

Nebraska

DR. CARR STIRS UP DOCTORS

Eccleciets of Lincoln Oppose Censorship of Health Report. COMPLAINT ABOUT DELEHANTY Man Who is to Be Warden Objected to on Ground that He Does Not Regard Prison a Reformatory.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 20.—(Special.)—The attempt of Dr. Carr of the State Board of Health secretaries to censor the report of the examiners and give out what he chooses about the condition of the state, is raising a rumour that promises to assume considerable proportions.

This morning Dr. H. B. Cummins, the elects member of the board, sent a letter to Dr. Carr in which he demanded that he cause to be published in full report in full, on the ground that which he did not give out was indirect and incomplete.

Carr is a homeopath and the other two members are allopaths, and the report speaks slightly of the eclectic school in this city. Naturally the eclectic don't like it and they say that not only did the examiners not make such an investigation as would be wise anything, but that the secretaries agreed that a hearing should be granted all colleges before the report was given out for publication.

Dr. Cummins proposes to follow up his demand by giving a thorough ventilation of the whole affair, including all of the facts connected with the investigation, and how the examiners arrived at their conclusions. It is estimated that before the trouble is ended it will be shown that the visits of the examiners to at least two of the colleges covered an extremely limited period of time.

Delehanty Under Fire. Six or eight Lincoln men responded to an anonymous invitation to be present at a meeting to be held at the Young Men's Christian association this noon to discuss the propriety of the appointment of Delehanty as warden of the penitentiary. No other action was taken by those present than to form an organization to investigate the charges against the newly appointed warden, to ask men who have first knowledge of his fitness or unfitness for the place to testify, to the organization, that it might be able to lay its findings before the governor, thereby either proving the rumors on Mr. Delehanty or exonerating him. A committee of four was named to see if first hand testimony could be secured, which committee will call a second meeting when it has secured more tangible evidence.

Those present were: J. G. Corder, for years a teacher in the prison Sunday school; C. T. Powers, for many years the superintendent of the prison Sunday school; C. C. Flanagan, the present superintendent of the school; J. B. Ferguson, Dr. George E. Howard, G. R. Chapman, R. C. Ozman, Mr. Hyde, Frank A. Harrison, and for a few moments, Rev. A. L. Weatherly.

Mr. Corder announced that he had sent out the invitations, but since he found that those to whom the requests for attendance were sent were not likely to appear unless the circular bore a signature, he wished that he had signed his name, that he had nothing to conceal. He stated that he had no first-hand evidence against the governor's selection, that Mr. Delehanty had always treated him all right, but that during his job service as a Sunday school worker during the time the appointed warden served in less authoritative positions he had heard persistent rumors as to his conduct.

The Case Against Him. He charged that Mr. Delehanty was not in sympathy with the idea that a penitentiary is a reformatory and that he is not pleased with religious services for the convicts.

Other and far more serious charges were made by other men present, but none of these was from first hand evidence. It was declared a known fact that Governor Shellenbarger had resigned the deputy warden, Mr. Delehanty, at the request of Warden Smith and that he had removed him also at the request of the warden, who had asked this action of the governor because of specific objections he had to his services. P. C. Johnson, formerly chaplain at the penitentiary and now representative-elect from Johnson county, was to have been present at the meeting with facts observed by him during his service, but he telephoned his inability to get away because of serious illness in his family.

It was stated at the meeting that the attention of the governor-elect had been called to the objections against Delehanty and that he was possessed of full second-hand information. The next move, it was thought, was either to give the appointive a clean bill of health or to substantiate the rumors which have been sent to Mr. Aldrich.

ADAMS BRIDGE CONTEST FIGHT GROWING WARM

Charges Filed with Supervisors Concerning Conduct of Standard Company's Men.

HASTINGS, Neb., Dec. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Filing of charges against the Standard Bridge company of Omaha today caused the Adams requests for supervisors to start over until tomorrow the award of the county bridge contract for 1911. Four bids were presented, but competition was really between the Omaha firm and the Hastings Foundry and Iron works, whose attorney, R. A. Batty, presented a written protest accusing the Standard Bridge company of overcharging for work done this year, of charging for materials that were put in the bridge and of having improperly influenced members in previous years by giving them presents with a view to obtaining the county contracts.

Ex-supervisor D. H. Wentworth testified that the Standard Bridge company gave him a \$50 tailor-made suit of clothes in Omaha and offered to pay his expenses on a trip to Excelsior Springs, Mo. He said also that at the contract letting in December, 1908, after the proposal of an independent bidder had been read, County Clerk Misen took the Standard Bridge company's proposal into his private vault accompanied by Dan Roberts of the Standard's staff and that on Mr. Misen's return to the board room it was found that the Standard's bid was the lowest.

Mr. Misen declared that he went into the vault to get a box of cigars; he admitted that Roberts went into the vault with him, but he denied that they had changed the Standard's bids.

Mr. Meath, representing the Standard, said that while parts of the superstructure of bridge had been charged for this year as extras his company had followed the statutes strictly. He admitted an overcharge for work which was not done according to specifications, but said he was willing to return the money to the county. When asked to do so by the board

Bell Company Buys Five More Exchanges

Telephone Plants at North Platte and Near Cities Disposed of by Present Owners.

LEXINGTON, Neb., Dec. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—E. M. F. Leflang, Eben D. Warner and Alf E. Grantham, through the Dawson County National bank on Monday of this week sold to the Nebraska Telephone company their telephone interests at North Platte and west of G. E. McFarland, G. H. Pratt and L. B. Wilson were in Lexington representing the Bell interests. The consideration is supposed to have been about \$100,000.

The North Platte Telephone company owned five exchanges at North Platte, Big Springs, Brule, Keystone and Ogallala, including over 1,000 telephones and a copper long distance line from North Platte to Julesburg, Colo. Eben D. Warner was manager and Alf E. Grantham president, and their lines covered about one-quarter of the state.

Mr. Warner will remain as manager for a time and will develop \$50,000 of immediate improvements that the Bell company has in prospect. This is the first of his state interests that Mr. Leflang has sold.

Gives Quart of Blood For School Tuition

John Goodnough Submits to Transfusion at Lincoln, Saving Life of Mrs. L. C. Keck.

LINCOLN, Dec. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. L. C. Keck, the wife of a prominent business man of this city, owes her life to the heroism of John Goodnough, a university student whose home is in Chadron.

Mrs. Keck was suffering from an acute attack of blood poisoning and her life was despaired of Monday evening. As a last resort Goodnough consented to give the woman a quart of his blood. Goodnough was sorely in need of money with which to continue his university work and received \$100 for his blood.

The operation was performed Monday night and the woman is now on the road to recovery. Goodnough is now in a weakened condition, but will pull through.

BODY DEVoured BY HOGS

Skeleton of Gabriel Peyton, an Aged Farmer Near Callaway, Found by Son.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Dec. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Word has reached here that the body of Gabriel Peyton, an aged farmer living several miles north of Callaway, was partially devoured by hogs during the early hours of Sunday morning. It is presumed the old man wandered from his bed to the hog yard and was there overcome by heart failure or something of a like nature. When discovered by his son, Peyton's body was almost a skeleton, hogs having eaten all the flesh from the knees up. It is hardly probable Peyton was attacked and killed by the hogs.

GAGE COUNTY FARMERS ACT

Institute Asks for Creation of State Highway Commission.

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 20.—(Special.)—At the closing session of the Gage County Farmers' institute the following resolution was unanimously adopted: Be it resolved by the Gage County Farmers' institute, in annual meeting assembled, that we favor the enactment of the next legislature of a law establishing a state highway commission such as has been in successful operation in the state of Illinois for a number of years, and we request our members of the legislature to support such a measure.

In the corn judging contest T. E. Stewart was awarded first prize, John E. Andreas second, J. H. Tubbs third and K. B. Claassen fourth.

The officers for the institute were elected as follows: D. R. Dalby, president; C. A. Wieba, vice president; John Easam, secretary; W. A. Foreman, treasurer.

Fillmore County Cases.

GENEVA, Neb., Dec. 20.—(Special.)—In county court yesterday Carl Stevens and Stanley Worland were tried and bound over to the district court, charged with assaulting and taking from the person of Fred Eichstedt a bottle of whisky and \$2 in money. Today in the same court Emil Kohler was tried for assaulting Joe Slesak. The first case came here from Grafton and the latter case is from Milligan.

University Place Couple Married.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—Edward Leigh, aged 61, and Emma Hove, aged 62, both of University Place, Neb., were licensed to marry here today.

Nebraska News Notes.

FULLERTON—Last Friday evening the members and congregation of the Presbyterian church tendered a reception to the new pastor, the Rev. James K. Driver, and family.

LEXINGTON—Chancellor C. A. Fullmer of the Wesleyan university, addressed a large audience in the new Methodist Episcopal church. His address was along the line of a Christian education from the schoolmaster's standpoint.

BEATRICE—Word was received here yesterday from Omaha announcing the death of William Eby, Jr., a former resident of this county, which occurred in St. Joseph's hospital there of typhoid fever. The body will be brought here for interment.

FULLERTON—The weather has been so favorable for work on the new school house and Presbyterian church that many workmen have been employed nearly every day rushing the work, and the buildings show rapid development. The last week the dome was placed upon the church, and with continued favorable weather the buildings will be so far advanced that work inside can be done during stormy weather.

outside guard, William Chisholm, Jacob Kaas and F. H. Pope, board of trustees.

GORDON—The series of meetings in the Methodist Episcopal church in Gordon closed last night after six weeks of soul stirring revival work. These meetings were in charge of the pastor, Rev. Benjamin Kuhnler, assisted by Dr. B. Carradine of St. Louis and Rev. Will Huff of Sioux City. Fully 200 people have been to the altar for prayers, and with few exceptions these have sought and obtained the blessing of holiness. Plans for a new \$10,000 church edifice are under consideration.

CHADRON—Dawson county district court, with W. H. Westover presiding judge, adjourned after a four days' session until February 1, 1911, at which time the jurors from the farm feel they can better afford the time to hear cases. One criminal case against Gus Nelson for embezzlement was tried, with verdict for defendant; the other against James Williams for robbery was dismissed by the county attorney. A few civil cases, of only local interest, were tried, and eighty left for the adjourned term.

CENTRAL CITY—Declaring that by pleading guilty to turning a disorderly place, Oscar Enevins violated the ordinance under which he was licensed by the city to operate a box holding alley, the court at its regular monthly meeting declared his license revoked and the license money paid by him forfeited. Upon complaint of Ed Foster, Mr. Enevins was haled before Judge White and charged with keeping a disorderly place, in that he kept open on Sundays, allowed minors to frequent the place, and allowed other undesirable features to exist.

REPUBLICAN CITY—W. H. Bright, aged 62 years, died Sunday night in this city. He had been suffering from heart trouble for the last two or three years. He came here with his family about six months ago from Colorado and engaged in the confectionery and restaurant business. He was a member of the Ancient Order of United Workmen. Mr. Bright leaves a wife, six

sons and three daughters to mourn his loss. Funeral was held Tuesday in the Methodist church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Haskins.

CENTRAL CITY—Word has reached here of the death of H. Anthony at Long Beach, Cal. Mr. Anthony was for years one of the wealthiest and most prominent citizens of the county. He was interested with his son, Arthur Anthony, in the famous Anthony sheep ranch west of the city, and when they finally moved from here a few years ago, this big ranch was divided into small farms and sold. Mr. Anthony came of a distinguished family, being a near relative of the famous Susan B. Anthony, and of Colonel D. R. Anthony, founder of the Leavenworth, Kan. Times.

CHADRON—Thanks to the energy of Father Dolan, (formerly of Omaha), it has been decided to immediately commence work on the new Catholic school building, to be completed the coming season, at a cost of not less than \$20,000. Chadron is determined to keep in advance of all school interests in northwestern Nebraska, having located its Congregational academy the first week of its existence, being August, 1888, and ever since making its school atmosphere its first object. This new school will probably be ready for work at the same time as the new state normal school.

A Simple Safeguard for Mothers. Mrs. D. Gilkison, 326 Ingles Ave., Youngstown, Ohio, gained wisdom by experience. "My little girl had a severe cold and coughed almost continuously. My sister recommended Foley's Honey and Tar. The first dose I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat and after using only one bottle her throat and lungs were entirely free from inflammation. Since then I always keep a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. Accept no substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

TWO DAYS' FIGHT AT MALPASO

Mexican Troops Fail to Capture City, as First Reported.

RESULTS OF BATTLE IN DOUBT

Troop Train that Was Carrying Reinforcements for General Navarro is Forced to Return to Bustillos.

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, Dec. 19.—(Via El Paso, Tex., Dec. 20.)—It was learned today that General Navarro failed to capture Malpasco, despite previous reports from Mexico City to that effect. Losses on both sides during the two days' fighting are reported to have been heavy.

The troop train which left here Saturday night with soldiers is said to have failed to form the proposed junction with Navarro. The train is said to have been fired upon and many government troops killed and wounded. It was reported to night that sixty wounded would be brought to this city. The train was fired on near San Andres and returned to Bustillos, where the engine is reported to have run out of water, with none near to replenish the supply. The troop train which was to have been taken out of here today by Adjutant Smith, an American, did not start.

The passenger train which was held up near La Junta last Thursday has not been heard from. General Navarro encountered here the insurgents at Federales and Malpasco last Thursday, and by nightfall seemed to have the fight won. He has since reported that the insurgents brought in reinforcements in swarms and estimated them to number as high as 2,000 on Friday. The next day Navarro seems to have been unable to hold his advantage of the day before. It is considered significant that he has not claimed a victory since his official dispatch made public on the 17th.

Oleomargarine Dealer Arrested.

SHERIDAN, Wyo., Dec. 20.—(Special.)—M. N. Morgan was arrested by the United States marshal yesterday, charged with violating the revenue laws. Morgan has been doing a landoffice business in the sale of oleomargarine, which is colored and labeled as creamery butter. Hundreds of families in Sheridan did not know the difference and Morgan's business was growing by leaps and bounds.

Wyoming Bounty Fund Exhausted.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 20.—(Special.)—The bounty fund appropriated by the last legislature, aggregating \$90,000, will be exhausted this week. Stockmen from all parts of the state are demanding at the hands of the in-coming legislature an appropriation for the ensuing two years equal to that of the last two, and the wood-growers request that the sum appropriated be not less than \$100,000.

Rawlins Wants Iron Plant.

RAWLINS, Wyo., Dec. 20.—(Special.)—The business men of Rawlins will ask the Union Pacific to establish the rolling mills

here, the plant having been destroyed by fire at Laramie recently. It is pointed out that Rawlins is tributary to one of the largest iron ore fields in the west, and that the raw material lies right at its doors. Committees will be appointed to take the matter up with the railroad company.

VERDICT FOR MRS. DALRYMPLE

Woman Who Sued Former Mayor of Topeka for Breach of Promise Given Five Thousand Dollars.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 20.—Miss Selma Dalrymple, a school teacher of Milwaukee, Wis., was given damages of \$5,000 by a jury in the district court here last night against William Greene, former mayor of Topeka, whom she sued of violating his agreement to marry her. Miss Dalrymple asked for \$20,000 damages. The trial was sensational.

A Break for Liberty

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Funeral of Chief Justice Burgess. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Dec. 20.—The funeral services of Chief Justice Gavon D. Burgess of the supreme court were held at the family residence here today. The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. J. W. Smith of the Methodist church and were attended by all the state officers. The body was taken this afternoon to Linneus, Mo., where it will be buried tomorrow.

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**\$20.00**—Top post beds, mahogany finish on birch; serviceable—three-quarter and full sizes.

**\$7.50**—Solid oak Dressers with three drawers, rich dark finish—highly polished.

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**\$15.00**—Daghestan rugs—fanciful designs—alluring colors—rare gifts at rare prices.

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