

### WOMAN'S NAME IN FIRST ENVELOPE

Mrs. Mary J. Kendall of Rapid City, S. D., Gets Big Prize in Rosebud Land Lottery.

### OMAHA MAN IS NUMBER SEVEN

Leonard W. Ellmaker, Employee of Telephone Company, Near Top.

### FIFTY-THREE THOUSAND FILE

There Are 3,000 Claims and 8,000 Names Will Be Drawn.

### GREAT TENT IS CROWDED

Washed Mass of Humanity Breathless as Two Little Girls Select First Envelopes from the Huge Mass.

GREGORY, S. D., Oct. 24.—Gregory county landed two out of the first four names drawn today. A woman landed number one, as in the case of Tripp county drawing, Mary J. Kendall of Rapid City, S. D. Frank B. Boyles of Gregory, who drew number two is the son of a man who had a good number in the Gregory county drawing five years ago and filed adjoining the town of Gregory.

The drawing for the 3,000 prizes began at 10 o'clock this morning. The greatest interest of the whole drawing naturally hinged on the drawing of No. 1, valued at \$10,000. The opening exercises were very simple, consisting only of the singing of an appropriate song, entitled, "Just Before the Drawings, Sweetheart," by a chorus of girls, an address by Judge Witten, who was in charge of the drawing, and the drawing of lots by two little girls to see which should have the honor of drawing out the first number.

The girls who drew the first 1,000 numbers were Virginia Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Foster of Dallas, and Dorothy Slaughter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Slaughter of Gregory.

The drawing will take three days, 3,000 names being drawn the first day and 3,000 each the last two days, making a total of 9,000. Any claims that are not filed on after the 8,000 have been given an opportunity to do so will be thrown open for settlement under the squatters' right plan.

Four thousand people hushed in breathless expectation had crowded into the Gregory auditorium this morning to witness the drawing of names for the Rosebud and Pine Ridge land openings.

The start was delayed about thirty minutes on account of the tardiness of one of the little girls selected to do the drawing.

### Both Girls Select First Envelope.

The preliminary intention had been to have the two little girls cast lots for the honor of drawing the first name, but at the last moment Judge Witten decided to have both girls participate in this event. At the signal from the superintendent of the opening, Virginia Foster of Dallas and Dorothy Slaughter of Gregory tripped forward to the center of the stage, both assuming in conveying the envelope to Judge Witten.

Without preliminary maneuvers or hesitation Judge Witten quickly opened the envelope and called the name of the winner, Mary J. Kendall of Rapid City, S. D. The drawing and announcing of names proceeded speedily from that time.

Walter Peterson of Burke, who drew No. 4 today, filed a squatter claim in Gregory county seven years ago, but lost it on account. At noon 800 names had been drawn and the local interest in the drawing was beginning to lag.

Dennis O'Leary, correspondent of the Associated Press, landed No. 145 in the drawing here, but cannot derive any benefit from it, as he only has a homestead right for two acres. O'Leary was among the lucky ones in the Gregory county drawing seven years ago and filed on a quarter two miles south of Dallas in order to make a squatter claim. The number he would have to locate a subdivision as small as his homestead right and that cannot be done.

### Omaha Man Seventh.

First names are as follows:  
1—Mary J. Kendall, 628 St. Joseph street, Rapid City, S. D.  
2—Frank D. Boyles, Gregory, S. D.  
3—William Rothmeyer, Mercaderes Mo.  
4—Solomon D. Johnson, Kollerville Ill.  
5—Charles C. Orndez, Rapid City, S. D.  
6—Richard O'Malley, O'Neill, Neb.  
7—Leonard W. Ellmaker, Omaha, Neb., 204 Dodge street, Merriam hotel.  
8—George K. Laban, Newton, Kan., 222 E. W. Second street.  
9—Clement J. Diegling, Chicago, Ill., 930 Woodlawn avenue.  
10—Fred A. Gudatch, Fairfax, S. D.  
11—Henry F. Chamberlain, Clifton, S. D.  
12—Emma Auerwald, Herrick, S. D.  
13—J. Halm, Colorado, S. D.  
14—L. W. Elchal, Dodge, Neb.  
15—Burns D. Andrews, Sargent, Neb.  
16—Edward Diehau, North Loup, Neb.  
17—Michael J. McGlass, Piedmont, S. D.  
18—Albert Nauman, Warrensburg, Ill.  
19—Frank Bieha, Gannaville, S. D.  
20—Will Britt Armstrong, Ottumwa, Ia.  
21—Frank Hake, Route 2, Tyndall, S. D.  
22—Jonah L. Scull, 1212 K street, Lincoln, Neb.

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### UTAH'S GOVERNOR VISITS THE LAND SHOW TODAY.



WILLIAM SPRY.

### Mining Congress Begins Its Annual Session in Chicago

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—The fourteenth annual session of the American Mining Congress, which opened here today, will have for its chief feature a public announcement of the purposes of the administration concerning the vast unallotted coal fields of Alaska. President Taft and Secretary of the Interior Walter L. Fisher will deliver addresses in which it is promised that the public policy with regard to the Alaskan fields will be outlined.

Representatives of foreign governments also will take part in the sessions. The governors will confer on public land problems and accredited representatives of Mexico and Canada will explain the attitudes of their governments on mining questions where United States interests and those of their own governments overlap.

The session will continue over Saturday. President Taft's address on the last day being the closing feature.

Horace Nugent, British consul in Chicago; Jean De Pulligny, director of the French mission of engineers to the United States; Frederick Harnwell, Bolivian consul, and Thomas W. Gibson, deputy minister of mines of Canada, are scheduled to speak today.

Eli T. Connor of Philadelphia was appointed delegate to the congress tonight on special request by telegram from President Taft.

According to the program, the coal mining industry will be a leading feature of the convention, but a liberal portion of the time has been allotted to questions affecting the public lands of the west and to copper and other mining industries.

### Robert Mather, Railway Magnate, Dies in New York

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Robert Mather, chairman of the board of directors of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company and director of many railroads and banks, died at his residence here at 5:30 o'clock this morning after a short illness. Mr. Mather had been confined to his residence here for several days, but the fact of his serious illness did not become generally known until last night.

Mr. Mather entered the railway service in 1887 and for three years was in the treasurer's office of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad. In 1888 he was admitted to the bar in Chicago and three years later he was appointed attorney for the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway at Chicago, becoming in 1892 its general counsel, and in 1894 its president.

Mr. Mather had been chairman of the board of directors of the Westinghouse company since 1908. He was a director of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway, vice president of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad, general counsel of the Chicago & Alton, a director of the National Bank of the Republic of Chicago, the Mercantile Trust company of New York, the Equitable Life Assurance society and the Havana Electric company and a member of many clubs in Chicago and New York.

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### Mr. Lane began his service with the Union Pacific as a station agent and later as live stock agent on the road. Step by step he has worked up to his present high position.

Another appointment announced is that of H. G. Kall, now assistant general freight and passenger agent at Kansas City, to be general freight and passenger agent for the main line, Kansas City to Denver, and branch lines in Kansas, with headquarters at Kansas City.

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### BARS STEPHENS OFF POP TICKET

Secretary of State Waite Decides in Favor of Protest of G. A. Eberly of Stanton.

### DEMOCRATS CALLED CONVENTION

Finds No Authority Exists for Party to Act for Another.

### COMMITTEE DOES NOT ACT

Statutes Nowhere Provide Where One May Act for All.

### CONVENTION OFFICER DEMOCRAT

W. G. Woolley, Who Voted Democratic Ticket at Primaries, One Who Signs Certificate of Nomination.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Oct. 24.—(Special.)—Secretary of State Waite has decided that the name of Dan V. Stephens shall not go on the populist ticket as the candidate for congress in the Third district at the coming election. The action by the state official follows a protest filed by Colonel G. A. Eberly, chairman of the republican district committee, in which the Stanton man alleged that a legally called convention had never been held and that therefore the certificate of nomination filed by Stephens for that party was void. Notice of the decision was made public late today and was as follows:

"In the matter of the certificate filed in this department October 12, 1911, purported to be signed by members of the people's independent party in convention assembled at Norfolk, Neb., September 26, 1911, naming Dan V. Stephens as the candidate of said party for congress, in and for the Third congressional district of Nebraska, and on October 14 there being an objection filed against accepting said certificate, and complying with its provisions and demands.

"A hearing was held on Saturday, October 21, at 2 o'clock p. m., as requested in said objections, at which hearing G. A. Eberly, as plaintiff or objector, appeared in his own behalf and S. S. Sidner on behalf of the defendant party.

"After hearing the testimony and arguments in the case as presented by witnesses and counsel and giving due consideration to briefs which were later submitted by counsel, I have decided to sustain the objections of Mr. Eberly in the main and therefore decline to certify the name of said Dan V. Stephens to the county clerk of said Third congressional district as the candidate of the people's independent party for the following reasons:

"First—That the democratic party has no authority to call a convention of the members of the people's independent party as implied in said certificate.

"Second—That the call for said convention was not upon examination certified by the congressional committee of said people's independent party at a regularly called meeting of said committee, but the chairman of the state committee of said party, on his own volition, which action is not supported by the statute.

"Third—Said certificate was signed by W. G. Woolley as chairman of said convention, who upon examination and witness testified that he voted a democratic ticket at the primary election August 15, 1911, and that he had not attended a populist convention or meeting in his county for four or five years prior to the one that elected him a delegate to this convention.

"Evidence was also produced showing that T. A. Thompson, who signed said certificate, as secretary of said convention, had voted as a democrat at the last election, and whose name appeared on the poll book of the precinct in Knox county where he voted as a democrat.

"In view of these facts, and others not expressed, I am of the opinion that this purported people's independent convention and certificate emanating therefrom is an usurpation of the functions of the people's independent party for the use and benefit of a candidate of another party who has no claims for its support by affiliation or advocacy of its principles.

"While in my judgment this opinion will not change a single vote for or against either candidate in the contest now pending in the Third district, there is a principle involved in the issue which the republican and democratic party both complied with in following the provisions of the law made and provided in such cases, while in this case it has been only partially observed in calling the convention and formulating and signing the required certificate for this department.

"It is of a generally devised plan by the people's independent party has no permanent state organization based on county representation, but is kept alive only by members of other parties for convenience when needed for fusion purposes.

"Personally, I have great admiration for the founders of the populist party, and to them must be given the credit for originating many of the needed reforms and wholesome laws that have been put in our statute books, but generally speaking, the men that did things in the name of populism have aligned themselves with other parties, and are not instrumental in attaching the party name as the tail to the kite of other parties."

### CHEYENNE YOUNG MAN SHOT WHILE HUNTING

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Oct. 24.—(Special.)—Ossie Volk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Becker, prominent residents of Cheyenne, who accidentally shot himself through the right arm while hunting, is getting along nicely at a local hospital, but it is feared he may lose the arm at the elbow, the arm having been badly shattered by the charge of shot. Young Volk also suffered from the loss of blood, and while his life was despaired of at one time, it is believed he is out of danger until such time as it may be necessary to amputate the arm, and he being a strong boy, will doubtless survive the operation.

### SUIT AGAINST LUMBER TRUST

United States Files Fifth Bill in Court at St. Paul.

### DETECTIVE AGENCY IS INCLUDED

Its Members Are Charged with Spying on Independents and Reporting Doings to Secretaries' Association.

ST. PAUL, Oct. 24.—The government's fifth suit in its fight to break up the so-called Lumber trust was begun in the United States court here today.

It is directed against the following: The Northwestern Lumberman's association, the Lumber Secretaries' Bureau of Information, an Illinois corporation, already under fire in another suit against the "trust" brought in Colorado; Luke W. Boyce, owner of a private agency at Minneapolis, Minn., who is charged with spying on independent lumber dealers who are said to have violated the trade "ethics" laid down by the alleged trust;

W. H. Wood, Parker, S. D.; Charles Webster, Waucoma, Ia.; Willard G. Hollis, Minneapolis, Minn.; George F. Thompson, Minneapolis; C. M. Porter, Oskaloosa, Ia.; E. G. Flinn, Minneapolis; O. M. Botaford, Winona, Minn.; W. H. Day, Jr., Dubuque, Ia.; M. T. McMahon, Ferguson Falls, Minn.; C. A. Finkbine, Des Moines, Ia.; and John W. Barry, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

As in similar suits now pending against the Eastern States Retail Lumber Dealers' association, the Michigan Retail Lumber Dealers' association, the Colorado & Wyoming Lumber Dealers' association and the Lumber Secretaries' Bureau of Information, fourteen members of the latter organization being under criminal indictments charging violations of the Sherman anti-trust law, the government alleges that the lumber trade has been unreasonably restrained by illegal agreements and understandings which prevent the consumer from buying at whom and where he will, which absolutely forbid competition for trade, and which have divided the country into non-competitive territories. It is also alleged that names of lumbermen who have violated the "ethics" have been published to the trade in the Mississippi Valley Lumberman.

### Allegations in Bill.

The bill alleges many acts in pursuance of an alleged conspiracy covering several years, and that some of them were perpetrated and in form that ceased several years ago, but each act is alleged to have been part of a carefully devised plan by which first one restriction and then another was fastened on the lumber trade, and when once fixed was to all appearances abandoned and substituted with one less injurious.

The theory of the bill is that while no one of the separate acts performed now might be taken as a violation of a law when considered alone, they are only a part of a general plan, and by the alleged "continuing conspiracy" an apparatus of restraint is now directly contributory to the original scheme of restriction and oppression of which the government complains.

The bill relates in great detail the government's allegation that dealers who insisted on selling to whomsoever they pleased were constantly under the surveillance of the defendant Boyce and his detectives, who reported all regular business to their employers, the Northwestern Lumbermen's association; that the reports of such espionage were sent to the lumber secretaries' bureau of information, through which they were sent to the twenty or more territorial organizations of the so-called trust in addition to being published in the Mississippi Valley Lumberman.

The government seeks injunctions restraining all the defendants from continuing the acts of which complaint is made. The suit is in direct charge of Clark McKercher, special assistant to Attorney General Wickersham.

### Pumpkin Pie



"You're a Regular Old Blarney!"

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### Taft Not to Take Up Federal Vacancies Until December

### VENO'S "CURES" IMAGINARY

"Doctor" Uses Names Without Authority from Their Owners.

### CLAIMS FAIL ON INVESTIGATION

Persons Referred to in Advertisement of Wonderful "Healer" Deny His Statement or Do Not Exist at All.

Dudley N. Veno, "the marvelous Veno," who came to Omaha last week and is now advertising miraculous cures of rheumatism, deafness, paralysis and other infirmities, is branded as a "fake" by some of the persons whose names he uses in his appealing advertisements. Others whose names were used cannot be found. "I know nothing of Dr. Veno, and have never been near him," said Henry Beckmann, despite Veno's advertised statement as follows: "Mr. Henry Beckmann, 104 Pinckney street, was afflicted with rheumatism for several months, unable to use his arms. Movement gave him great pain. One treatment with the great Veno remedies gave Mr. Beckmann full use of his arms and relieved him of all pain."

Mr. Beckmann says he has had rheumatism many years and still has it. He does not live at 104 Pinckney street, though he owns the house there. He is employed by the Anheuser-Busch company.

Mrs. Catherine Ragan, 422 South Thirtieth, denies that she was cured in seven minutes of deafness of twenty years' standing, as Veno advertised. She admits that she was able to hear slightly immediately after Veno had treated her, for he dug at the wax out of her ear.

Daniel Sullivan, Union Pacific engineer, who lives at 223 South Eleventh street, is very angry at Veno because Veno's advertisements have sent a horde of rheumatic cripples to his place to make inquiries as to the efficiency of the "doctor." One of the "doctor's" most miraculous cures, according to himself, was that of J. J. Southland, 2232 South Eleventh. Mr. Sullivan said he has lived at the given number for years and has never heard of J. J. Southland. Southland's name is not in the city directory.

Mr. Sullivan says he made complaint at the Veno office and was told that probably there was a mix-up in the numbers. But to date he has not been able to get his address taken out of the advertisement.

Veno claims to have cured Gus Smith, 2623 St. Mary's avenue, of rheumatism in fifty minutes. There is no such street number. The numbers in the 2600 block begin with 2601 and end with 2605, and there were a number 2623 it would be where there is now a high bluff covered with weeds.

One man was found who said he had been cured by Veno, J. J. Michaelson, 308 Paxton block, says that fourteen years ago he was paralyzed from the waist down and that Veno cured him in five days.

Walter Clear, whom Veno says he cured of sciatic rheumatism, could not be found by a reporter for The Bee, but Mrs. Clear says her husband is still suffering from rheumatism, though he feels better since taking the Veno treatment.

The name of G. M. Fisher, South Omaha, which appears at the foot of one of the Veno testimonials, does not appear in the South Omaha directory. One of the testimonials bears the name of William Johnson, Omaha, but no street number is given. There are twenty-seven William Johnsons in the Omaha city directory.

### ACUTE APPENDICITIS CAUSED BY A PIN

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Oct. 24.—(Special.)—A "find that has aroused an immense amount of interest in local medical circles was made public today when an ordinary pin was removed from the appendix of Mrs. A. T. Lowry, aged 51, of LeGrand. It is said that it is the first time in the experience of the physicians interested that such an article was found in the appendix. The woman was taken sick with an acute attack of appendicitis Saturday. An operation was advised and she was brought to this city today. So far as the husband knows Mrs. Lowry never swallowed a pin.

### HAMPTON MAN THROWS HIMSELF IN FRONT OF TRAIN

HAMPTON, La., Oct. 24.—(Special.)—Hurling himself in front of a north-bound Iowa Central train, Fuller Farmington, aged 30 years, succeeded in committing suicide in a spectacular manner three miles north of here this afternoon. The enginemen saw Farmington sitting beside the track and as the train neared him he got up and threw himself across the rail. Death was instantaneous. It was his third attempt to commit suicide. His widow, one son, father and brother survive him.

### OREGON BADGES BY THOUSANDS

Every Visitor at the Willamette Booth at the Omaha Land Show is Given a Ribbon.

### CROWDS HEAR SPECIAL PROGRAM

Governor West Wires Regrets Over Inability to Attend.

### COMPLIMENTS OMAHA ON SHOW

Mayor Dahlman and President Rosewater Welcome Men from West.

### MAYOR TELLS OF LONG AGO TRIP

Commissioners Holbrook and Freeman Tell of Their State and the Importance to Omaha of Its Development.

Tuesday was Oregon day at the Omaha Land Show and there was no mistake about it. All day long Oregon badges were in evidence, every person visiting the exhibit from the famous Willamette valley and those from other parts of the state being given Oregon ribbons.

The Oregon day exercises were held in the north balcony of the main hall, starting at 4 o'clock, and were attended by an immense crowd, chairs and seats having been provided for all. L. W. Buckley of the Land Show acted as master of ceremonies and after a selection by the Hawaiian singers, read the following telegram from Governor West of Oregon, sent to President Roosevelt:

### Regrets of Governor West.

SALISBURY, Ore., Oct. 23.—C. C. Rosewater, President Omaha Land Show, Omaha: It is a keen personal regret that I cannot be with you today to participate in the exercises in honor of Oregon, mother of all the Pacific Northwest states. I congratulate the Omaha Land Show upon its success and feel sure that the enterprise of the citizens of the great Missouri river gateway city will be richly rewarded, and I hope that the great west will continue a unit working for the good of one and all.

Mayor Dahlman stated that thirty-seven years ago he passed through Omaha on his way to the western country and two years later he went to Oregon to secure and bring to the ranges of Montana 2,000 head of steers. Little did he then think, he added, that thirty-five years later it would be his pleasure to welcome Oregon to the metropolis of Nebraska, adding, "and to this splendid Land Show that is the result of the energies of some of our citizens."

The mayor expressed the opinion that Omaha is destined to become one of the greatest of the great cities, as it lies in one of the most fertile areas, extending more than 250 miles in every direction, as well as being the gateway through which must pass the commerce of the country to the east and west, as it goes to the far-away markets. When the region lying west from Omaha is populated, the mayor predicted, it will furnish homes for at least 100,000,000 people, and then all of this vast section of country will still remain tributary to Omaha.

### Mayor Welcomes Oregonians.

"We have here," continued the mayor, "a city of magnificent homes; a city of schools and colleges; business houses and manufacturing establishments; we have our splendid Young Men's Christian association, our Young Women's Christian association, all of which are second to none; we have a people who have built up one of the best of cities and in behalf of them and our representatives, as chief executive of this metropolis, I say to you that I extend to you the warmest welcome that can fall from my lips."

J. C. Holbrook, Oregon commissioner from Albany, responding to the address of the mayor, said:

"It gives me great pleasure to be able to say that today Oregon shakes hands with Omaha and at the same time, it is real pleasure for Oregon to be permitted to come to this great Land Show that is such a wonderful success in every particular.

"You know we produce the greatest and best apples in the world, but apples are not all we have. We have our millions of bushels of grain and we realize that here at Omaha is the gateway through which must pass during all the future ages our people as they travel back and forth, and also, through this gateway must come many of the things we buy away from home; and then, through it must pass the products that we send beyond the Missouri river.

### Visitors Appreciative.

"We appreciate the treatment we have received here and you have made us feel that we are the whole show."

"We want for a minute to call your attention to the fact that in Oregon today, we have a population of little more than 700,000, whereas we have a country capable of supporting, in a comfortable manner, more than 10,000,000 people. Why, in Willamette valley alone, we can easily take care of 1,500,000 persons. We want you to come and be a part of our communities if you are not satisfied here; we want you to come to a land where there is peace and plenty 365 days each year; we want you to come and enjoy the good things with us and we want to say, that

### Tickets to American Theater.

### Boxes of O'Brien's Candy.

Dalzell's Ice Cream Bricks.

All are given away free to those who find their names in the want ads.

Read the want ads every day, your name will appear sometime, maybe more than once.

No nuisance to solve nor subscriptions to get—Just read the want ads.

Turn to the want ad pages—there you will find nearly every business house in the city represented.

### The Weather

Official Forecasts—FOR NEBRASKA—Local rains; colder; FOR IOWA—Rain; warmer.

Hour	Temp.	Wind	Clouds
5 a. m.	45	W. 10	bc
6 a. m.	46	W. 10	bc
7 a. m.	47	W. 10	bc
8 a. m.	47	W. 10	bc
9 a. m.	48	W. 10	bc
10 a. m.	48	W. 10	bc
11 a. m.	48	W. 10	bc
12 m.	48	W. 10	bc
1 p. m.	48	W. 10	bc
2 p. m.	47	W. 10	bc
3 p. m.	47	W. 10	bc
4 p. m.	47	W. 10	bc
5 p. m.	47	W. 10	bc
6 p. m.	47	W. 10	bc
7 p. m.	47	W. 10	bc
8 p. m.	47	W. 10	bc
9 p. m.	47	W. 10	bc
10 p. m.	47	W. 10	bc
11 p. m.	47	W. 10	bc