Nebraska

INSPECTION OF STATE MILITIA

Adjutant General Issues Order Covering Procedure This Year.

STRICT ACCOUNT OF PROPERTY

Addison Wait Tells of His Work as Pioneer Telegraph Operator in Early Days of Nebraska.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The annual inspection of the Nebraska National Guards, as required by law, will be made by General John C. Hartigan, adjutant general, or Major E. H. Phelps, assistant adjutant general, at 8:00 o'clock, p. m., on the following dates:

Company M, First infantry, Creto, Monday, October 17.

Company C, First infantry, Beatrice, Tuesday, October 18.

Gatlin Gun Company, Beatrice, Tuesday, October 18.

Company K, First infantry, Wymore, Wednesday, October 19.

Company L, Second infantry, Alma, Thursday, October 20.

Company B, Second infantry, Beaver City, Friday, October 21.

Company M, First infantry, McCook, Saturday, October 22.

Company E, Second infantry, Holdrege, Monday, October 24.

Company D, Second infantry, Hastings, Tuesday, October 25.

Band, Second infantry, Kearney, Wednesday, October 26.

Company A, Second infantry, Kearney, Wednesday, October 26.

Company H, Second infantry, Aurora, Thursday, October 27.

Company A, First infantry, York, Friday, October 28.

Company G, First infantry, Geneva, Saturday, October 29.

Signal Corps, Fremont, Monday, October 31.

Company K, Second infantry, Schuyler, Tuesday, November 1.

Company M, Second infantry, Albion, Wednesday, November 2.

Company D, First infantry, Norfolk, Thursday, November 3.

Company B, First infantry, Stanton, Friday, November 4.

Company E, First infantry, Blair, Saturday, November 5.

Company L, First infantry, Omaha, Monday, November 7.

Company G, Second infantry, Omaha, Monday, November 7.

Company I, Second infantry, Omaha, Tuesday, November 8.

Engineer Corps, Omaha, Tuesday, November 8.

Company C, Second infantry, Nebraska City, Thursday, November 10.

Company F, Second infantry, Lincoln, Friday, November 11.

Hospital Corps, Lincoln, Friday, November 11.

Band, First infantry, Bloomfield, Tuesday, November 15.

The order says:

The inspection will be in heavy marching order, either blue uniforms or khaki, depending on the weather and discretion of the commanding officer, but dress must be uniform, campaign hats and leggings and is made to ascertain if the companies are armed, uniformed and equipped for active duty in the field. Company commanders will see that the armory, records, ordnance stores and quartermaster supplies are in readiness for inspection on arrival of the inspecting officers, who should be met on his arrival and every facility offered to expedite this work of inspection.

III. All stores not in use by the men will be neatly piled so that it can be quickly examined and counted.

IV. Company commanders will present to the inspecting officer all property believed to be unserviceable and if found unserviceable, same shall be immediately shipped to the office of the adjutant general at Lincoln, or disposed of as the inspector may direct.

Wait an Old-Timer.

Forty years ago today Addison Wait, deputy secretary of state, crossed the river at Nebraska City and became a citizen of Nebraska. Mr. Wait came as far as Council Bluffs on the Northwestern, and then went down the river and crossed at his future home. He became the telegraph operator at his new home, and the first message he sent was taken in Omaha by the late Edward Rosewater, then with the Western Union Telegraph company.

"I had been a telegraph operator in Indiana," said Mr. Wait, "and then took up the same work at Nebraska City. Afterward I took the place as operator and agent at Palmyra and then Syracuse. I kept at the work until 1878, when I quit the railroad business."

Mr. Wait said in those days had he had foresight he could have taken up enough government land to have become a millionaire by this time. But the nonsteaders then, he said, were in very bad condition, and they envied a man with a salary of $45 a month, which he received. Potatoes could not be sold at any price, while corn was selling for 10 cents a bushel. While in the implement business Mr. Wait traded a wagon valued at $100 for 1,000 bushels of corn and made about $10 on the deal.

Governor Invited to Texas.

Governor Shallenberger has received an invitation to act as a judge of shorthorns at the Texas state fair, to be held at Dallas. Shorthorns are to be judged October 26. In the letter of invitation which was sent by Stuart Harrison, secretary of the Texas Shorthorn breeders' association, there is this statement: "We are all for you and hope you will win out." Thus does Texas go back on a native son, Mayor Dahlman. Governor Shallenberger has not yet decided whether he will be able to accept the invitation.

Barton to Long Pine.

State Auditor Barton went to Long Pine this afternoon, where, tomorrow afternoon, he will speak at a fraternal and business picnic. The auditor is high up in authority on insurance matters, and since becoming the head of the insurance department of the state he has been in great demand for speeches.

ECZEMA TOTALLY COVERED HIS FACE

When a Baby—Hair All Came Out—Always Scratching — Mother Got Cuticura and He was Cured After 3 Years of Disease.

"My son was about four months old when he was taken with dreadful eczema. I had four different doctors but they could not help him. The hair all came out and his face was totally covered. His eyes were shut and we thought he would go blind. His limbs and body were also affected. He was always scratching; I had to keep his little hands tied down and he seemed to have a great deal of pain. We did not know what to do. I used to get sick handling him, from the way the corruption was always running.

"But I got some Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and in a week or ten days I could see the eruption drying up and before long he was cured, after about three years of the terrible disease. Now he is nineteen years old and has not a sign of the old trouble. You see I learned to save three-quarters of the doctors' bills by using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I will recommend either to any one and advise them to use them and receive a safe, speedy cure. Mrs. Catherine Mocklin, Dock St., Royalton, Pa., Feb. 21, 1910."

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Passengers Hurt in Collision in Fremont Yards

Northwestern Trains in Head-On Meeting—Mail Clerk Badly Injured—No Casualties.

FREMONT, Neb., Sept. 12.—Several passengers were slightly injured and a mail clerk badly hurt in a headon collision of passenger trains on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad in the Fremont yards yesterday. No. 2, standing on a siding, was ran into by No. 21. The air brakes of the incoming train failed to work, and although the train was running at reduced speed, the shock was sufficient to badly wreck both engines and throw passengers from their seats in the coaches. Engineer Rainbow of No. 21 remained in his cab and received cuts and bruises. Dwight Baker, a mail clerk, seeing a collision was inevitable, jumped from the car, dislocating his shoulder and injuring him internally. He and the engineer were the only ones requiring medical care.

METHODIST MINISTERS MEET IN AINSWORTH

Advance Guard Already Arriving—Bishop McIntyre and Leading Divines Will Attend.

AINSWORTH, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The advance guard of ministers, who will attend the meeting of the Northwest Nebraska Methodist conference, which will convene here for a six days' session Tuesday, has already arrived, and indications point to a record-breaking attendance. Sixty ministers of the gospel, a number of them of national reputation, will appear on the program. The people of Ainsworth will open their homes for the care of the visitors. The program is declared by many Methodist ministers to be the most extensive ever been arranged for a conference in this district.

Bishop McIntyre of St. Paul will preside. Among the noted divines who have been placed on the program are: Wade Crawford Barclay, D. D., Chicago; Orien W. Fifer, D. D., Chicago; M. W. Dogan, D. D., president Wiley university, Marshall, Tex.; M. S. Poulson, state superintendent anti-saloon league, Lincoln; Dr. J. B. Carns, superintendent Long Pine district; Joseph D. Kingsley, D. D., Chicago; H. J. Coker, D. D., Kansas City, Mo.; Mrs. A. C. Zehner, national organizer, Woman's Christain Temperance union, Dallas, Tex.; Miss R. J. Watson, missionary to Japan; Mrs. M. Libby Allen of the Woman's Home Missionary society, Des Moines, Ia.; J. B. Trimble, D. D., Kansas City, Mo. A feature of the session will be the famous lecture by Bishop McIntyre, "Buttoned Up People," which will be given Thursday afternoon. The bishop is also down for a sermon Sunday morning and an address Sunday afternoon. Three sessions of the conference will be held daily, commencing Wednesday.

INCENDIARY FIRES NEW STORE

Stock Lately Installed at Berwyn Destroyed as Owner Was Negotiating Trade.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—A new hardware store lately installed at Berwyn, ten miles east of here and owned by Dr. George P. Bartholomew of this place, was totally destroyed by fire last night. Dr. Bartholomew had been visiting his place of business during the day and left on the evening train for the west where he intended negotiating a trade on the place. No one was in charge after he left. There is no doubt in the minds of the Berwyn people that the fire was of incendiary origin as the front door was found to be unlocked when the firemen arrived. The stock, fixtures and building were insured for $4,500.

CHARLES POOL JR. DISAPPEARS

Son of Late Deputy Auditor Leaves Family While at Bakersfield, Colo.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Humboldt relatives feel considerable alarm over the disappearance from Bakersfield, Cal., of Charles Pool, jr., a son of the late Deputy State Auditor Charles Pool, who has been missing since August 21. The young man, who was married to Miss Leone Boss of this city a couple of years ago, has of late years been a wanderer. He had traveled almost around the world at different times. The young wife is in poor health and relatives here are inclined to believe he has wandered from home during a fit of melancholy or temporary insanity.

NEW CHAPEL IS DEDICATED

Presbyterians Open Church at University Place Free of Debt.

UNIVERSITY PLACE, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The Presbyterians of this place yesterday dedicated their fine new chapel. The services were conducted by the Rev. De Long of the Second Presbyterian church, Lincoln, who was the organizer of the church here. He preached in the afternoons from March, 1907, until December of the same year, the Rev. Dr. Weir being called then to devote his full time and energies to the work. The present pastor is Rev. Andrew J. Heener, who was called here when Dr. Weir resigned, about a year ago. The present edifice is only the Sunday school room of the church that will be built at some future time, as more room is demanded by the growing congregation. The building is constructed of dark red pressed brick, trimmed in cement stone and built after the style of the English chapel, with square belfry. The interior is very beautiful, in brown, the color being carried out in the carpets and decorations. The chapel is furnished with pews and with the small balcony seats 300 people.

The basement contains Sunday school rooms and the hot water plant. The whole structure, completely furnished, cost $19,-000, all of which was arranged for before dedication, consequently no subscriptions were taken yesterday save for a missionary collection.

Thresherman Injured.

BEAVER CITY, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Gilbert Williams was caught in the machinery of a threshing machine today, losing three fingers of his right hand, and his arm was so injured that one piece of the bone had to be removed. The machine had caught fire from a hot box and in trying to put out the blaze with his hat he was caught in the belt and dragged into the wheels.

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United Brethren Appointments Out

Close of Conference at Hastings is Marked by Assignment of Ministers to New Stations.

HASTINGS, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The United Brethren conference came to a successful close last night in the United Brethren church, when the following appointments were announced:

Presiding elder, L. L. Epley of York; Amherst, Mrs. A. J. Rucker; Angus, G. H. Pickett; Aurora, D. M. Snider; Atlanta, to be supplied; Broken Bow, H. H. Spreckles; Bayard, W. E. Campbell; Bethel, D. D. Lemmonds; Batin, to be supplied; Danberry, L. E. Spaur; Elba, H. A. Strohl; Elwood, J. M. Bragg; Gibbon, Walter Smith; Hastings, D. E. Rasey; Hoyles county, Harrison Clements; Hoosier, C. W. Bonart; Kearney, S. Harvey; Lemar, J. W. Gress; Litchfield, W. E. Miller; Marquette, F. H. Schell; Merna, E. M. Steadman; Northfield, W. G. Arnold; Ortello, N. D. Essley; Ord, A. R. Caldwell; Broken Bow circuit, H. E. Meyers; Pleasanton, A. Boyd; Prairie Gem, W. M. Buswell; Pestz, R. A. Giles; Roseland, J. Mason.

Conference evangelists: T. J. Gallagher and F. H. Harmon. Student in York college, A. W. Vannice.

DIFFERENCE WHERE SHOE PINCHES THE DEMOCRATS

Leading York Politician Comments Upon Some Results of the Primary Law.

YORK, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—A prominent York democrat, commenting on a charge made by Governor Shallenberger that Dahlman secured his nomination by republicans voting for him, said that at the primaries here, Thomas Smith, warden of the state Penitentiary, in the interest of Governor Shallenberger, solicited republicans to vote for Shallenberger, saying that there was no contest for republican nomination and that by voting for Shallenberger it would be a great favor to both himself and Shallenberger. An examination of votes cast at the late primary shows that Tom Smith and others working for Shallenberger did secure a few republican votes for Shallenberger, Shallenberger democrats are denouncing the present law changed by the democratic legislature as pernicious, yet had they been able to secure enough votes in York and other counties, to nominate Governor Shallenberger there would have been no objection to the present law made by the democrats, who at the time were charged with passing the new primary law for the purpose of being able to nominate republicans for office who were not popular candidates.

OPERATOR STABS BRAKEMAN

Rushes Upon Thomas Hughes, Who Sought Orders, and Inflicts Wound that May Be Fatal.

ALLIANCE, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Brakeman Thomas Hughes, well known and popular among railway men, was stabbed and severely injured last night at Keenesburg Station, Colo., by a drunken telegraph operator.

Hughes was on train 303, out of Denver, and, seeing a signal board against the train, he went to get orders. The telegraph operator demanded to know what the train had stopped for and was told that he had the stop signal out. He called the brakeman a liar and rushed upon him and stabbed him under the left lung, without any warning.

Hughes was conveyed to St. Luke's hospital in Denver, where he is reported to have a chance for recovery, if everything goes well. The operator was arrested and taken to Hudson, Colo., for trial.

ARAPAHOE STREET FAIR SUCCESS

Parade, Water Fight and Athletic Games Feature of Meet.

ARAPAHOE, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The street fair and carnival, which has been on here for the past four days, closed Saturday night. The attractions, which consisted of ball games, wrestling matches, balloon ascension, automobile parade and water fight by the fire company, were all good. The attendance was not as large as was expected but everybody was good natured and well pleased by the manner in which the program was arranged and carried out.

Of the speakers outside the county, Hon. R. D. Sutherland was the only one who succeeded in getting here and many people were disappointed by Mr. Aldrich's inability to come.

Three good wrestling matches were pulled off. In the first, George Davison of Edison won from Walter Frank of Arapaho, getting the first fall in five and one-half minutes and the second in one hour and five minutes.

The match between Sidden of Edison and Thompson of North Platte was a draw, while the match between Thompson and Bly was easily won by Thompson, who got two falls in less than twenty minutes.

Of the seven ball games, the Arapahoe Braves won five. In every way the fair was a success and the Arapahoe Commercial club is well pleased with the result.

Model Road Completed.

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The mile of model road being constructed here under the direction of N. P. Dodge, the government expert detailed for the work, was completed yesterday, and is exciting a great deal of favorable comment. It starts at the north limit of the town and crosses the Burlington track. Although the road builders labored under difficulties during the recent heavy rains, the model road is already so hard that all kinds of heavy hauling is being done over it, and the drainage is so perfect that it is already easily traveled in the wettest kind of weather. A survey is being made on the road authorized by the county board just west of town, and work on this will be pushed forward at once. Mr. Dodge will superintend the work on this county road until he receives orders from the government to proceed elsewhere.

Colts, Candidates and Babies.

STELLA, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Thursday, September 15, is the date set of the annual picnic and colt show held at Stella. The day's amusements will be held in the woods south of the town and the Humboldt band will furnish the music. Hon. James C. Dahlman of Omaha will deliver an address in the morning and Hon. William Hayward of Nebraska City will speak in the afternoon. In the morning there is to be a ball game between Stella and Brock and in the afternoon between Falls City and Tecumseh. In the evening a moving picture show on the platform will entertain the crowds. All the attractions will be free to the public, the expense being borne by the commercial club. From 9 in the morning until 10 in the evening there will be something doing all the time. Two important attractions are the baby show and the colt show.

When you have anything to sell or exchange advertise it in The Bee Want Ad columns and get quick results.

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Homesteader Dies from Rifle Wound

William H. Brice Found on Prairie Near His Home Where Team Carried Body.

ALLIANCE, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—The dead body of William H. Brice, a homesteader, was found on the prairie twenty-five miles northeast of this city, Wednesday morning. His death was caused by the accidental discharge of a 22-caliber rifle which he carried with him.

He left his home with a team and buggy Tuesday and drove to the neighboring homestead of P. J. Long, where he had dinner, and on his return stopped within sight of the Long home to pick up a load of fuel.

Judging from various circumstances the gun was discharged when he got in the buggy. The body was found about a mile and one-half further on, where the team had crossed a dry pound, which evidently threw the body out. The team went on until they came to within a mile of his homestead and stopped there on account of a wire fence.

New Home Progressing.

YORK, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Work is being rapidly pushed on the new Odd Fellows' state home. The contractors hope that within the time limit they will be able to turn over to the trustees the new home that is considered one of the largest, most sanitary and best equipped Odd Fellows' homes in the west. Already the building shows something of its great size. The location is on the hill adjoining the city, and when completed will have every convenience for the comfort of motherless children and indigent Odd Fellows.

Golden Wedding Anniversary.

BEAVER CITY, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Rev. and Mrs. C. Forney celebrated their golden wedding today. One hundred relatives were present, many coming from a distance.

Nebraska News Notes.

WEST POINT—The regular September term of the district court of Cuming county convened at West Point Monday morning, with Judge Guy T. Graves of Pender on the bench. The calendar is a small one, no cases being on trial of uncommon interest.

YORK—Statistics gathered by W. M. Leonard, Lincoln, Neb., compiled by abstracters in each county in Nebraska showing sales of farms during the last year, and prices paid for lands, show York county in first position. Prices paid for lands in York county are the highest in any county in Nebraska.

WEST POINT—Miss Ella Newell, a well-known Cuming county teacher, and Fred R. Eikes of Lincoln were married at Oakland Sunday. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Newell of Garfield township, and the groom a young business man of Lincoln. They will be home in the latter city after October 1.

GRAND ISLAND—The case of the state against George Poell, ex-county clerk, on the charge of forging receipts from employes of his office, was continued until tomorrow when Poell will waive preliminary hearing, the bond of $1,000 will be renewed and the case go to the district court the next regular term being in November.

HUMBOLDT—Fire, which originated in a clothes closet at the home of George Marshall, north of town at an early hour Saturday morning, completely destroyed the house and all its contents, except a few pieces of furniture. Mice and matches are thought responsible for the flames. The building was well insured and the household goods only partially.

PONCA—Mrs. Martha A. Jennings of Martinsburg, Neb., formerly of Illinois, died recently and left $500 to the Woman's Board of Home Missions of the Presbyterian church, and $200 to the American Bible society. Her nephew, W. W. Harvey of Martinsburg is the executor of the estate, and has just forwarded the money to these boards in New York City.

WEST POINT—Miss Elma Beckenhauer was united in marriage Saturday to Richard Doeschner of Preston, Neb., at the home of Charles Beckenhauer. The ceremony was performed by the bride's nephew, Rev. Harry Graunke of Lincoln. The groom is a farmer and resides at Preston. Mr. and Mrs. Doeschner left on the afternoon train on a wedding trip to the Pacific coast. They will be absent six weeks.

GRAND ISLAND—Mrs. Jennie H. Hayman has filed a suit in the district court for divorce from W. S. Hayman on the ground of cruelty and desertion. Plaintiff married defendant in 1881. Seven children were born, all being of age excepting one. Since the birth of the latter plaintiff and defendant, for eleven years, have not lived together. Temporary alimony, the custody of the youngest child and permanent alimony is asked for. Hayman is said to be worth $50,000 with an income of $800 per month.

CENTRAL CITY—Dr. E. A. Benton of this place has just received notice of the death of a brother in New York state at the ripe old age of [illegible] years. Another brother of Dr. Benton died two years ago at the age of 96, a sister died at the age of 86, his mother at the age of 86, and his father at the age of 75, and he has two brothers well up toward the century mark still living. Dr. Benton thinks that this is a pretty good record of longevity in one family and is quite proud of it.

Rabies is Not Confined to "Dog Days" in Reality

Health Report Turns Popular Fallacies in Regard to Hydrophobia Upside Down.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—In a public health service report today, A. M. Stimson, its author, repudiates certain mad dog fallacies and advises those skeptical of doubts dispelled at a scientific laboratory. This report from Surgeon General Wyman's bureau admits rabies may not be uniformly fatal, though it is almost so.

"We do not know," says the report, "that artificial immunity can be conferred during the usual incubation period. The possibilities of anti-rabies serum have not been exhausted by trial, but our present data do not warrant us to expect very much benefit from this source."

Mad dogs are not always wild eyed and frothing at the mouth and determined upon attacking every person they meet. The report contends that when the attack first begins to develop dogs are frequently more playfully inclined; "the rabid dog is sick; he is not necessarily running wild and furious; he is frequently obedient up to a late stage, and often seems to have a bone in his throat, or to have sustained injury to the back."

Another fallacy is the general belief that rabies are much more easily transmitted in the summer than in other months. The explanation is that more people are moving about and become subject to attack. Nor is the malady confined to any climate or region. It is liable to occur in the arctic or the equatorial jungles. Dogs, wolves, coyotes and skunks seem to be especially susceptible.

The mad stone and the chicken breasts as cures for madness are arraigned as real dangers, because they frequently prevent people from seeking other remedies. Lastly human hydrophobiacs do not seek to bite other persons. The average period of incubation is a little over ten weeks, but in some persons the effect of a mad dog's bite is not manifested for more than a year.

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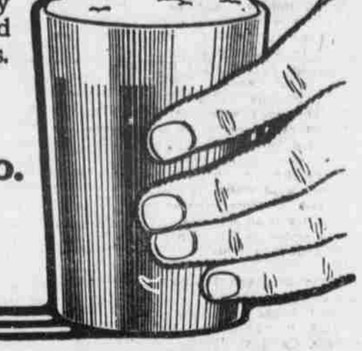

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HIBERNIANS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Ancient Order Claims City for Entire Day.

NATIONAL PRESIDENT SPEAKS

Resolution is Passed Condemning Use of Irish Mannerisms by Joke Writers—Visitors Listen to Able Addresses.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians took possession of the city of South Omaha Sunday, holding their sway all day long under the shade of the banner of green and gold. The occasion was the Nebraska state convention of the order and the program occupied the entire day. Religious services occupied the morning, the convention and the election of officers, the afternoon, the banquet at the South Omaha Livestock exchange in the evening and the eloquent address of the National President James J. Regan of St. Paul, Minn., rounded out a day long to be remembered in the annals of the order.

The Hibernians assembled at 10 a. m. and marched through the principal streets to St. Agnes' church, where solemn high mass was said. The sermon was delievered by Father Raphael, who told much of the history upon which the Ancient Order of Hibernians bases its traditions. He mentioned with feeling the struggle of the Irish patriots and the penal laws under which so much oppression was practiced.

Mullen Re-Elected State President.

At noon, luncheon was enjoyed by the special entertainment committee to the National president at the Greer hotel. Following this the convention assembled. The election of officers took place and Dr. T. R. Mullen of Omaha was re-elected president of the Nebraska organization, M. J. Crowe was chosen state secretary, Stephen J. Ryan was elected vice president and J. J. Fitzgerald, treasurer.

A resolution was passed condemning the use of Irish mannerisms in the joke columns of the newspapers. Other resolutions of a laudatory nature were passed. The Women's auxiliary elected officers, as follows: Mrs. Mary Sweeney of Omaha, president; Mrs. Moore of South Omaha, vice president; Miss Mary Powers, South Omaha, secretary, and Mrs. M. J. Kanes of Omaha, vice president.

The banquet did not begin until 8:30 p. m., but after the beginning there was little left to desire. The spread was a sumptuous five-course dinner, remarkable for the efficient service and correct details of menu and decoration. The banqueters were regaled by an orchestra, which played patriotic Irish and American airs. Strangely enough the hearers cheered the songs of "Dixie" louder and longer than the "Wearing of the Green" and the familiar Irish melodies.

The President's Address.

After the banquet had been cleared Mayor P. J. Trainor introduced the speakers of the program, the most important being James J. Regan of St. Paul, the national president. The president's address was unusually eloquent and masterful, having for its theme, "The Aims and Objects of Hibernianism." "Faith, unity and Christian charity," said the speaker, "make up the foundation stones. Irishmen love America none the less because they first loved Ireland. The best husband in the world is the one who loves his mother and reveres her sacred memory. The Irish-American has shed his best blood in all battlefields from Lexington to Yorktown, from Sumpter to Appomatox, from the deck of the Maine to San Juan hill, in the cause of the American principle and for the preservation of the American banner. He is willing still to do it when called. The oppressions which he endured at home made him love the land of liberty the more."

The speaker was often interrupted by hearty applause.

The full program of the banquet was as follows:

Toastmaster, Hon. P. J. Trainor.
Invocation.....Father Gannon
Selection.....A. O. H. Division No. 3 Band
Hibernianism—It's Aim and Object.....
National Pres. James J. Regan, St. Paul
The Irish in America.....
.....Rev. Michael Shine, Plattsmouth
The American Flag.....
.....Dr. W. J. McCrann, South Omaha
Flute Solo.....Prof. Daniel Hurley
Organization .....
.....National Treas. Thos. Maloney, Council Bluffs
Commodore Barry..J. C. Byrnes, Columbus
Irish History.....T. J. Leary, Omaha
God Save Ireland.....A. O. H. Band

PAWNEE SHIPPING APPLES

Southern County Fast Coming to Front as a Fruit Center.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Pawnee county, Nebraska, is fast coming to the front as one of the leading counties for the production of apples, both in quantity and quality. A well known orchardist of this vicinity recently made this startling assertion:

"Fifty thousand bushels of Pawnee county apples have been shipped and marketed from our county already." While some might deem it an exaggerated statement a close investigation would, beyond a question, prove the truth of his assertion.

Doubtless a much larger amount has been shipped from the other shipping points in the county, so that the entire amount shipped from the county might safely be estimated at 150,000 bushels.

As yet it is mostly the summer and fall varieties that have been shipped, and the great bulk of the winter varieties are yet to be shipped. The immense importance of this source of revenue can scarcely be over-estimated. The peach crop, though not a large one this year, has also been the source of quite a revenue to our orchardists.

WOMAN'S HAIR AVERTS DEATH

Mrs. Kirchner Thrown from Street Car in Alighting, While It is Still in Motion.

Stepping off a moving street car backwards at Seventeenth and Cuming streets last night Mrs. Susie Kirchner, 1040 Grace street, was flung to the pavement and sustained a severely lacerated scalp wound. After the wound had been dressed at the emergency hospital by Drs. T. T. Harris and Bishop the woman was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, as there is danger of fracture of the skull, although no symptoms had up till that time made themselves evident. Mrs. Kirchner had been on her way home from a theater, accompanied by O. T. Hansen, Seventh and Seward streets, but had gotten beyond their destination. The woman became anxious and stepped off before the car got to the west side of the street. She was picked up unconscious and carried into the Red Cross drug store, whence she was taken in the ambulance to the emergency hospital. It was her fine head of hair that saved her from almost instant death.

French Colony for Louisiana.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Arrangements have just been completed to bring 1,000 peasant families from France to settle and cultivate 50,000 acres of land in southwest Louisiana.

Gustave Cametoin, a French citizen, about a year ago came to Louisiana and signed up a preliminary contract for the purchase of land, returned to France, obtained two 5,000,000 franc corporations, lectured throughout the provinces on the healthfulness and productiveness of Louisiana, secured the pledges of support needed and has now returned to New Orleans, where he has completed the purchase of the land and made arrangements for the immediate beginning of developments.

In February, 1911, the first hundred families will land at New Orleans from Marseilles. Others will follow as fast as the land can be opened up for settlement.

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