

DR. GREENE LEAVES ASYLUM

Superintendent at Lincoln Accepts Position in Illinois Institution.

GETS SIMILAR POSITION AT KANKAKEE

With Sixteen Counties Missing, Some of Largest Among the Number, Assessment Shows Increase of Over Seven Million.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Dr. James L. Greene, superintendent of the Lincoln insane asylum, resigned this morning to take the position of superintendent of the Eastern Illinois Hospital for the Insane at Kankakee.

The institution of which Dr. Greene is the new head is the largest of the kind in Illinois, and Dr. Greene was the unanimous choice of the board of control. His residence there will be separate from the main institution, and the salary paid him is double the Nebraska salary.

Increase in Assessment. With sixteen counties yet to hear from, the total increase in the assessment of the state is \$7,298,388.20, or an actual increase in valuation of \$6,961,966. Among the counties still out are Douglas, Gage, Otoe and Saunders, all big counties, which should show a substantial increase. So far Lancaster is away ahead on increase, its returns showing \$1,624,730 more than the assessment of last year. Other Douglas counties do as well and the other counties do as well in proportion. The total increase in the state when all the counties are in will amount to something between \$7,000,000 and \$10,000,000.

Missup in Automobile Assessment. Several of the assessors have failed to list separately, as provided for in the assessment schedule, the number and value of automobiles. The schedule in the schedule provided a place in one line for wagons, buggies, vehicles and automobiles, and following this is a space for automobiles to be listed and valued separately. The Wood River Bureau of Hall county claims the assessor in that precinct listed two automobiles himself. These do not appear, however, in the abstract returned to the state board, and it is supposed, therefore, by the board there are no automobiles in Hall county.

Son of Dead Congressman. Congressman Adams of Wisconsin, who died in Chicago this morning, was the father of Benjamin Adams, superintendent of the Lincoln assessor. Mr. Adams this afternoon left for Chicago.

Work of Land Commissioner. Deputy Land Commissioner Shively has completed compiling a table of statistics showing the work the office has done since January 1, 1905, in the matter of selling and appraising school lands. Up to July 1 applications were filed to purchase \$1,388,43 acres. All of this land was reviewed by the land commissioner, or his deputy, except in a few cases where numbers of the board knew the land and passed upon the appraisement made by the local authorities. The total increase in the appraisement over the figures of the local appraisers amounted to \$306,223.51.

During the eighteen months \$6,249,141 acres in sold, the appraised value as fixed by the local appraisers being \$714,135.07. The same lands sold for \$928,705.31, an increase amounting to \$214,569.24. Of the above but 14,317 acres were sold at values placed thereon by appraisers; the other lands at from 10 to 33 per cent higher than the appraised value. These lands were sold at prices ranging from \$7 per acre—the minimum price as fixed by the constitution of the state—to \$45 per acre.

Additional applications covering 11,572.22 acres have been approved by the board, but sale certificates have not yet been issued. These lands were valued by appraisers at \$189,604.76 and approved for sale at an increase of \$44,948.46, or \$254,553.22.

Applications for 12,746.04 acres have been rejected by the board on account of low appraisement, the same being appraised at \$146,470.29 and valued by the land department at \$226,165.50, a difference of \$79,695.21, and as yet have not been reappraised by free-holders. The following table shows the work of the office in detail:

	Acres	App'd at	Sold at	Increase
Sold	14,317	\$714,135.07	\$928,705.31	\$214,569.24
Approved	11,572.22	189,604.76	234,553.22	44,948.46
Rejected	12,746.04	146,470.29	191,418.75	44,948.46
Totals	38,635.26	\$1,049,200.12	\$1,354,677.28	\$304,477.16

Increase over local appraisements. \$ 306,223.51

Board Hears Mathews Case.

The State Board of Health met this afternoon held a special session to allow Dr. Mathews of Omaha to make a further showing in the case wherein the secretary has recommended that his certificate to practice medicine be revoked. John O. Ye-

ser appeared for Dr. Mathews and Wallace Root for the board of secretaries. Mr. Yeiser analyzed the evidence introduced before the secretaries and held that the evidence against Mathews was no stronger than the testimony against Dr. Bailey, a member of the board of secretaries. He concluded with the demand that the board remove Dr. Bailey and prefer charges against him as had been preferred against his client. Mr. Root spoke at length of the good reputation of Dr. Bailey and took several jabs at Yeiser for dragging him into the case at all. The board will take the matter under advisement.

Big Wheat Yield.

The biggest wheat yield yet reported was raised in Saline county, near Wilbur. Charles Bykes, who has just threshed, reported his wheat raised on fifteen acres lacked just fourteen pounds of running forty-three bushels to the acre.

Humor Sadtiek Will Withdraw.

It was reported in Lincoln today that F. J. Sadtiek, candidate for the republican nomination for railroad commissioner, would shortly withdraw from the race in favor of E. J. Langer of Wilbur, who will run for the republican nomination for secretary of state. Langer was formerly a member of the legislature and held a position as United States counsel to Germany.

BELIEVES HIS SON WAS MURDERED

Beatrice Man Investigating Case of Body Found in Lincoln.

BEATRICE, Neb., July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—W. J. Agstaman, a young farmer living northeast of town, has disappeared from his home and foul play is feared. His father believes that the young man, murdered in a boxcar at Lincoln recently, was his son. He is making a thorough investigation of the case.

Wheat Yield Fair.

RULO, Neb., July 9.—(Special.)—Farmers are now threshing their wheat. They are, indeed, pleasantly surprised at the quality and quantity it yields. Though there was a prolonged drought here of two months' duration, John Hartman threshed wheat that produced over twenty-five bushels per acre yesterday. Edward and Amiel Hartman's wheat produced over thirty bushels per acre. Fred Ernst, H. J. Scheibel, and William Scheibel threshed wheat that produced from forty-one to forty-three bushels per acre and Henry Scheibel threshed 584 bushels from twelve and three-fourths acres of measured land—over forty-five bushels per acre. The wheat raised by the latter tested sixty-two pounds per bushel. These last named men claim that their this year's wheat crop is of better quality and quantity than they ever yet have been so fortunate as to raise.

Good Gets an Endorsement.

BEATRICE, Neb., July 9.—(Special.)—The republican county central committee met here Saturday and the county convention to nominate candidates and send delegates to the state and congressional convention was held for July 30. The central committee passed the following resolution: "Resolved, That we approve the course pursued by Hon. Ellis E. Good as the representative of this county, both in the house and senate, and believing in his honesty and sincerity as a legislator, we fully sustain and appreciate his pre-eminent fitness for the office of state treasurer, therefore be it "Resolved, That the republicans in Nemaha county heartily endorse his candidacy and hereby authorize him to accept a committee of republicans of said county to assist him in promoting the interests of his candidacy."

Boy Nearly Loses Eye.

BEATRICE, Neb., July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Fred McLeary, a 15-year-old boy, had a narrow escape from losing his right eye by having it put out by a cow's horn this morning. Fred was taking the animal out to pasture when, in trying to brush off some flies, the cow thrust his head toward the side on which the boy was standing. In swinging its head the tip of its horn caught the boy at the side of his right eye, striking the bone. Fortunately it struck so far out that the horn instead of going into the eye glanced outward and tore a gash in the flesh across the temple.

Pined for Throwing Pepper.

BEATRICE, Neb., July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Today Jesse Hill and George Fulton were each sentenced to the county jail for sixty days for throwing cayenne pepper in the faces of young women passing along the street at the Parker Amusement Shows Saturday night.

Little Injury for Big Fall.

FREMONT, Neb., July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Gwen Middleton, a 2-year-old daughter of Harry Middleton of Guam, fell backwards from a second story window of her grandmother's house in this city this noon, striking on her side. Aside from a few bruises she was uninjured.

Fight for Postoffice Site.

BEATRICE, Neb., July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The postmaster of this city received official notification of the passage of the bill providing for a postoffice building in Kearney. It is already evident that there will be a strong rivalry for the

location of the new building. The proposals for the site will be received in Washington until August 7. The location must be on a corner and be approximately 120x120 feet in dimension.

Some Chamberlain Cases Notted.

TECUMSEH, Neb., July 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Judge J. B. Raper of Pawnee City convened district court in regular session for Johnson county this morning. The bond matters in the case of ex-banker Charles M. Chamberlain were adjusted. County Attorney J. C. Moore nolleed several of the cases in court against Chamberlain for he thought the ground covered by these cases had been pretty well gone over in other cases tried. That leaves four cases against the ex-banker in the district court, three indictments and one information. The court fixed bond at \$200 to each case, or \$2,000, which Chamberlain gave. Chamberlain stands convicted of embezzlement in the Nemaha county district court and recently two new cases on grave charges were instituted against him in the county court here.

Seward Wants Union Pacific.

SEWARD, Neb., July 9.—(Special.)—A mass meeting will be held at the court house on Tuesday evening, July 10, to confer about the Union Pacific Railway company coming into Seward. Officials of that road will be present. The people here are delighted with the prospect of getting the line through here.

News of Nebraska.

WOOD RIVER—Corn is growing fine.

SEWARD—Attorney General Norris Brown will speak at Seward on Thursday, July 12, on the subject of the railroad.

BROKEN BOW—The Board of County Commissioners is in special session this week owing to important roadwork.

SEWARD—Fifty members of the Diers family in Nebraska are at Seward today and tomorrow.

BEATRICE—William W. Howard of this city and Miss Bertha B. Sider of Wymore were united in marriage by Judge Walker.

BEATRICE—The ball team of this city has elected Fred Starr manager, J. T. Harden treasurer and "Stub" Sammel captain.

SEWARD—County Assessor Baker has admitted his final report to the county board and it shows a very substantial increase of \$1,142,305.

BEATRICE—George Mangus, living east of town, has raised a fine crop of wheat which yielded forty bushels to the acre. He sold the grain for 65 cents per bushel.

WOOD RIVER—Two dozen young people leave in the morning with provisions for a camping party on the Loup river, near Wood River. They expect to be gone two weeks.

SEWARD—A little son of Mike Sullivan of Ulster had nearly been shot to pieces by a large cannon cracker last Thursday. It required fifteen stitches to close the wound.

AINSWORTH—At 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon a wedding was solemnized in the parlor of the Ainsworth hotel. The bride, Miss A. J. Warrick officiated. John Williams was married to Miss Mary Kiser.

BEATRICE—The Union Pacific occupied by Greek laborers was destroyed by fire at 5:30 this morning with most of its cars and engine. It was a gasoline stove exploding. Loss, \$1,000.

BEATRICE—E. J. Shinn and wife, who have long been residing in Beatrice, Neb., have located in Beatrice, where Mr. Shinn will have charge of the Bookwalter's interests, which represent about 40,000 acres of Nebraska land.

LYONS—The first meeting of the union services of the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, and Rev. B. E. Pearson delivered sermon to a very large congregation.

HUMBOLDT—Threshing outfit has started up in this section and wheat yields of forty-seven to fifty bushels to the acre are already reported. The grain is grading sixty-two and one-half and farmers are correspondingly well pleased. It would seem that wheat harvest is about to come up to its usual standard as a wheat producing section this season.

SEWARD—A peculiar wreck happened on the Burlington Thursday. Four cars jumped the track near Boyes & Huish's mill and ran along the ties until near the railroad bridge and were rushed off the bank there. Two went down the embankment on one side and two on the other side. The wrecking crew came from Lincoln to clear the track, but on account of a wreck at Fremont had to leave and return here Saturday.

TECUMSEH—An enthusiastic and harmonious meeting of the democratic city council held Tuesday afternoon. Councilman Zimmerman, the lone republican member, introduced a resolution to define the attitude of the body, saying that unless he felt sure the council would let the telephone question go to the people he did not care to hear any more talk about it. This was the resolution, which the democrats declined to favor.

Whereas, the Nebraska Telephone company has neglected and refused to make a proposition to the telephone committee appointed by the city council for the reduction of its telephone rates and for connection with outside telephones and telephone companies.

Therefore, be it resolved that it is the sense of the city council that a proposition for a franchise for an independent telephone company be submitted to the voters of the city of Omaha as provided by statute.

Zimmerman sprung his resolution after representatives of the Home Telephone company had made long speeches about the desirability of a dual telephone system. He said he had seen so much wind wasted over the proposition that he wanted to know what the council really intended to do.

How They Lined Up. Funkhouser favored the resolution and said so, but McGevers, Sheldon, Bruker, Davis and Jackson and Johnson said it was premature and that a report from the telephone committee should be awaited.

Bridges supported Zimmerman and Elvasser contended that the city should define a franchise ordinance and auction it off to the company that would pay the biggest royalty. Most of them said they favored letting in another telephone company if the Nebraska company could not be induced to grant the concessions desired, but they all shied at a positive declaration of their intentions.

Remembering that he had promised to make use of the pamphlet Zimmerman dug up a copy of the report from the telephone committee. There is considerable good in some of these promises, but I intend to see that they become something more than promises and I don't intend to wait until just before you go out of office either."

The franchise asked for by the Home Telephone company was advocated at length by J. E. Baum, F. M. Woods of Lincoln and C. J. Greene.

Mr. Greene talked of telephone matters in a broad and abstract way.

Printing Contract Awarded. After the telephone talk subsided the committee decided to award the advertising contract for the year to the World-Herald on a bid of 25 cents for first insertion per ten nonpareil lines and 20 cents for each insertion thereafter.

Decision was reached in regard to the proposed Locust street viaduct that the



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DEMOCRATS DODGE ISSUE

Councilmen Shy Around Telephone Proposition When Brought to Showdown.

HARRY ZIMMAN PUTS THEM ON RECORD

Lone Republican Reads Their Campaign Platform to Them and Then Offers Chance to Make Good.

Put squarely up against the question of whether they would admit a second telephone franchise the democratic city council dodged the issue in general committee meeting yesterday afternoon.

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railroads be asked to place able-bodied watchmen and warning bells there and repair the street railing and street grades. Councilman Davis said it would require a viaduct 3,000 feet long to cover the tracks.

President Johnson of the judicial committee brought up the Ice trust investigation resolution. Nothing had been done about it, the fact that the county attorney had started an investigation was mentioned, and a general ennuil regarding the matter affected its omission from further conversation.

Some discussion was had as to whether it were better policy to take up old high-interest bond issues with money lying in the sinking fund, or to use it to decrease next year's tax levy. The matter was left for settlement later.

TOPEKA, Kan., July 9.—It is the belief of the officials of the Western division of the Atchison, Kan. & Santa Fe railway that Ernest Burgess of Sidney, O., who was found in an unconscious condition along side the tracks of the company near Bellefontaine, Kan., on Saturday night, and who died at Dodge City Sunday, was murdered. There were two gashes on Burgess' head and near the scene where his body was found were a couple of large stones bespattered with blood. A card in the man's pocket asked that Mrs. S. G. Burgess of Sidney, be notified in case of accident.

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Spinner's Wages Advanced. BORTON, July 9.—An advance of 5 per cent in wages in cotton mills in thirty or more cities, towns and villages of southern Massachusetts and Rhode Island went into effect today. About 4,000 operatives are benefited. Since the inception of the upward movement in mill wages early in the year 16,000 textile operatives in the New England states have had their pay advanced 5 to 11 per cent. Of the total number 10,000 work in the cotton mills and about 6,000 in the woollen and worsted plants.

Robber Reported Caught. FRESNO, Cal., July 9.—It is reported from several sources that the highwayman, who Saturday held up and robbed a number of Yosemite Valley stage coaches, has been captured, but no news of an official capture has yet been received.

Boy's Body is Found. FRANCIS, I. T., July 9.—The mutilated body of 8-year-old Harry Priestor of West Tulsa, was found in a St. Louis & San Francisco wheel car Sunday night. The body had been abducted by a tramp last

BUTTER LEGS

Are Really Unfit for a Hot Climate

A sarcastic one said, "A person who won't quit the coffee habit when heart and nerves are crying for relief, has less stability of character than a pair of butter legs in hades." Truly a melting remark.

It seems hard-hearted to poke fun at the coffee "crank" who "Just can't give up my coffee," for the habit sometimes becomes a disease just as truly as the whisky habit, but it is easy for the worst old coffee toper to shift over to Postum Food Coffee, provided it is well made.

Postum has the deep, seal brown color of drip coffee and a certain snappy flavor, not of the rank, strong, bitter coffees but much like the mild and high grades of Java.

It supplies in liquid form the needed food elements required to rebuild the nerve centres, hurt or destroyed by coffee. What do we mean by "nerve centres"? These are found in various parts of the body and each little nerve sack or envelope is filled with a soft pulpy gray substance that is really the life and energy of the nerve. Coffee and other stimulant narcotic poisons tend to destroy this gray matter and when enough is broken down, nervous prostration or other form of disease will set in. The trouble may show in weakened heart, lungs, stomach, bowels, eyes or any other organ, for the lack of life power or nervous energy is likely to attack the weakest part first.

The remedy is (and get to work in time) to quit the drug and therefore stop the daily destruction. Then take a liquid food such as Postum and go to rebuilding.

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