachers and pupils preparing for the coming graduation exercises. The class of 1906 will contain three members—Miss Jessie Draper, Herbert Ford and Garnett H. Murray—and the exercises will take place at the Snethen opera house on Tuesday evening, May 23. Other events on the calendar are: Junior reception and banquet Thursday evening, May 24, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Howell and at the Park hotel; eighth grade graduation exercises at the Christian church on Wednesday evening, May 29, the alumni banquet and reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Sterns on Thursday evening, May 21, and the class sermon at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning, May 23, delivered by Rev. L. Richmond Smith.

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COZAD, Neb., May 19.—(Special)—The school work at Humboldt has been suspended and the students are given time off to attend the graduation exercises at the Snethen opera house on Tuesday evening, May 23.

**BEATRICE**—At a meeting of the senior class of the Beatrice High school Charles Thorsburg was selected as class valedictorian. James C. Hayes was chosen as salutatorian.

**YORK**—Many improvements are being made in York and Chautauqua grounds. Will Regier has placed an order for another Detroit modern gasoline launch which will be used in the summer.

**HUMBOLDT**—Miss Leila Patterson left yesterday for San Bernardino, Cal., to visit with relatives and attend the marriage of a son of Zora, who was born out in that state a couple of years.

**BEATRICE**—The William Mix Grand Army post has arranged to observe December 1st with its usual exercises at the hall and the city park although a speaker has not been selected as yet.

**BEATRICE**—The Beatrice Woman's club met in special session Friday at the home of Mrs. F. C. LaSalle. The constitution was revised and general plans for next year's work were discussed upon.

**PLATTSMOUTH**—J. A. Walker and Allen Williams, who came to this city and accepted a challenge from N. D. Davis and W. K. Fox to play a series of games of "pitch." The score was 8 to 2 in favor of the visitors.

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