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Former Promising to Enforce the Old Maximum Rate Law. LATTER SAYS MEASURE IS INOPERATIVE

Lincoln Man Plans to Make His Own Life, but Lands in Jail Instead with a Charge of Forgery Against Him.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Oct. 22.—(Special).—Nebraska is being flooded with letters from Lynde L. Abbott, democratic candidate for attorney general, in which the writer promises the people to enforce the maximum freight rate law now on the statute book should be elected, and he charges the present republican administration with having neglected its duty in not enforcing that law.

Holcomb on Rate Law. In his message to the legislature in 1905 Governor Holcomb said: "The laws of this state regulating charges by railroads and other corporations are found in the maximum freight rate act, which has been declared invalid and the act providing for the creation of a state board of transportation, which defines its duties, powers, authority, and defines the maximum freight rate act inoperative, whatever provisions are in effect which may have from that time charges and discrimination must come through the board of transportation, which defines its duties, powers, authority, and defines the maximum freight rate act inoperative."

Randall Charges Routes. Instead of being the principal in a slow parade, backed around with sweet-scented floral flowers and mourned by numerous friends and a father-in-law, Ed Randall, a teamster, is placed in a cell at the police station, charged with having forged a check for \$20. Randall had bought his ticket to the other side of Jordan and it was labeled "carbolic acid."

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ment, tried hard but unsuccessfully to get out of being prosecuted. He was fined \$20 this afternoon. He called on Governor Mickey and tried to get the latter to lay down on Game Warden Carter to let up in the matter. Crandall argued to the governor that he has suffered humiliation because the story got into the newspapers, and he thought that sufficient punishment without having to pay a fine. Carter was sent for and the two had it out before the governor. Carter asserted his excellency it was quite a habit with Crandall to ship birds contrary to the game laws.

State Committee Meeting. W. B. Rose, chairman of the republican state committee, will in all probability call the state committee together shortly for a general consultation. It was understood Mr. Rose was to convene the committee once more before the election.

Finley for Hunting Game Warden. Game Warden Carter received word this morning from Grand Island that Finney, arrested by Deputy Horstman and charged with assault, had been fined \$100 and costs amounting to \$38. Finney had been fined \$50 in the justice court and took an appeal to the district court. Horstman arrested him at North Platte on a charge of violating the game laws. He, with others, chased the deputy into a livery stable and a general fight ensued. He, with a man named Ryan, were taken to Grand Island and both fined \$50. Ryan skipped out while the men were trying to get bond to appeal and was later caught and is now in jail.

State Board of Horticulture. The officers of the State Board of Horticulture are in session at the Lindell hotel, preparing a program for the winter meeting, and will not conclude their sessions before tomorrow noon. It has been decided to make "Planting the general topic, and under this head experts will discuss the planting of evergreens, fruit trees, small fruit, forestry, shrubs, roses, bulbs, ornamental hedging, vines, shade trees, and such things.

Crandall Fined for Shipping Birds. G. N. Crandall, of Lincoln, who was caught by Deputy Game Warden Pierson of Omaha for shipping a grip full of prairie chickens through from the west end of the state without going with the ship-

ment with the regents tomorrow and which will be the subject of the regent's report at the meeting are H. S. Harrison of York, first vice president; C. H. Greene of Fremont, second vice president; J. A. Yager of Fremont, a director; Secretary Russell of Lincoln and Prof. Emerson.

University Regents Meet. The university regents will meet tomorrow to receive the report of the finance committee and to fix up their recommendations to the state legislature. Tonight, with the exception of Fred Abbott, all the members had reached town, and these held an informal meeting at the Lincoln hotel. It is understood the regents will not ask for an appropriation for any new buildings, but will ask that additions be made to the library building, the mechanical arts building and the women's building at the state farm.

Legal Department Stamped. Deputy County Attorney Foster of Douglas county has written to the legal department of the state asking how to arrange the constitutional amendment proposition on the voting machines. In his letter, which was received this morning, Mr. Foster asks what can be done and then says it is impossible to put "for" and "against" side by side on the machine. As much as the legal department of Douglas county has the machine before it and is supposed to have some legal knowledge regarding the election law, the state legal department is at a loss to know what to answer, for if the problem cannot be solved in Douglas county, it is hard for the attorneys here to figure it out.

Fashion Forced in Saunders. WAHOO, Neb., Oct. 22.—(Special).—With the assistance of Democratic State Chairman Allen, Dr. P. L. Hall and Edgar Howard, the difficulties between the democrats and populists were fixed up Saturday. The populists held their convention early in September and nominated J. L. Sundean for the legislature and endorsed Tremor Cone for state senator. Cone was nominated by the populists at the senatorial convention in Papillion, but the democrats nominated Judge Patrick. At the democratic county convention last week, Frank Vopalinsky and Emil Helwing were nominated for the legislature and the populists were turned down hard. The populists retailed the next day by their central committee, meeting and putting up a full ticket as follows: For the legislature, J. L. Sundean and Frank Doelner, and John Barry for county attorney. Saturday the democratic central committee met and T. Cone, the populist candidate for senator, withdrew and was placed on the ticket for representative, Helwing having withdrawn. The other candidates withdrew and complete fusion was forced by the outside manipulators. Harmony does not prevail on either side and considerable scratching of the ticket from both populists and democrats is expected. The turning down of Sundean, the populist nominee for the legislature, was a bitter defeat for the populists of Saunders county.

Dead Man Unidentified. FALLS CITY, Neb., Oct. 22.—(Special).—Coroner Reneker was called to Dawson last Saturday afternoon to hold an inquest on the body of a man found alongside the Burlington tracks by the Dawson section gang while they were going to their work Saturday morning. The body was found about one-half mile west of the station. The deceased was a man about 30 years old, smooth shaven, blue eyes, five feet five inches tall and weighed about 150 pounds. He was dressed in blue overalls, size 32-32, lace tan boots, size 8, a black shirt with white stripes, blue and white checked jumper and a Prince Henry black felt hat, size 7. He had a white silk handkerchief wrapped around his left ankle with the initial F in one corner. The body had lain where it was found for some time, as it was rigid when picked up by the section hands. The skull was

crushed and there was a compound fracture of both legs between the knee and ankle. The man was a laborer and it is supposed that he was beating his way east on one of the through passenger trains on the Burlington Friday night and in some manner lost his hold and fell from the train. The coroner's jury brought in a verdict of accidental death and the body was buried in the Dawson cemetery.

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Corn Huskers Wanted. FALLS CITY, Neb., Oct. 22.—(Special).—Corn husking has started in Richardson county and will be one of the biggest crops and the best grade of corn husked here for a long time. The farmers are having a great deal of trouble to secure help to husk the crop and are advertising for men, offering 3 cents a bushel and board, and cannot get men at that price, as all the men who want to work are picking or barrelling apples.

Body of Missing Man Found. FREMONT, Neb., Oct. 22.—(Special).—The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Michael Shannon from North Bend about three weeks ago was solved yesterday by the finding of a badly decomposed body on the bank of the Platte river near that town. It was identified as the body of Shannon by the clothing and especially by a red necktie which his sister had given him a few days before. Sam Wilson, a farmer living near there, made the discovery. Shannon had been working on a farm and was last seen in a North Bend saloon about three weeks ago, and had evidently been drinking considerably. On account of the decomposed condition of the body the cause of his death could not be definitely determined, but he probably fell off the bridge and was drowned.

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applies, which is one of the leading industries of the neighborhood at this time, but indications are that the stormy spell will be of short duration.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., Oct. 22.—(Special).—After two or three days of cloudy and threatening weather it commenced to rain about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and rained nearly all night and a part of the forenoon. The ground is thoroughly soaked and the winter wheat and the pastures are greatly benefited.

JOPLIN, Mo., Oct. 22.—A. V. Manning, cashier of the McDonald County bank at Pineville, four miles south of Joplin, early today exchanged shots with two robbers whom he encountered at work at the bank. No one was hurt and the robbers escaped without securing any booty. The bank was wrecked by a charge of dynamite set off by the robbers.

MURPHYSBORO, Ill., Oct. 22.—Five robbers blew open the safe of the bank of Vergennes early today, secured \$100 in cash, shot and mortally wounded Abraham Kinmet, a merchant, and escaped.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Oct. 22.—(Special).—This section was visited by a fine rain last night, which settled the dust and put a fall wheat in excellent shape. It interfered somewhat with the hauling and loading of

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Full Breaker Captured. OAKLAND, Neb., Oct. 22.—(Special).—Sheriff Phelps of Hart county and the sheriff from Osawa captured the last of the full breakers who broke jail at Osawa. In last week, four miles west of here Sunday afternoon on the farm of Swan Brand, where he was husking corn.

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