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Commissioner Williams Reports on
Missouri Pacific Track.

RECOMMENDS SPEED LIMIT ORDER

While New Ties Have Been Laid
There Has Been No Ballasting
—Conditions Are Little
Improved.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, Oct. 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Although the Missouri Pacific right-of-way has been repaired to some extent in Nebraska, it is yet unsafe, according to a report of Railroad Commissioner J. A. Williams, who returned to Lincoln last night after making an inspection of twenty-nine miles of track in the state. Mr. Williams recommends that passenger trains on the line be restricted to a speed of from twenty to twenty-five miles an hour; that freight trains run not more than twenty miles an hour and that trains with extra-heavy engines travel only fifteen miles an hour. Commissioner Williams undertook the task of inspecting the track since improvements have been made, but he will request the remaining members of the commission to go over the road also before embodying his report into an order.

When the commission first took official notice of the condition of the right-of-way, the Missouri Pacific officials promised to make betterments that would obviate any further complaint. Mr. Williams found they had put in new ties to a great extent, but as there had been no new ballast, the rails had washed the loose dirt from around the ties, leaving the track practically no safer than before. The work done, Mr. Williams finds, is not conducive to safety and he is strongly in favor of a speed limit order.

Reporting on the construction of the line Mr. Williams says at curves, instead of laying bent rails, the rails are laid straight and the curves are uneven-jointed, in fact, instead of presenting a smoothly-curved running base for the wheels.

Accompanying Commissioner Williams on his trip was State Expert U. G. Powell. They covered the line on a motor propelled velocipede. The purchase of one for such excursions is recommended by Mr. Williams.

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PROSPECTS APPEAR TO BE BRIGHT

Rumor Liquor Interests Are Taking a Hand Is Not Credited by or Giving State Committee Any Concern.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Oct. 8.—(Special Telegram.)—The republican state committee has a number of speakers at its disposal, and within a short time meetings will be held in various parts of the state for the purpose not only of getting out the vote this fall, but to create interest in the organization for the big battle to come next year. Both Senators Burkett and Brown, and Governor Sheldon have volunteered their services, as have the various congressmen and State Senator Aldrich of Butler county. If necessary to meet all the demands, other speakers will be supplied. A movement has been started looking to the organization of a state-wide Reese club, to be composed of students of the former dean of the law school. This movement has already assumed statewide proportions and tomorrow a meeting of some of the students who are near here will be held at Lincoln for the purpose of organizing or adopting plans for an organization.

Some one has started the report down here that the liquor interests are preparing to organize and fight the election of Judge Reese, and some publicity has been given the rumor, but it is creating no concern around the state headquarters, because it is thought the liquor interests are too well posted on the sentiment in Nebraska to take any stand in this election or to become at all conspicuous for or against election of any one candidate. It has been pointed out that Judge Reese, having served on the bench for six years, is well known to the liquor men and to other people as a fair judge who lets not his personal opinions weigh in the least with his construction of the law, and therefore the committee believes it has nothing to fear from the Liquor Dealers' association of the Anti-Saloon league, either. It is presumed, of course, the liquor men will oppose the election of Judge Reese as they did the election of Governor Sheldon and the committee is preparing to offset any influence the railroad may have by interesting the people in the coming fight in won the minute he has awakened interest in the campaign and the republicans realize how important it is that the entire republican ticket be elected.

C. B. Anderson and George Coupland, candidates for regent of the State university, were both present at the meeting of the executive committee last night and will take part in the campaign, as suggested by the committee. Henry T. Clarke, candidate for railway commissioner, will keep in touch with the committee and will be ready at any time to answer to call. Members of the executive committee last night discussed the details of the campaign and reports were brought in from each of the districts. These reports indicated that republicans are well pleased with the ticket, and county committees are getting busy. The executive committee is composed of the following: First district, Orlando Tefft of Cass county; Second district, Victor Rosewater of Douglas county; Third district, G. L. Wood of Dixon county; Fourth district, A. H. Kidd of Gage county; Sixth district, H. M. Duvall of Keya Paha county.

Interest on State Money.
Interest on state deposits for the first five days in October received by State Treasurer Brian amounted to \$2,008. For the same period in 1906 the interest collected amounted to \$1,964, while in the entire month of July, 1906, the interest collected was only \$1,353. The interest collected last July amounted to \$3,035. The interest is payable quarterly, and a considerable amount in addition to that already paid in will be collected during the balance of the month.

Mrs. Knox May Escape.
Mrs. Knox, county superintendent of Cheyenne county, whom Superintendent McChesney refused to obey the law in the matter of issuing certificates and whose scalp he is trying to get through the medium of the derelict officials act, may never be tried at all. The time for which Mrs. Knox was elected is out January 1 and she is not a candidate for re-election. Consequently by the time her case is called before the governor she will have become a private citizen.

No Excuse for Milkmen.
In a letter written to a milk dealer at Hastings, Food Commissioner Johnson makes the statement that a scarcity of food for cows does not make any difference in the quality of the milk and follows it up with the intimation that the milkman is using his pump to stretch out the quantity of his milk. The milk sold by this man was below the quality provided by law and the man excused himself by saying feed was scarce.

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Ryder Investigating Complaints.
John J. Ryder, deputy labor commissioner, will go to Grand Island tomorrow to investigate some complaints made by employees against the employers who are working women longer hours than allowed by law. He will go from there to Hastings, where he will investigate some more reports there, and then address the Federation of Women's Clubs next Thursday.

McGirr's Death Accidental.

Attorney General Thompson has prepared his report in the matter of the death of James McGirr, who was killed near Chapman some time ago and who, it is claimed, was killed by a mob of Greeks. Mr. Thompson based his recommendations to the governor on the report filed by Secretary Dimery, who investigated the case. He believes the death was due to an accident and that there is no use for the state to go any further in the case, unless some new evidence is discovered. The report says, owing to the general discussion of the case the impression may be that the people of Chapman are a lawless set and he desires to correct this impression if it prevails. He bases his recommendation to the governor on his personal knowledge of the reputations of the corner, county attorney and sheriff, as well as the evidence submitted by Dimery. He says there are no known to him personally and inasmuch as they made an investigation and were on the ground shortly after the death of McGirr and believed there was no use of an inquest, their report should be accepted.

BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION

First Business Is Election of Officers for Ensuing Year.

HASTINGS, Neb., Oct. 8.—(Special Telegram.)—The ministers' conference, preliminary to the Baptist state convention, was held this morning. The Chicago university alumni met at dinner at 12 o'clock. Tuesday afternoon witnessed the formal opening of the church convention. The officers elected for the next year are: President, Rev. B. S. Hudson, Hastings; vice president, Rev. O. B. Barber, Grand Island; secretary, Rev. M. Horan, Minden. At 5 o'clock there was a well attended banquet for men. A touch of cordiality and friendliness, by bringing face to face ministers and laymen in informal discussion of the year's work and the future outlook for progress was had.

The women in attendance have been engaged, in two special meetings. One of these, Tuesday morning, was a consideration of the ways and means of providing for needed accommodations for girl students at Grand Island college. At the same hour as the banquet for men, all the ministers wives were invited to a conference presided over by Mrs. C. J. Pope of Grand Island.

Rev. J. P. Watts of Fairbury, preached the annual sermon at 8 p. m.

Charge of Abduction Falls.

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., Oct. 8.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. Tillie Lannigan and Henry Havens had their preliminary hearing yesterday upon the charge of abducting fourteen-year-old Clara Hunt of Silver Creek, and at the conclusion of the taking of testimony Judge Lucas decided that the evidence presented was insufficient to hold them, and ordered the case dismissed.

On the first day of September Clara Hunt disappeared from the home of her parents, who reside on a farm four miles north of Silver Creek, and it was supposed that she had gone off with Henry Havens, a young man who had been working in the neighborhood, and who had disappeared about the same time. Havens was finally located at Fremont, and when placed under arrest he admitted that he knew where the girl was in hiding, but refused to tell, denying, however, that he had anything to do with her disappearance. In the trial the girl said she had run away from home, intending to go to Central City to work, but that she had met Mrs. Lannigan, who was going to Omaha, and that against the latter's advice she had accompanied her to Omaha. Where Mrs. Lannigan and she had secured employment. She said that both Havens and Mrs. Cunningham had advised her against leaving home, and it was upon her testimony chiefly that the case was dismissed.

Nebraska News Notes.

PLATTSMOUTH—Joseph Kohoutek and Miss Frances L. Svoboda, both of Plattsmouth, were united in marriage by Father Bartek in the Bohemian church Monday.

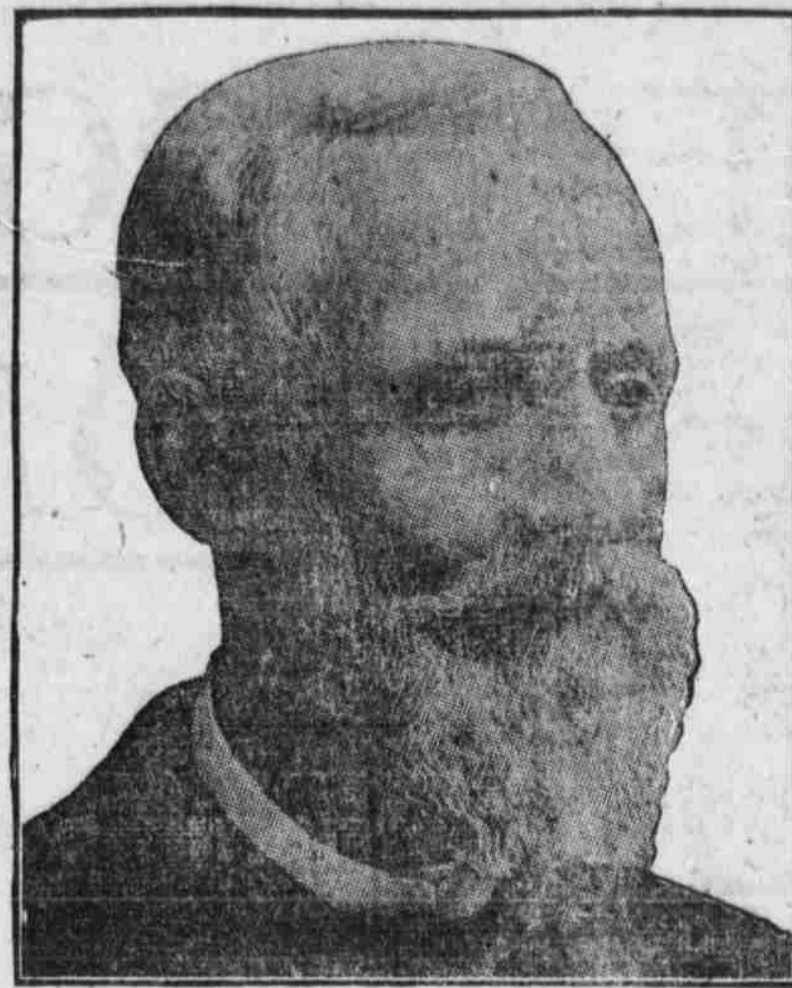
PLATTSMOUTH—The impressive ritual service of the Woodmen of the World was used in the unveiling of the monument of the late Edward Grassman Sunday afternoon.

BEATRICE—At a meeting of the Board of Education last night the total enrollment service of the Woodmen of the World was used in the unveiling of the monument of the late Edward Grassman Sunday afternoon.

BEATRICE—W. W. Morrison, a farmer living east of the city, killed a large possum in his henhouse Sunday night, and yesterday entertained a company of friends at a possum dinner.

BEATRICE—The county board yesterday began the work of putting new concrete around the home of John Martie on Sixth street, and making other necessary repairs to the structure. Until the bridge is finished traffic over the bridge will be suspended.

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BEATRICE—Guy Eastman, the lad who recently pleaded guilty in the district court to robbing Kora's grocery store, was taken to the reform school today by Deputy Sheriff T. H. Burke.

PLATTSMOUTH—The city council granted a ten years' franchise to Earle Westcott Monday evening to establish an electric light plant. The power for the same is to be furnished in Omaha.

PLATTSMOUTH—William Edgerton died in Gypsum, Mex. The body will be brought here for burial. He was a member of the Masonic order, Modern Woodmen and Royal Mystic legion.

BEATRICE—The new Catholic school building recently completed at a cost of \$3,000 will be dedicated November 2. Church services will be held in the building until the new church is completed.

BEATRICE—Calvin Emery, a member of the foot ball team of the Northwestern Business college, was spiked in the forehead yesterday while playing and received an ugly gash over the left eye brow.

COLUMBUS—During the past week twelve transfers of real estate have been filed in County Clerk Graf's office, aggregating \$612. The mortgages filed over the releases increased the indebtedness \$469.

WILCOX—The funeral of Elvin Pickett, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Plenty Pickett, who died Friday afternoon, was held at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon at their place south of town. Burial was in Freewater cemetery.

PLATTSMOUTH—Dr. A. F. Barnes of this city, president of the Nebraska Veterinary association, and Dr. B. H. Hurd of Belmont secretary are issuing certificates of membership to about 30 members, which will be good for all time.

COLUMBUS—Columbus people in general are pleased that the North Nebraska annual conference at Omaha returned Rev. L. De Wolf for another year. Mr. De Wolf has been the pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church here for three years.

COLUMBUS—The city board of health has ordered Chief of Police Schack to placard the home of John Martie on account of diphtheria. This makes two homes quarantined for diphtheria and one

for smallpox, of which there are two cases.

BEATRICE—The Baptist Young People's union held its annual meeting last night at the home of the pastor, Rev. P. E. Dark, and elected these officers: President, E. Bushnell; vice president, Nellie Smith; secretary, Walter Wright; treasurer, Mrs. W. Ford; organist, Stella Davis.

BEATRICE—The marriage of Mr. Howard Saunders of this city and Miss Allie Zondervan of Monroe, Ia., was solemnized last evening at the Christian parsonage. Rev. J. E. Davis officiating. The young couple departed for Monroe, where they will make their future home.

PLATTSMOUTH—William Farley, brother of County Superintendent George L. Farley of this city and Miss Margaret Farley, a teacher in the school in Lincoln, was accidentally killed last Friday in Thermopolis, Wyo. He carried a \$2,000 life insurance policy payable to his sister.

NEBRASKA CITY—James Brown, who has been city editor of the Tribune for the last year or more, has gone to Lincoln to accept a position under State Chairman Hayward and will devote his time to politics this fall. Whether he will engage in the newspaper business again is doubtful.

NEBRASKA CITY—Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Johnson, who have been residents of this city since 1871, on the 10th inst. will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary. It will be a quiet affair, as only the immediate relatives will be present, but in the evening all friends who desire to call will be welcome.

BEATRICE—The young men of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday club have organized a Baraca, class and elected these officers: President, Clifford E. Butler; vice president, Ben A. Alexander; secretary-treasurer, Murray Barnard. The object of the organization is to get every young man possible interested in Sunday school work.

BEATRICE—Manager Patmore of the Nebraska Telephone company yesterday discovered that the county had entered into a contract for a year with the company for two phones, one in the sheriff's office and one in the office of the county attorney, and the phones, which were recently removed, were ordered put back. Not long ago the county board discontinued the use of the Bell phones in the court house because the company would not reduce its

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price to meet the cut made by the New Home Telephone company.

NEBRASKA CITY—William Van Deberg, who is one of the pioneers of Nebraska, caused considerable excitement Saturday evening in the village, as he was threatened to shoot two of his relatives. He has been twice to Lincoln to cure him of the drinking habit, but the cure has been a failure. A warrant was sworn out for his arrest and he will be put under bonds to keep the peace.

PLATTSMOUTH—Rev. J. E. Houlgate preached his farewell sermon in the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday evening, as he goes from here to Nebraska City. Monday evening a delightful reception was given in the church in honor of the departing pastor and the new one, Dr. A. A. Randall of Lincoln, and their families. Rev. J. E. Houlgate and his wife were each presented with an elegant rocking chair.

NEBRASKA CITY—For some time some of the young people have been in the habit of going to the city park or on the school grounds and making night hideous, making all kinds of noises, attempting to sing songs and in general disturbing the neighbors. Sunday night two of the "musicians" were caught, but four got away. The police will now arrest every person found loitering in the park or on the school grounds after a reasonable hour.

NEBRASKA CITY—Last week warrants were issued against Field & Johnson, the Bartling grocery, Johnson Brothers and E. S. Hall, charged with violating the pure food law. The first three named are grocers and the last is a dairyman. They were fined \$10 and costs. Mr. Hall claimed that he had not violated intentionally, as he had only used formaldehyde to wash his cans and bottles, while the retailers brought to them.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

George Stuckey of Douglas and George Newhall of Alliance are at the Her Grand. E. G. West of Gothenburg, W. R. Earnhardt of Edgemont and G. Hallenberger of Wayne are at the Henshaw.

Charles Snook of Salmon City, Idaho; A. C. Miller of Spencer, J. O. Hubbell of Inez and S. Hall of Newport are at the Murray.

Advice to Women

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