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Stock Show at Nebraska City

Fourth Annual Event Proves Big Drawing Card for Otter County People.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Yesterday and today were opening days of the fourth annual stock show. Yesterday morning the parade was the largest ever witnessed in this city in the way of farm products. The procession was headed by the Merchants' band and followed by some floats made by the teachers and children of the schools in this city and the schools adjacent to the city.

LIGHT WAR IN NEBRASKA CITY

Old and New Companies Are Bidding for Business.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Nebraska City is liable to have an electric light war. A new company was formed some time since and asked the city council for a franchise. In its bid for business, both with city and private consumers, it cut below the old company. The old company has no franchise. It having expired several years ago and it filed at a late meeting of the council its application for a new franchise for both water and light in which it cuts 2 cents per K. W. hour under the new company for lights both to city and consumers, and from 45 to 50 cents per 1,000 gallons for water and fire hydrant rentals from \$27.50 to \$35 per hydrant annually.

havior, sentence being suspended during good behavior. There will probably be about two weeks of jury work. There are twenty-two civil cases on the docket for trial, the most important being the suit of Martha A. Crites against the Modern Woodmen of America. Mrs. Crites sued to recover judgment on an insurance policy held by her husband in that order. Crites was a Burlington brakeman and was killed three years ago at Aurora while making a coupling. The attorneys for the fraternal order contended that he was engaged in a prohibited occupation and refused to pay the amount of his policy. Suit was brought and judgment given in favor of the widow in the lower court, but upon appeal the supreme court remanded the case for retrial.

Methodists Get Down to Work

Number of Transfers Announced at the Conference Session at Neligh.

NELIGH, Neb., Sept. 22.—(Special Telegram.)—The North Nebraska Methodist Episcopal conference was opened this morning by Bishop Nielsen, assisted by district superintendents with holy communion. William A. Rominger was elected secretary and W. J. Bryant, statistical secretary; E. C. Thorp, treasurer.

The bishop announced the transfers of H. A. Taylor to the West Nebraska conference, C. F. Starr to Southwest Kansas, D. A. Keane to South Illinois, E. E. Carter to Southwest Kansas, G. W. Snyder to Nebraska conference, J. B. Carns to North-west Nebraska, L. R. DeWolf to Nebraska. He also announced those transferred into this conference: George M. Bing from the Upper Iowa conference, Jerald Jensen from Nebraska, L. W. McKibben from West Wisconsin, J. W. Kirkpatrick from Southwest Kansas, Ambrose G. McVey from Nebraska, Joel J. Burke from West Virginia, Joseph Stoppard from Maine, Charles B. Thomas from Nebraska, W. T. Cline from Nebraska.

BRIDEGROOM ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

No Cause Apparent for Committing the Act.

HASTING, Neb., Sept. 22.—(Special Telegram.)—Within the hearing of his bride of one week, George Bradshaw of Kansas, aged 35, today shot himself, presumably with suicidal intent. The bullet passed through his head, leaving him unconscious. He has a small chance for recovery. George Bradshaw and Mrs. Dena Durben, the latter aged 23, were married by Judge Butten here last Wednesday. Bradshaw seemed contented then and since and no reason is known for his deed.

New Bank for David City

DAVID CITY, Neb., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—The Butler County State bank, a new institution, opened today. The capital stock is \$35,000. Officers are: Arthur J. Evans, president; George H. Price, cashier; W. M. Evans, assistant cashier.

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TRACTION CASE HEARING

Right to Charge Ten Cents Between Two Omahas is Denied.

ANSWER IN DORCHESTER CASE

Burlington Questions the Jurisdiction of the State Commission to Pass on Lumber Rate, Holding it is Inappropriate.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Sept. 22.—(Special.)—The State Railway commission considered the application of the Nebraska Traction and Power company for permission to charge a 10-cent rate between Omaha and Ralston this afternoon. The commissioners pointed out to the applicants that this rate would be in excess of the 5-cent-a-mile law, the distance being about four miles. It was agreed that the company might file an 8-cent rate, on which the commission would withhold approval until it is demonstrated how this rate will work. The chief objection urged to the making of this rate is that another company is now granting a 5-cent rate.

Less Express Reports. The commission today announced that it would no longer require express companies in the state to make monthly station reports. When reports are in for August no further demands for monthly station statements will be made on these companies, the order directing that all information heretofore contained in these be embodied in the annual station report to be made at the end of the year. The commission has made compilations from reports heretofore filed and has sufficient amount of such detail information for the present.

Normal Board Case Heard. The supreme court this afternoon heard arguments in the test case which is to settle the controversy between the State Board of Education and the State Normal board. The case was submitted.

Road Challenges Jurisdiction.

J. E. Kelly, for the Burlington railroad, in an answer filed to the complaint made by the George W. Voss Lumber company of Dorchester, relating to lumber rates from the south, declares that the state railway commission has no jurisdiction in this matter. The Voss company complained that Dorchester is discriminated against in favor of Crete, in that yellow pine lumber brought from the south is delivered to Burlington railroad at Crete for 25 cents while the rate to Dorchester is eight miles farther west, is 21 cents. Mr. Kelly says this is an interstate matter in which the state commission cannot assume jurisdiction.

Some time ago the railroads handling pine lumber from the south, through themselves unable to agree on a division of rates in cases where through rates were made from the mills to local stations in Kansas and Nebraska. All through rates to Nebraska local stations were withdrawn, excepting those applying to Omaha and Lincoln and intermediate points. Crete regarded an intermediate point gets the Lincoln rate, while the local for eight miles is added to the 25 cents to make the Dorchester rate. Crete is a competitive railroad point, while Dorchester is purely local to the Burlington.

Affidavits in Home Case.

Affidavits in the Commandant Barnes matter at Grand Island, which was recently subject to a hearing by the state board, continue to reach the office of Secretary of State Junkin. Mr. Junkin said yesterday that some of these contain ludicrous matters stated in a severely formal, earnest and most dignified way. The board has made no finding in the Barnes case, since the hearing at Grand Island, and it is not made plain when such a finding will be made. In fact the board has little to do with the matter, the whole quarrel being regarded as one for the governor to settle. Commandant Barnes is the governor's appointee, and any finding made by the board would not of necessity influence his action, and the governor is free to act without suggestion on the part of the board.

Some state officials who have familiarized themselves with conditions at the Grand Island home maintain that no matter who might have been appointed from a list of Grand Island residents some trouble would have occurred during the administration of the Soldiers' Home. It is held that factional differences and politics at Grand Island are largely responsible for the situation in which Mr. Barnes finds himself, while another contributing factor is the lack of policy that the commandant has shown in dealing with the old veterans. The resignation of Joe McGraw, it is held, has not removed the only disturbing factor.

Reduced Rates Asked.

The State Railway commission considered the application of Fred Enfield, manager of the telephone company at Lyons, that was formerly a part of the Bell system, for permission to reduce his rates to meet competition, and also the protest of H. S. Johnson, manager of the Independent company, which has lowered the telephone rates at Lyons and which is competing with Enfield's company. Enfield was allowed to put in lower rates. Mr. Johnson declares that Mr. Enfield is merely operating the exchange at Lyons for the Bell company and that the sale is a subterfuge, while Mr. Enfield declares that he is the owner of the plant and that it is necessary for him to reduce his rates to hold his own against the rival company.

THEFT OF HORSES CONFESSED

Charles Miller Admits Stealing Animals in Hamilton County.

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—It seems that the mystery surrounding the disappearance of several fine horses in this and adjoining counties during the last few months has been cleared up with the arrest of Charles Miller, possessed of several aliases. The first theft was that of some fine horses belonging to S. A. Nyberg, living across the river in Hamilton county. These horses were traced and found in possession of buyers at Harvard and Sutton. Later some horses belonging to Mrs. John Reeves, a widow, living west of town, were stolen, and these were secured by Sheriff Her at Fremont. The latter part of last week a man sold some horses at Belgrade, and as he acted suspiciously the party who bought them became alarmed after he departed and notified Sheriff Babb at Fullerton. The man was traced to Central City, where Sheriff Her, who had been notified to be on the lookout for him, took him into custody. The horse buyers at Harvard and Sutton were summoned here and identified the man, who gave his name as Miller, as one of whom they had bought the Nyberg horses. When Miller was confronted by these witnesses he broke down and confessed that he and a partner of his, both of whom had once worked on the Iowas place west of town, where some of the horses were stolen, had made away with the horses which had been stolen in the neighborhood during the last month. Miller has been taken to Aurora, where he will be



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araigned on the charge of stealing the Nyberg horses.

Hays Leaves Political Place.

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the republican county central committee, Dr. H. E. Glatfelter of this city was elected county chairman to succeed Joe A. Hays, who handed in his resignation. Mr. Hays has been appointed federal census supervisor for the Third congressional district, and in accordance with the request of President Taft that all such officials refrain from engaging in politics, has handed in his resignation.

Nebraska News Notes.

WESTON—Frank Blasek and Caroline Pekarek were united in marriage today by Rev. Mr. Bar in the Catholic church.

SUTHERLAND—The yield of hay in this vicinity is exceptionally heavy this season, and the harvest is nearly completed.

BEATRICE—William F. Hollecker of Denver and Mrs. Ida M. Snider of Granby, Colo. were married here yesterday by Judge Spafford.

NEBRASKA CITY—The body of Clarence Barber of this city, who died in a hospital at Omaha, has been brought here for interment. He had been a resident here for several years.

BEATRICE—A valuable horse and buggy belonging to James Wiggins of this city were taken from Court street last evening by Mr. and Mrs. Virginia Wiggins attending the performance at the Paddock theater. He is of the opinion that the rig was stolen.

NEBRASKA CITY—Hog cholera has broken out in the vicinity of Dunbar and yesterday 100 head of hogs were inoculated with serum and more will be as soon as the serum can be obtained. This is the first time that cholera has broken out among the swine in this county for several years.

LYONS—Lyons has eleven representative young women now in attendance at the State university at Lincoln, viz: Alice Beckwith, Annette Heintzelman, Mabel McDowell, Clara Newmyer, Mammie Piper, Mildred Piper, Rebecca Robbins, Bessie Little, Katherine Little, Ines Thomas and Grace White.

NEBRASKA CITY—Frank R. Grover, R. F. Marsel and W. G. Echeverre have filed their articles of incorporation for the Nebraska City Gas and Electric Light company. The capital stock is \$45,000. They take over the gas plant here and will operate the same, having purchased the plant at a receiver's sale.

SUTHERLAND—As a result of the recent fires in Sutherland there is an inclination on the part of numerous property owners to fireproof their buildings as much as possible. The buildings now in course of construction in the business portion of town are to be fireproof, and others will likely be covered with iron.

SARGENT—Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Carr of Doris celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on September 13 in a very pleasant manner. He is the owner of the Doris Lake resort, seven miles west of Sargent, and their modern hotel was thrown open to the entertainment of their guests—several relatives being present from other states.

SARGENT—Our schools have opened with another step in advance by turning in another room, adding another teacher and putting music and elocution on the course of study. This is the second year for Prof. Smith and the students have fallen into line for active work, determined to accomplish even more than the state requirements.

NEBRASKA CITY—There were two accidents here yesterday. Thomas Shary, a driver of an oil wagon, was thrown from his wagon by his team running away and thrown under the wagon and run over. He is in a serious condition and fears

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PUBLIC EXECUTION OF THREE NOTORIOUS MEN

French Applaud Loudly as Gallotting Knife Falls on Neck of Criminals.

VALENCE, Drome, France, Sept. 22.—Three men, Herruyr, David and Lotlard, were guillotined here at daybreak for a series of atrocious crimes in the department of Drome. They often tortured their victims with red hot irons. A great crowd witnessed the executions and applauded wildly every time the knife fell.

A Shooting Scrape

With both parties wounded, demands Buckley's Arnica Salve. Heals wounds, sores, burns or injuries. 25c. Sold by Beaton Drug Co.

No Successor to Harriman.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—No successor to Edward H. Harriman on the board of directors of the New York Central railroad was elected at the meeting of the board today. Directors of the Erie announced that the vacancy by Mr. Harriman's death in that body would not be filled until the annual meeting on October 15.

Advertisement for Washburn-Crosby Gold Medal Flour, featuring a large image of the flour bag and the text "Eventually" in a cursive font.

Advertisement for Universal Wind Shield, showing an illustration of a car with the wind shield installed and the text "It Folds Flat Over the Hood".

Advertisement for Post Toasties, featuring a large image of the product box and the text "The Delightful Flavour of Post Toasties".