

### Nebraska WO BOARDS AT CHAPMAN Fets and Dry Engaged in Bitter Fight in Little Town.

### HOUSE OF DRY MEMBER STONED Unusual Condition Arises from Dispute Over Whether One or Three Board Members' Terms Expire.

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., April 23.—(Special Telegram.)—The stoning of the residence of one Stout at Chapman Monday night has forced to the public attention the fact that there is an interesting contest over municipal affairs in that town, and at the people there are taking a great deal of interest in it.

At the election held April 3 the city clerk ordered the ballots with the understanding that there was but one member of the township board to be elected this year, and the citizens' party and no other nomination had been made, his was the only name that went on the ballot. The anti-saloon men, however, contended that there were three members to elect, and a number of them consulted and agreed upon three other names, and wrote them on the ballot when they came to vote. The three names which were thus written on the ballot were Fred W. Kimer, E. J. Easton and Samuel E. Easton.

When the time for organizing the town board came, the trouble broke loose. The board organized with the new member, Kimer, and Frank Ritter, William Word and Dr. Hamill of the old board. About one of the holdovers on the old board, joined with the three whose names were written in on the ballot by a certain number as mentioned above, and another board was organized. Now there are two town boards organized in the town, and it is quite probable that the courts will be invoked to straighten out the matter. The contention of the one side is that the anti-saloon was the only member whose name expired and that J. Friman was elected to succeed him, while the anti-saloon forces contend that Alex Stout was a duly member of the old board who is entitled to hold over, and that all the other members of the board had to be re-elected. The reason the matter is being bitterly contested is because the old board is supposed to favor the granting of saloon license, while the other board which has been organized is opposed to such a measure.

### Bloom is Given Four Years in Pen Greenwood Burglar Receives Sentence After Pleading Guilty to Charge.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., April 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Andrew Bloom, who pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing \$500 worth of lace from a trunk in Greenwood, was today sentenced by Judge H. D. Davis to serve in the state penitentiary at old labor for four years.

Bloom was charged with grand larceny, stealing a trunk full of Irish linen in Greenwood, the property of Mrs. John Fustera of Lincoln. The complaint also charged him with robbing the store of Mr. Stone in Greenwood.

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### Nebraska Traveling Men Reach Beatrice for Convention

### First Social Session of Annual Gathering of Travelers' Protective Association is Held.

BEATRICE, Neb., April 23.—(Special Telegram.)—The knights of the grip began arriving here today to attend the fourteenth annual state convention of the Travelers' Protective association, which opened this evening. A special train arrived over the Burlington at 4:20 p. m., bringing delegations from Omaha, Norfolk, Fremont, Hastings and other towns. The members of Post H of Beatrice, with the Beatrice Military band, met the delegates at the station and escorted them uptown, making a parade through the principal streets. There are about 30 delegates in attendance and the city is gaily decorated for the event. The business sessions do not begin until tomorrow morning.

This evening the delegates and their wives were entertained at a dancing party in the Armory hall. The members of the Elks and Beatrice club also entertained those of the delegates who did not care to attend the dance.

Lincoln will make a strong bid for the next annual meeting.

### St. Paul Road Will Invade Hill Territory

### Announcement Comes from Aberdeen Through Officials Inspecting Proposed Routes.

ABERDEEN, S. D., April 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Announcement that the St. Paul road will invade the territory of the Hill roads in the Dakotas was officially confirmed this morning when A. J. Earling, president of the St. Paul system; E. W. McKenna, vice president; E. D. Sewell, assistant to the president; H. P. Hunter, general freight agent, all of Chicago, and George McIntosh of McIntosh Bros., Duluth, head contractors for the St. Paul, passed through Aberdeen to Wakpala, the first station west of the Missouri river on the Pacific coast line.

At Wakpala the party embarked by teams and automobiles for a ten days' trip north through Dickinson county in North Dakota. Returning it will follow the same route, fourche country in South Dakota. The party announced the intention of building at least one line north through Dickinson into Northern Pacific territory, and two lines southwest into Burlington territory, work to begin as soon as the roads are selected on the present trip. New branches will pass through Standing Rock and the Cheyenne River reservation, to be opened to settlement next fall.

### Senator Stewart Dies in Washington

### Death of the Former Senator from Nevada Comes Following an Operation.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Former United States Senator William A. Stewart of Nevada, died at the Georgetown hospital here today, following an operation. The body will be taken to Nevada, Sunday.

Mr. Stewart had been at the hospital since March 30. On March 31 he underwent an operation, the nature of which the physicians have not made public. About a week ago his condition became worse and he sank steadily until this morning, when at 7:06 o'clock he passed away.

Mr. Stewart was 82 years old and had been a familiar figure in this city during the better part of the last half century. For twenty-eight years altogether he represented Nevada in the senate.

Senator Stewart made many notable speeches in the senate in advocacy of silver and his characterization of the demonization of silver as "the crime of '73" is a marker in political history. After his retirement from congress he divided his time between Washington, his farm in Virginia and the west, where, at his old home at Bullfrog, Nev., and elsewhere he had varied mining interests.

Mr. Stewart was the living incarnation of Santa Claus and on this account, as for his kindly disposition, he appealed strongly to the imagination of children.

Probably no more picturesque or rugged character was ever known to the senate. Except for the first campaign of Bryan in 1896, when the silver issue was most prominent, Mr. Stewart was a republican. He took a prominent part, however, in setting aside the force bill in 1892 and he never failed to cast his vote in the interest of the white metal regardless of the attitude of his party.

Prof. Thomas B. Boughton.

HURON, S. D., April 23.—(Special Telegram.)—At 5 o'clock this morning occurred the death of Prof. Thomas B. Boughton, librarian of Huron college, aged 50. He came here two years ago from Troy, N. Y., to which place the body will be taken for interment.

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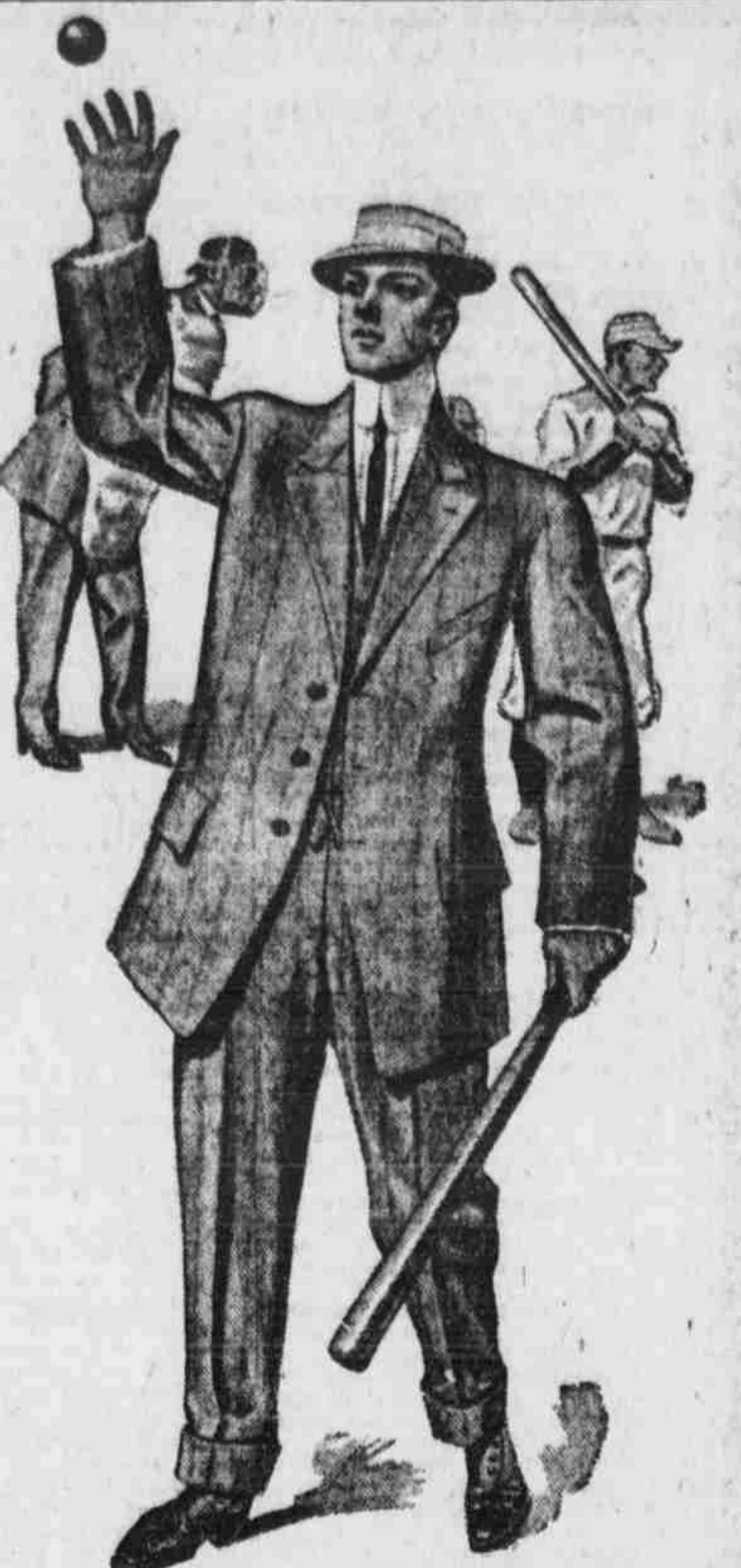
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Yes sir, you can find Underwear here that will fit you perfectly. "Medium weights," for between seasons, before you jump into summer weights—for right now—wool and cotton as you like, \$1 and \$1.50, union or two-piece. We devote special attention to this department and every line is RIGHT.

### Governor Takes Hand in Omaha

### Executive, it Transpires, Sent Agent to City to Dictate What Dem- ocrats Should Do.

Governor Shallenberger, who signed the 5 o'clock closing law after it had been enacted by the democratic legislature on the demands of Arthur Mullen, has dipped into Omaha democratic politics through this same Friday, Mullen.

It was Mullen who called the recent meeting of the Omaha democratic city committee at which four candidates were endorsed for membership on the Board of Fire and Police commissioners.

Mullen, representing Governor Shallenberger, came up from Lincoln, rounded up a few of the governor's faithful and called a meeting at the Paxton hotel. He ordered the democrats to get together and endorse candidates for the police board.

But Mr. Mullen did not make known the object of his visit to all of the democratic committee. Instead, he called in a few of those he could depend upon and then refused to permit other members of the committee to get into the meeting.

It is reported from the inside that members of the committee bucked and kicked strenuously, but the agent of the governor insisted, with the result the endorsements were made.

One democratic candidate for membership on the police board insists that Mullen lost out and the committee refused to endorse his candidates, while others insist that Mullen went out for his chief.

After the meeting Mullen went to the Henshaw, where he was the object of bitter criticism at the hands of a bunch of irate democrats, but as the agent of the governor had accomplished his purpose, he refused to be put out by the denunciation and went back to Lincoln happy, to report his success to the governor.

Boe want ads are business boosters.

### ROOSEVELT REACHES CAMP

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tion by Sir Alfred Pease, who will be his host on the Athl river. Mr. Roosevelt is dressed today in a khaki suit and a white helmet. The weather is bright and warm.

Mr. Roosevelt was on the cowcatcher of the engine when the train pulled in, having occupied that position for the seventy-nine miles between Mankindu and Kapitli Plains. He said he was intensely interested in the country and expressed his gratitude and delight at the hospitality shown him by the acting governor and Mrs. Jackson.

The caravan awaiting the Roosevelt, including four headmen, nine gunbearers, twelve armed guards, 200 porters and nine horses.

Mr. Selous is going on a lion hunt with Mr. McMillin. He is not attached to the Roosevelt party, the only members of licensed to shoot lions are Mr. Roosevelt and Kermit.

MACHAKOS ROAD, British East Africa, April 23.—The Roosevelt special arrived at Machakos Road, 270 miles from Mombasa, at midday. The weather is fine and sunny and all the members of the party are enjoying themselves greatly.

Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Selous, Major Mearns and Edmund Heller, in their ride on the cowcatcher of the locomotive from Mankindu, had a magnificent view of swampland Kilimanjaro. Plenty of game was seen from the train, including about twenty giraffes, with their young, close to the line; wildebeests, hartbeesties, waterbucks, zebras, duikers, guinea fowl, ostriches in great number and one rhinoceros. Two

### Jury in Wagar Case Slow to Act

### Disagreement Looked for in View of Length of Time Taken for Delib- eration at Sioux Falls.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., April 23.—(Special Telegram.)—The jury in the embassie case of Anson Wagar retired at 11:30 this morning and tonight had not yet reported. In view of the delay in the jury reporting it is generally expected that it will report a disagreement. A report is not looked for before tomorrow.

The opening argument for the government was made by W. G. Porter, assistant United States attorney. The argument for the defendant was made by Judge Frank B. Alkens of Alkens and Judge White. United States Attorney Wagner made the closing argument for the government. The closing

### Mr. and Mrs. Boyle Are Indicted

### Both Are Charged with Kidnaping and Their Trials Will Begin Next Monday.

MERCER, Pa., April 23.—Indictments were returned here tonight by the grand jury against James H. Boyle and his wife, in connection with the abduction March 15 of Willie Whittle of Sharon, Pa. The bill against Boyle charges kidnaping. The maximum sentence is life imprisonment. The woman is similarly indicted, with an extra count charging aiding, assisting and abetting in the kidnaping. The trial will begin next Friday.

In its report to the court the grand jury recommended that the county commissioners guard against overcrowding the court room during the trial of the pair. It is said the school academy building, used as a court room since the burning of the court house, is weak.

The grand jury also reported that Sheriff Chess had been instructed by them to place Boyle in a burglar-proof cell because of a recent attempt to liberate him.

The kidnaping case was before the grand

### DRY LOBBYISTS FEED SOLONS

### Campaign Songs and Dainty Lunch- oons Features of Florida Pro- hibition Fight.

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., April 23.—The fight for submitting statewide prohibition to the voters of Florida, which the prohibitionists won in the senate, was continued in the house today.

Tallahassee was again crowded with women supporters of prohibition, who by means of campaign songs and tempting luncheons for the legislators are aiding in the fight for prohibition.

### Geddes Heads Soldiers' Home.

HOT SPRINGS, S. D., April 23.—(Special Telegram.)—At a meeting of the State Soldiers' Home Board this afternoon Colonel J. B. Geddes was unanimously elected as commandant of the home, to succeed the late Colonel Dudley. Colonel Geddes has been president of the home board for the last two years and when Colonel Dudley died was chosen to act as commandant until a successor might be chosen. There were several aspirants, but Colonel Geddes has given such general satisfaction that the board prevailed upon him to continue in the service, and the members of the home are well satisfied.

### The Weather

FOR NEBRASKA—Partly cloudy and warmer.

FOR IOWA—Partly cloudy, warmer in minimum temperature.

Temperature at Omaha yesterday:

Hour	Deg.
5 a. m.	36
6 a. m.	37
7 a. m.	38
8 a. m.	42
9 a. m.	44
10 a. m.	46
11 a. m.	55
12 m.	62
1 p. m.	62
2 p. m.	63
3 p. m.	64
4 p. m.	65
5 p. m.	66
6 p. m.	64
7 p. m.	62
8 p. m.	59
9 p. m.	58

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, April 23.—Official record of temperature and precipitation, compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

Year	Max. Temp.	Min. Temp.	Mean Temp.	Precipitation
1909	66	36	51	.56
1907	75	48	61	.48
1906	62	35	48	.58

Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal at Omaha since March 1, and compared with the last two years:

Year	Normal Temperature	Deficiency for the day	Deficiency since March 1, 1909	Normal Precipitation	Deficiency for the day	Deficiency since March 1, 1909
1909	54	12	127	.12	.44	.32
1907	54	12	127	.12	.44	.32
1906	54	12	127	.12	.44	.32

Total rainfall since March 1, 1909, 1.45 inches. Deficiency since March 1, 1909, 2.55 inches. Deficiency for cor. period 1907, 1.41 inches. Deficiency for cor. period 1907, 2.31 inches.

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

Station and State	Temp.	Max.	Min.	Rain-fall
Sioux Falls, S. D.	42	44	30	.00
Bismarck, N. D.	42	44	30	.00
Cheyenne, Wyo.	50	52	30	.00
Chicago, Ill.	58	60	40	.00
Davenport, Ia.	50	52	30	.00
Denver, Colo.	54	56	30	.00
Hartford, Conn.	50	52	30	.00
Huron, S. D.	48	50	30	.00
Kansas City, Mo.	52	54	30	.00
North Platte, Neb.	50	52	30	.00
Omaha, Neb.	50	52	30	.00
Rapid City, S. D.	52	54	30	.00
St. Paul, Minn.	54	56	30	.00
St. Louis, Mo.	52	54	30	.00
Valentine, Neb.	54	56	30	.00
Williamson, Mo.	52	54	30	.00

"T" indicates trace of precipitation.

L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

### DEMOCRATS WILL HOLD NO ANTE-CONVENTION MEETING

### This is What Tom Allen, the State Chairman, Says About the Matter.

T. S. Allen, chairman of the democratic state committee, believes the democratic party will not hold any meeting following its state convention, for the purpose of selecting candidates for supreme judge. It is his opinion such a meeting is not necessary.

"It is very probable," says Mr. Allen, "that only three democrats will file for supreme judge and in that case it will not be necessary for any kind of a convention or meeting to eliminate or endorse candidates. At our state convention we will simply name a state committee."

Commencing promptly at 3 a. m. Saturday Orkin Bros. store will open with the greatest sale ever held in Omaha. Over 1,000 \$3, \$2.50, \$3 and \$5 stylish new tailored suits on sale Saturday at \$15. See Page 13.

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