

Nebraska
KNOWS THE SADDEST WORDS
 "It Might Have Been," Echoes to Gov. Shallenberger, as He Belives Bid.
DEMOCRATIC GOVERNORS FEED
 Nebraska Makes a Hit at Chicago Live Stock Fair and Try to Get Berkshire Experts to Come Here.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
 LINCOLN, Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Nebraska's chief executive has cause for sorrow and regret for what might have been. He received from the National Democratic club an invitation to attend a banquet to be given in honor of the democratic governors-elect of the country. In the list of governors to be thus honored are the following: John A. Dix of New York, Judson Harmon of Ohio, Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey, Eugene Foss of Massachusetts, Governor Baldwin of Connecticut and Governor Plaisted of Maine. The banquet is to be given at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel in New York City on the night of December 12.

Now, if Governor Shallenberger had not said the Grand Island state convention that he would sign a county option bill, he might have been renominated. If he had been renominated he would have stood a much better chance of election than he did stand after being defeated for renomination. Friends of the governor insist that he alone was to blame for his defeat for the nomination.

W. R. Meilor, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, has returned from Chicago, where he attended the meeting of the National Live Stock Association. Governor Shallenberger, C. H. Rucke, George Harvey and other Nebraskans attended the meeting, and according to Mr. Meilor, Nebraskans were pretty much in evidence in the association's affairs.

"Governor Shallenberger speaks to the Shorthorn Breeders' association, of which association he is a director," said Mr. Meilor, "and his address was the feature of the meeting. The governor stood out far and away ahead of any other speakers and the Nebraskans who heard him felt proud of their governor."

An invitation was extended to the National live stock association to meet here next year and Mr. Meilor believes the invitation will be accepted. Nebraska at its state fair last year had more hogs on exhibit than any state except Iowa, and as Iowa got the show and congress last year, he believes Nebraska's chances are good for next year.

People Score Ounce.
 The railway commission has granted permission to the Nebraska Telephone company to reduce its rates at Fairbury to agree with the rates charged by the local independent company. It was brought out at the hearing that the independent company charged a rate for long distance where there were more than ten subscribers and \$1.50 where there were less than ten. But it appears that where five or more persons were subscribers with the expectation of increasing their number to ten, the lesser rate was given them. The Nebraska company asked permission to decrease its rates to meet the competition and when the hearing started the Fairbury company offered to increase its rates if the Nebraska company would withdraw its application for a reduction. This the Nebraska company declined to do and the hearing went on with the above result.

Craibree to Appoint.
 James W. Craibree, just elected state superintendent, is expected to announce tomorrow the names of the members of his office force. In the superintendent's office there are twelve people employed regularly and twice that many work at odd times during the year.

Aldrich to Shake Plumtree.
 Word has been received from David C. Aldrich that Governor-elect Aldrich will be in Lincoln Monday, at which time he will name a bunch of appointees.
 The supreme court has granted a writ of habeas corpus against Sheriff Hogsland of Lancaster county in behalf of O. J. King and B. T. Page, theoretically in the custody of the county official for having violated the pure food law. The writ is made returnable on January 2, at which time the sheriff, through his counsel, the attorney general of the state, will show cause to the court why he should retain the custody of the plaintiffs. It is probable that attorneys on both sides of the question will file briefs covering the whole question in controversy and the supreme court will lay down an interpretation of the pure food law provisions and their constitutionality.

The case is a test brought by agreement between the pure food commissioner and the National Biscuit company to try out the provisions of the law which demands that the net weight must be stamped on all packages of certain foodstuffs, among them cereals. The food commissioner insisted that the National Biscuit company stamp the net weight on its packages of biscuits. The company, through its attorney, declared the law invalid and asked a chance to have the question settled. This was agreed to and the local manager for the cracker concern and one of the leading grocers were by agreement made the means of reaching the supreme court with the case. The application for a writ of habeas corpus was filed in supreme court, which has original jurisdiction in habeas corpus cases, in order to avoid the tedious delays of the lower courts. Both sides agreeing that a decision of the highest tribunal would be beneficial.

NEBRASKANS GET MORE PRIZES
 Breeders at International Stock Show Are Showing Up Well for the Prizes.
 CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—(Special Telegram.)—Nebraska breeders continue to secure numerous premiums at the International Stock show, late awards including a number to Straub Bros. Avoca, for breeding Gallaways. They won first prize for 3-year-old bull, junior yearling bull and senior bull calf, besides lesser prizes.

Pawnee Farmer Accidentally Killed.
 PAWNEE CITY, Neb., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Bert Hall, a farmer living southwest of this city, met an accident Wednesday that resulted in his death about six hours later. He had been working on a bridge and about 1 o'clock left work and started for home, horseback, to get ready to attend a funeral in this city. Someone had closed a wire gate into the field, unknown to him, which threw his horse, which was galloping, Mr. Hall was thrown several feet, striking on his head and fracturing his skull.

Nebraska News Notes.
 CHADRON—Eighteen new houses are now in course of construction, making over 100 good residences for 1911.
 CHADRON—Misses county is now having its Indian summer sun farmers doing their fall plowing for an increased acreage in 1911.
 BEATRICE—Orville Moore of Kirbaville, Mo., and Miss Minnie Jefferson of Red Cloud, Neb., were married here yesterday by Rev. J. E. Davis.
 TUCUMSEH—While engaged in trimming trees Thursday afternoon Gustav Nelson, a

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 well known resident of this city, fell and broke his right arm between the elbow and wrist.
 BEATRICE—Charles Coleman was taken to Lincoln today to begin the sentence of three years in the penitentiary imposed upon him by Judge Hutchinson for robbing Thomas Coleman, a farmer.
 BEATRICE—Word was received here yesterday from Hutchinson, Kan., announcing the death of J. B. Dewey, a former resident of this city. The body was interred at Miller, Neb., Friday.
 BEATRICE—Marshall Jack, chairman of Louisa county, Nebraska, is present at court in this city as a witness against the alleged bank robber, Messrs. Jerry, whose trial comes up this session of the court.
 CHADRON—The Woman's club gave its first of the winter's series of lectures last night in the First Congregational church. It was by Rev. Frederick Graves of the Grace Episcopal church, on "The German Empire."
 CHADRON—Thursday William Bowers, 52 years old, was seriously injured by the bursting of a steam gauge, completely rupturing one eye. He was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, Omaha, on the first train, the accident occurring at Long Pine.
 BEATRICE—The Nebraska Poultry association held its annual meeting at Adams and elected the following officers: F. J. Nissel, president; C. H. Seethie, vice president; E. W. Campbell, secretary; John H. Wolfe, treasurer. Judge Hines of Topeka has been selected to act as judge next year.
 CHADRON—Solomon Harisell will bury another son tomorrow, the second without a week. Fredrick, aged 30 years, died in Montana, the body being brought here for interment beside his brother, Newton, buried here last Sunday, and his mother, who died several years ago. Three brothers live in Chadron.

**CHADRON—Judge Bates yesterday evening joined in marriage John H. Cornelius and Miss Rutledge M. Starnes, both of Miller, Neb. Marriage licenses were issued today to Earl Wilbert Deuel and Miss Nabel Modelling Stinson, both of Meadow Grove, Neb., and to the daughter of Pierce county and Miss Ella L. Marquardt of Norfolk.
 BEATRICE—Dudley castle, No. 19, Royal Highlanders, met last night and elected the following officers: Ray Weaverling, Illinois (secretary); chief savings, chief counsel; Harriet Davis, worthy evangelist; Theodore Davis, warder; Emma M. Savidge, secretary-treasurer; Henry Collier, secretary; T. E. Conley, manager.
 TUCUMSEH—Hugh LaMaister has resigned as county attorney of Johnson county. His resignation has been accepted by the Board of County Commissioners. The newly elected county attorney, M. E. DeLoe, has been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Mr. LaMaister. Mr. Cowan has filed his bond and the same has been approved.
 CHADRON—The funeral of W. Whitson, one of the oldest engineers in this division of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, was held here yesterday. He was on a visit to friends in Indiana and died before his two children, son and daughter, could reach him. His wife was with him and was met at Chicago by many friends to accompany the body here.**

PROVIDING WORK IN BERLIN
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STRIKE OF CANAL WORKMEN
 Liberty of the Government Fails to Satisfy Some of the Tradesmen.
 The American workmen on the Panama canal are hard to please, judging by the fact that the boilermakers have struck for an increase in wages, for an eight-hour day, from 6 to 75 cents an hour, and for a vacation of six weeks with full pay. President Taft must have been surprised in telling them that they are the best treated workmen in the world already, for besides a standard wage from 19 to 30 cents higher than in the same trades in the United States, they receive from the government sleeping quarters, fuel, lights, medical attention, bathing and exceptional facilities for amusement and recreation—all for nothing. Their food is furnished by the government at substantially the cost price.
 According to official reports, the government on the Isthmus runs the Hotel Tivoli, sixteen Italian canal commission hotels, nineteen European laborers' messes and twenty common laborers' kitchens. The Hotel Tivoli was run last year at the nominal profit of \$4,674. In the eighteen "line" hotels, 1,756,631 meals were served at 90 cents a meal. The cost of supplies per meal was 24.87 cents, and the cost of preparing and serving raised the cost to 30 cents. The government made no profit whatever, and was content if the employees served at these hotels were satisfied with their food. The total number of railroads furnished in the European messes was 1,925,487, at a cost of about 22 cents per ration. The total revenue from the "line" hotels, messes and kitchens was \$1,550,633, a decrease of \$108,020 over the previous year. The subsistence department as a whole was probably run at a loss to the government.
 There is an elaborate system of free club houses in the canal zone for the benefit of the employees. In the last fiscal year a new one was built at Gatun at a cost of \$2,123, and a smaller one at Porto Bello at a cost of \$4,482. There were four other clubhouses already erected at various points along the line of the canal. The canal commission appropriated \$38,433 for the maintenance of these clubhouses. If a workman falls ill, he is sent to a government hospital and taken care of by the best physicians and nurses, without any extra cost to himself. So excellent is the sanitation and medical service that last year there were only seventy-six deaths among the several thousands of Americans at work on the Isthmus, and only thirty-nine had to be deported as unfit for service in the tropics.
 In spite of all these benefits, so exceptional in character, the government finds constant difficulty in keeping the so-called "gold force," that is, the employees paid in gold, recruited to the required number. In the last fiscal year there were 2,128 changes in the total force of 1,122 or more than 50 per cent. The conditions of labor in the tropics are doubtless the cause of this chronic unrest, and the tendency to strike exhibited by men earning over \$5 a day, who demand a vacation of six weeks without loss of pay, indicates that it is quite hopeless for the government to make its employees in the canal zone perfectly content. If life pensions should be offered every government employe in canal work, the pensions to begin with the completion of the great work, the grievances would pile up faster than ever. Penalties? The United States may yet be called upon to pay them to the canal builders.—Springfield Republican.

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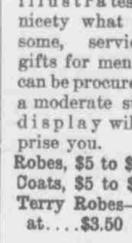
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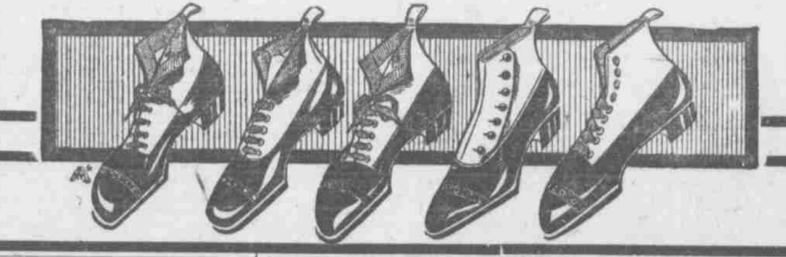
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