

Nebraska DEMOS HAVE CHAUTAUQUA

Speaking Campaign Begins for Favored Few.
METCALFE NOT UPON THE LIST

Major Dabman Not Heavily Weighed Down with Engagements—Oil Rates at Last Cut Down.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, April 22.—(Special.)—The democratic state committee, organized in the little chautauqua, all of its own and it is sending its speakers into any and every community that will give a feed under the name of democracy. The three stellar attractions that are being offered are Governor Shallenberger, chief executive of the state; A. C. Shallenberger, candidate for the democratic nomination for governor; and Clinton C. Shallenberger, breeder of fine cattle and member of the board of directors of the National Shorthorn Breeders' association.

J. C. Byrnes, chairman of the state committee, and Leo Matthews, secretary, are the same, are two lesser lights that look after the stage settings and pass on the local arrangements before the apparatus of the big star. To insure a crowd rival candidates for congressional nominations are sandwiched in, while occasionally invitations are extended to Mayor Dabman and the senatorial candidate, Gilbert M. Hitchcock, and the late senatorial candidate, William H. Thompson.

First Appearance in February.
The first engagement of the Byrnes-Matthews chautauqua was at Lincoln on St. Valentine's day, when a try-out was given the various speakers. Among the discards is Richard L. Metcalfe, who, though he boasted Governor Shallenberger for signing the 8 o'clock closing law, for some reason failed to make good with the management, consequently he has not been dated again save in one instance, Tecumseh, and that can be explained by the fact that he has some warm personal friends there. Why Mr. Metcalfe should be cut off from the opportunity of informing the democrats what he believed the party should do has not been explained unless it is that he has announced himself very much in favor of county option and the further fact that Mr. Bryan might conclude to reward faithful service by passing him nominated for some office, possibly senator.

Major Dabman has not been overburdened with engagements with this new chautauqua management, and the very good reason is that nowhere is he boosting the game of the star attraction. It is the intention of the management to secure engagements in every town possible and several dates have been booked ahead. To next meeting will be held at Emerson May 27; Tecumseh, May 31; Beaver City, May 15; Kearney, June 8; Broken Bow at a date yet to be fixed. William B. Pejes, an announced candidate for United States senator, is also in the discards, tending to show that the management does not intend to do anything to cause worry to Mr. Hitchcock, whose assistance in the game could be material.

Reduced Oil Rates.
The state railway commission has accomplished that which the recent democratic state legislature failed to do because of its inactivity in drafting bills. The commission has secured a reduction in oil rates from Kansas points to Nebraska points by simply bearing down on the railroad companies. In some instances the reduction amounts to more than 33 per cent. The roads which have announced reductions are the Chicago & North Western, Rock Island, Missouri Pacific, Union Pacific, Missouri, Kansas & Texas. The rate to Omaha under the new schedule is 22 cents per 100 pounds.

Not Like Sample.
Superintendent Percival of the Norfolk asylum has notified the state board of publication and buildings that the coffee delivered to his institution by the H. F. Lane company does not conform to the sample which was submitted to the board when the contract was set. Dr. Percival sent a sample of the coffee to the board and according to Secretary of State Junkin it is not like the coffee that was bought. The superintendent will be notified to reject the shipment as soon as the board can get together.

Arbor Day Observed.
Arbor day was observed at the state house and other public offices by a cessation of public work so far as the public could see, though a lot of it was done just the same. At the penitentiary the garden evidently overlooked the day as a holiday and the usual work was done there.

Vapo-Resolene

An Inhalant for Whooping-Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, Coughs, Diphtheria, Catarrh.

40c Vanilla, Maple and Chocolate Nut Patties, per pound, 25c
50c Princess Sweet Chocolates, per lb., at 39c
60c Salted Raisin Chocolates, per lb., at 40c

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Hayden's Monday

An immense purchase of Sample Wafers, almost gone, \$5.00
115.00, choice.
See 15th St. Window Display.

The Champions of them All

Proving to you as we do day after day the supremacy of the clothes we sell over all others sold in Omaha—and selling more at a guaranteed saving of from \$5 to \$8 on any suit on purchase in this store—our facilities for buying less must be a hundred fold greater than stores that buy here and there—As exclusive selling agents for the greatest clothing manufacturers known to the world isn't it natural they would give us greater advantages than an occasional purchaser? One of the greatest collections of suits ever shown in Omaha has been represented in our magnificent assortment this spring—and 30 days ahead of expectancy, owing to the splendid weather—the rush commenced for choice from this superb gathering—and where it has formerly been June before our lines were depleted, this season has done it in six weeks. And Saturday we are going to give you an opportunity. All of our broken lines of this season's thoroughly up-to-the-minute models of Spring Suits for men and young men will be sold at a price absolutely inconsistent with their grandeur of value. Suits that sold at \$16.50, \$17.50, \$18.00, \$20.00 and \$22.50 are arranged for quick and easy choosing Saturday, at—

\$14.75

Our windows will support the truthfulness of this remarkable sale. There are no old chestnuts, nor light weight winter garments worked into this sale, or obsolete patterns; all are fresh and crisp and breathe honesty and unprecedented value giving. Long years ago this store set the pace and gave everybody a real run for their money—and we stand today supreme—without one serious competitor.

REMEMBER—A neglected opportunity never returns.



Men's Underwe'r

WHEN you change your underwear why not try one of our union suits—any man that has worn one of our kind will advise you to—they are not bulky or sticky, they fit the body evenly and comfortably. It's the ideal underwear for spring and summer. Suits of light cotton \$1.00 and up; plain or ribbed light weight lisle \$1.50 and up

- Talk with us when you get ready to change Handsome Shirts, \$1.00 to \$3.50.
- Beautiful Neckwear, 25c to \$1.50.
- Fancy Waistcoats, \$2.50 to \$6.
- Spring Hosiery, fancy and plain colors, 25c to \$1.50 a pair.
- Black, tan and gray belts, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, etc.
- New styles of Lion Brand Collars, two for 25c.



Men's Hats

And when we say men's hats we mean men of all years of age—a hat that will become you and be in keeping with the occasion you want it for—the very color to match the suit or a correct contrast. The reputation of our hat department has gone abroad and rarely a day but we get samples of clothes from some place requesting our judgment on the hat fashions.

We're there with the knowledge and the styles—at about 50c to \$1.00 less in price than anyone else.
\$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 for Stetson's and up.

Rain Coats and Slip Ons—a fine variety of styles and colorings difficult to find outside of this store \$10 to \$35

The Berg Clothing Co

15th & DOUGLAS



Boys' Clothing

When you buy the boys' clothes you want style, and you particularly want service. Buying as we do in great quantities of boys' clothing, gives us a decided advantage over our competitors, and at all times we can surely guarantee you a clear saving of \$1. \$2 or \$3 on a suit purchased at this store. And every suit is a reputable maker's production. \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, or more—any price you want to pay—Many of our suits have extra pair of trousers. New Policemen Suits for boys up to 13 years; coat, trousers, helmet, badge, belt, club and star; sweep thing, only—



\$1.45

TRAVELERS AT GRAND ISLAND

Sixteenth Annual Convention Begins Today Afternoon.
GRAND ISLAND, Neb., April 22.—(Special.)—The sixteenth annual convention of the Travelers' Protective association of Nebraska was called to order this afternoon by the president of Post E. Representative John W. Rink of this city. The convention is held under the auspices of Post E. Rev. L. A. Arthur of the Episcopal church led in the invocation of divine blessing on the convention and Mayor Henry Schuff welcomed the visitors, the response being given by W. C. Alexander of Hastings. The routine business of the association was then taken up. This evening there was a ball at the Ancient Order of United Workmen temple.

BOARD FAVORS LAND SALES

Deputy Boslaw at Broken Bow Tells of Investigation.
BROKEN BOW, Neb., April 22.—(Special.)—Deputy and Commissioner C. C. Boslaw while in Broken Bow on business this week stated in an interview that the State Board of Education would soon open a campaign through the press and other channels to urge the public to use its influence on the state legislature in order that that body may act favorably on a bill for the sale and disposal of state school lands. Mr. Boslaw says the board has prepared figures showing that 9 cents per acre per year is about the average income from leased land. The state possesses 2,000,000 acres of school land. Land leased prior to 1911 can be disposed of, later than that it cannot be sold without a change in the law. School land cannot be sold for less than \$7 per acre and the board thinks the money can be invested more advantageously than in land. Mr. Boslaw says the board also believes that land values have about reached the top notch and the present time is a good one to dispose of that belonging to the state.

Clay Center Criminal Court.

CLAY CENTER, Neb., April 22.—(Special.)—District court is in session here this week, Judge Hurd presiding. There is a full docket and these probably will be the three weeks of jury work. The case of the State of Nebraska against John Carney is now being tried. The defendant is charged with striking Peter Walther last September and causing his death. Walther was county supervisor at the time and in an altercation with Carney concerning quarantined regulations, Carney struck him and eight days afterward paralysis followed and he was operated upon and died in the operation. There are two criminal cases to follow this beside six civil cases for the jury.

Nebraska News Notes.

CEDAR RAPIDS.—Cedar Rapids defeated Springfield on the diamond yesterday afternoon by a score of 15 to 4.
BEATRICE.—Phillip Boss, census director for this district, has appointed J. B. Abbott of Beatrice as special agent to assist the enumerators.
WYOMING.—The entertainment committee of the Hoboken club is engaged in raising \$1,000 to be spent in open air entertainments on the downtown streets during the summer.
FREMONT.—A fire in a pile of lumber near the Fremont fence factory for a time

South Dakota Retailers to Meet

Governor Vessey Will Be One of Speakers at Three Days' Convention in Yankton in May.
SIOUX FALLS, S. D., April 22.—(Special.)—N. S. Tyler of this city, secretary, together with other officers and members of the association, has completed the work of preparing for the thirteenth annual convention of the South Dakota Retail Merchants and Hardware Dealers' association, which will be held at Yankton on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 10, 11 and 12. This is one of the big associations of the state and the coming convention will be one of the best attended held in South Dakota this year. The association has a very large membership in all parts of the state and practically every city and town in the state is expected to be represented at the annual convention. The officers of the association are: President, D. H. Loftus, DeSmet; secretary, N. S. Tyler, Sioux Falls; treasurer, H. O. Rime, Dell Rapids. A. E. Lee of Vermillion, former governor of South Dakota, is one of the vice presidents.

PROTESTS FROM WYOMING

Area Withdrawn from Settlement Contains Thirteen Towns Within Its Borders.
LOVELL, Wyo., April 22.—(Special.)—The recent order of the Interior department, withdrawing 37,000 acres of land in this section because the lands are supposed to contain valuable deposits of oil, has created much indignation, and instead of a few days petition and protests will be forwarded to Wyoming's delegation in Washington requesting that they secure relief. In the section withdrawn are the towns of Burlington, Bards, Lovell, Penrose, Penton, Otto, Greybull, Christal, Germania, Ionia, Cowley, Byron and Garland. Irrigation works costing several millions of dollars are located within the tract, and there are hundreds of prosperous farmers and ranchmen on the lands withdrawn.

NEGRO NOT MEMBER OF ARMY

Man Charged with Attacking Woman at Cheyenne Misrepresented as Cavalryman.
CHEYENNE, Wyo., April 22.—(Special.)—Feeling among the Ninth cavalry troops against James Powell, the local colored man charged with attacking Miss Hattie Bode while wearing the uniform of the Ninth cavalry, is very strong, so strong, in fact, that the officers of the regiment will keep the troops at the post for several days. The cavalrymen are very indig-

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BEATRICE.—C. H. Rutter, a farmer living a mile east of Beatrice, suffered a fracture of the femur and several fractured ribs in a runaway Thursday at his home. He was thrown against a barn and pinned between the building and wagon, where he remained until found by members of his family.

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PLEASANT FARM AT CEDAR FALLS.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., April 22.—(Special.)—State Fish and Game Warden George Lincoln, who has established the first pleasant farm in Iowa, near Cedar Falls, says he will establish many such farms throughout the state, wherever a farmer can be found who will take the proper care of the birds while they are

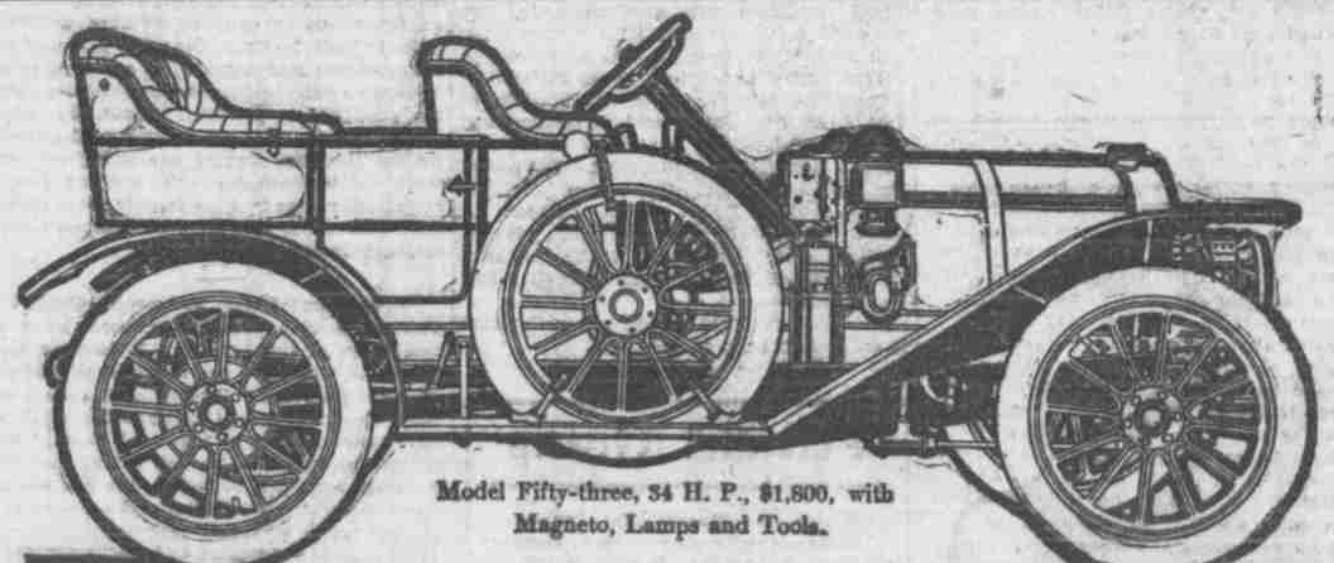
IOWA GRADUATES WILL TEACH.

IOWA CITY, April 22.—(Special.)—Teaching positions in the state for University of Iowa graduates this year have been announced as follows: Helen E. Struble, Carroll High school; Hilda Ellison, Ossage High school; Theodore Wankers, superintendent, Brighton; George H. Mount, professor education in normal school, Marquette, Mich.; Nellie Oetting, assistant principal, Starwood, Ia.; Leon O. Smith, superintendent, Batavia; A. W. Graham, superintendent, Tipton.

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Foreign Warships Here.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—On a practice cruise around the world, the San Gabriel, school ship of the Lisbon Naval academy and the first Portuguese warship to anchor in this harbor, arrived today.



Model Fifty-three, 34 H. P., \$1,800, with Magneto, Lamps and Tools.

THIS new Rambler Fifty-three, at \$1,800, except for improvements, is identical in quality and power with previous Rambler models which sold at \$2,250.

Model Fifty-three—Five-passenger; four-cylinder, 4 1/2 x 4 1/2; 34 H. P.; wheel-base, 108 inches; wheels and tires, 36x4 1/2 inches; equipment—magneto, oil side- and tail-lamps, gas head-lights and generator, horn, tools, and jack. Spare Wheel with tire, brackets, and tools, \$75.



The Car of Steady Service

Is better than any previous Rambler in quality, dignity, silence and comfort, and, in many respects, it is superior to any other automobile.

Model Fifty-five—Seven-passenger, \$2,300; four-cylinder, 5 x 5 1/2; wheel-base, 123 inches; wheels and tires, 36x4 1/2 inches; equipment—magneto, 6-80 storage battery, two gas head-lamps, electric side-lamps, combination electric and oil tail-lamp, Presto-lite tank, adjustable robe-rail, horn, jack, and tools. Spare Wheel with tire, brackets, and tools, \$100.

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