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WORKMAN MANGLED BY CARS

Jumped from Stub Train and is Thrown Back Under the Wheels.

FALLS CITY, Neb., Jan. 27.—(Special)—W. L. Beauchamp was killed in the Missouri Pacific yards this morning probably by the Southbound stub train. The body had evidently been dragged by the train several hundred yards. His rubber boots were torn off, the right foot was cut off, the right arm badly mangled and the skull fractured. Mr. Beauchamp was employed by the construction company and it is said that he had been in the habit of riding the stub train from the depot to the new yard and then jumping off. It is thought that in jumping he struck the new grade track, which is higher than the old, and fell back into the train. No one saw the accident. Mr. Beauchamp was seen at the depot a short time previous to the departure of the stub. He leaves a wife in this city, a daughter in Oklahoma and two sons in North Yakima, Wash.

Nebraska News Notes.

PLATTSMOUTH—Mrs. Dora Wolf, aged 75 years, passed away in the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. J. Klinger, in this city, after a brief illness with pneumonia. The body will be returned to Germany and is survived by eight children.

KEARNEY—The Nebraska State Normal school at this city will begin the second semester Tuesday morning. Eighty new students have joined their induction of beginning work during this term and many have arrived to take up their duties.

REWARD—The boys' high school basket ball team will compete with the University of Nebraska team Saturday evening. The school team will play the York High school girls on Friday evening in the old court room, under the management of the Seward.

DAVID CITY—August Kinder, sr., one of the old settlers of this county, died at his home here yesterday. Mr. Kinder came to this county about twenty-five years ago, and has resided here ever since. He died at David City about three years ago. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

SHICKLEY—The greatest revival meeting in history of the town is in progress.

EVANSTON—Rev. Roy Enslow of Kearney, Neb., is in charge. The largest building in town will not entertain the crowds, eighty-five hundred people are now here.

MADISON—County Judge Bates was one of the principal actors at the Holy and Ambrosius nuptials today at Bohemian hall west of Madison, tying the knot that made the happy couple. The wedding was the first day there being many guests present and the festivities continued all afternoon and evening.

PERU—In the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Mullard, at Peru, James E. Carney, their daughter, Ottie Bell, was joined in marriage to George Kissler of Sutton, Rev. William Edwin Darrow officiating. They were married by Miss Etta Jackman, John Nearhood, both of Peru. They will reside at Sutton.

MADISON—John Horn and Frank Balch, who were arrested a number of days ago for indulging in a game of dice at a company F of this city, appeared before Police Judge Tannery today and pleaded guilty to the charge of gambling. Both paid \$10 and costs amounting \$15.60 each.

NEBRASKA CITY—At the annual meeting of the Woman's club the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Lila W. Wilson; first vice president, Mrs. A. Carney; secretary, Mrs. Merle G. Hanks; assistant secretary, Mrs. Jane B. Hayes; treasurer, Mrs. Henriette Eastman; auditor, Mrs. Merrill Golden and Mrs. Mabel Allen.

ASHLAND—The news of the marriage on September 23, 1908, at Red Oak, Ia., of Ward O'Neill and Miss Ethel Gilbert Van Sickle, of Omaha, was recently announced. They were married when the bride's mother, Mrs. Martha Van Sickle, was informed of the event. The groom is a son of Richard O'Neill, the well known Pythian of Lincoln.

KEARNEY—The quarantine was raised at the Kearney Military Academy Wednesday morning and the boys were again allowed to go to town. The boys were permitted to visit with their parents and friends and were allowed to go to town during the day and the confectioners did a thriving business, as some of the boys had been shut up for two weeks without their usual supply of sweets.

DAVID CITY—Mrs. P. N. Myersburg, wife of a wealthy farmer living in the western part of town, died of cancer yesterday. Mrs. Myersburg, who had resided here continuously ever since. They are highly respected in this community. Mr. Myersburg is a member of the Eastern Nebraska National bank.

YORK—A sad and peculiar case came before the insanity commission when Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Patten, who live near Charleston, this country, were brought for examination. For some time past, Mr. Patten has been unbalanced, and probably due to the work and the great additional care of Mrs. Patten, the husband became ill in the same condition. Both are held at the state hospital.

NEBRASKA CITY—Miss Mary Louise Rehne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rehne, died at the family home in this city. She was 22 years of age and was born in Berlin,

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Nebraska**POLITICS IS WARMING UP**

Democrats Are on the Anxious Seat in Many Districts of the State.

SQUABBLE IN FIFTH DISTRICT

Governor Shallenberger is urged to decline the Vice Presidential Nomination Before it is Too Late.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Jan. 27.—(Special)—Democrats in the Fifth district are becoming uneasy over the fight that is developing between Fred Ashton and R. D. Sutherland for the democratic nomination for congress and they are anxious to get a third man who might defeat them both.

The men they have picked on to make the race is Colonel J. W. Purse, secretary to Governor Shallenberger. Several delegations have been in to request the secretary to permit the use of his name. In addition to this Mr. Purse has received letters urging him to consent to be a candidate.

So far Colonel Purse has indicated a desire to be left alone, right where he is and his loyalty to the governor does not permit him to enter into seriously the idea of running at this time, though the pressure is getting strong. Many democrats, however, from the Fifth district insist that it is to the interest of the party that he announces his candidacy and that his personal wishes in the matter should not stand in the way of doing a stunt for the party.

Governors and Vice Presidents.

Notwithstanding Congressman Latta has nominated him for Vice President and the governor enjoys Washington life, Governor Shallenberger this afternoon expressed himself as not in any sense being worried about having to remove from the state. Some of his callers this morning urged him emphatically to decline the nomination at the hands of the democratic national convention, for they predict that in case he permits the matter to run on, history may repeat itself and he may find himself back on the farm.

In the meantime if Mr. Bryan could be induced to sign a statement and give a bond that he would not accept a nomination for the senate it is a safe guess to say that the governor would leave a clear field for Mayor Dahman. Otherwise, his friends say the executive will try for his present job.

Railroad Hearing at Hastings.

The hearing of the complaint against the Burlington for not giving adequate train service between Red Cloud and Hastings will be held at Hastings February 9. One of the commissioners will go to Hastings to take the testimony, but it has not yet been decided which commissioner will be detailed to go.

To Increase Rates.

The Douglas County Telephone company, operating at Valley, Waterloo and Elkhorn, has filed a modified petition, asking the State Railway commission to increase rates. The proposed increases are as follows: Independent party line, from \$1.50 to \$1.75 for business, and from \$1 to \$1.25 for residence; farm line, \$1 to \$1.25, providing that if the charges are not paid six months in advance an additional charge of 25 cents shall be made. The hearing on this application has been set for February 15 at Valley.

In its petition the company set out that it is trying to improve and increase its service and that material costs much more than it did when the company first began to operate. For that reason it finds that it is necessary if it keeps up a high class service to increase the cost.

Lumber Hearing Postponed.

The complaint of the Omaha people against the railroads for alleged discrimination against that city in the matter of rates on lumber set for hearing tomorrow will be postponed for thirty days. The case will be heard by the railway commissioners.

Democrats Can Persuade Volpp.

Senator Fred Volpp of Scriber, who fought so manfully last winter to be known as the father of the banking bill, but who was pacified by having the committee agree to call it the "Volpp-Wilson" bill, which agreement the committee failed to keep, is ready to be persuaded to be a candidate for the democratic nomination for state treasurer. To his friends here Mr. Volpp appeared as one very anxious to get into the running, though for publication he felt certain that he was not now a candidate. Mr. Volpp was sure, however, that he is for Mayor Dahman for governor, notwithstanding the office of the governor appealed well satisfied with what the senator said in there regarding his preference.

PIERCE—The uman evangelistic services that have been in progress at this place for the last three weeks, it is announced, will close on Friday evening of this week. The services were conducted by the pastor of the Congregational and Methodist churches. Rev. B. H. Merten of the Methodist church having charge one week in the past. The pastor here is the new wife, Rev. J. W. Taylor, having served in the Methodist church. Over sixty persons have been converted.

KEARNEY—Sheriff Walter Sammons was held in custody Wednesday morning with a writ of habeas corpus, ordering that Alfred Barnes be brought to Kearney before February 14. The writ was obtained by the attorney general, the pastor of the State Industrial school. The authorities of Adams county had refused to give up the boy and legal proceedings resulted in the removal of individuals sent to the state from the penitentiary over to the fact that he has been merely let out on parole from this school.

DUNBAR—The farmers' institute convened here yesterday for a two days session. The first day was spent in a general meeting of the local clubs and the second day in a session of the state institute.

DELEGATES Perfect Organization.

Delegates appointed by the various cities and towns to meet here and organize perfect an organization today which will be known as the State League of Nebraska Municipalities. Following are the officers elected: Major Don L. Love of Lincoln, president; City Attorney Robert P. Starr of Loup City, vice president; City Clerk Roscoe C. Ogman of Lincoln, secretary; Cornelius O. C. Zinn of Hastings, treasurer; Comptroller C. O. Lobeck of Omaha, Mayor Ed Lehmkohl of Wahoo and Councilman John H. Morgan of Chadron, members of the board of trustees.

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