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ment or choice of those immediately and practically connected with the operations.

**Details of System.**

The manner in which the system was installed at Watertown is then detailed. A planning room was provided, which relieved the foreman of a large amount of clerical work and insured a continuous flow of work without cessation or loss of time, as well as the protection of the material in stock. Men were assigned to keep the tools of the other workingmen sharpened; laborers or messengers fetched and carried for the higher paid machinists, who were thereby enabled to devote their whole attention to productive work and the plant was kept in thorough order by other men, so that it could be worked at its highest efficiency. Experts showed the workmen just how fast their machines should run and how deep their tools should cut, thereby increasing their efficiency.

Hence it was possible at Watertown to reduce materially the cost of manufacture. The labor cost of one set of parts for a twelve-inch cartridge was put from $400 to $275 and corresponding reductions were made in other work.

All this was done, the report sets forth, without affecting the pay of the employes or requiring especial exertion by them.

General Crozier insists that the employes at one of the other arsenals (probably meaning Rock Island) who have protested against the extension of the "Taylor system" to that place, are under an erroneous conception of the plan.

They have been urged to await the practical trial of the methods.

**Pay to Be Increased.**

General Crozier lays stress upon the claim that while further marked economies to the government will result the adoption of the system will be accompanied by increased pay and conditions generally satisfactory to the employes, as demonstrated by actual experience in shops in which the system had been operated.

The report further declares that so forcibly have these claims been demonstrated "that they cannot be disregarded by an administrative officer honestly desirous of serving the interest of the government."

Briefly stated, the chief features of the system contemplate offering additional pay to workmen for work performed in the manner and sequence selected from the results of careful study and completed within the time which that study indicates as sufficient for the purpose. The saving in time results, aside from any increased efficiency of machines, chiefly from the effect of the instructions given the workmen by which their efforts are more advantageously applied.

General Crozier declares the average premium of all machinists who have been placed on premium work in the machine shop at Washington has been 25 per cent of their wages. In concluding his report he expresses the belief that better production can be had by proper care on the part of the management, but that continued high production is impossible without correspondingly high wages.

## TALKS TO NEBRASKA EDUCATORS IN OMAHA NEXT WEEK.

DR. HENRY S. CURTIS.

## TAFT REVIEWS BIG FLEET

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Mr. Taft had a cordial expression of greeting for each of the officers.

When the reception had ended and the admirals had sailed away in their barges, the president prepared to return courtesies with a call on board the Connecticut. The guns of the flagship thundered a salute as he came aboard and again when he left. It was from the Connecticut that the president got his best view of the anchored fleet.

**More Salutes for President.**

The exchange of calls completed, the Mayflower picked up its anchors and started down the water lane formed by the battleships on its starboard quarter and the slender little destroyers to port. With the presidential flag again on the move the saluting began anew.

This time it was not in chorus. As the Mayflower's bridge cleared, the Connecticut, the flagship, let go with twenty-one guns. Next in line was the Michigan. As the Mayflower cleared its after gangway, the Michigan took up the tribute of the speaking cannon. So it was with the Delaware, the North Dakota and the other ships down the line. Each in its turn paid compliment to the president. Mr. Taft stood on the bridge and lifted his hat as he passed the colors of the various vessels.

On board each battleship and on board the destroyers the sides were manned with bluejackets, giving a living outline to the steel-belted hulls. On the quarterdecks the officers, in the gold and lace of special full dress uniforms, were assembled and at attention. The marine guards were also drawn up on the decks and the ship bands, uniformed, stood out a bright patch of color in the grouping on the afterdecks.

As the president's yacht passed the battleships close aboard there were trumpet flourishes and drum ruffles from each just before the bands crashed out with the national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner." From near and far there came the sound of bugles, and crash of the bands. It was a spectacle that sent a thrill through all who saw and heard.

After making a round trip of the naval columns, the Mayflower drew clear of the fleet and steamed down the bay to its anchorage and there was a brief respite. The president lunched on board his yacht.

**MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMERS.**

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## IOWA BOARD MAY BE SUED

### Owner of Bridge Patent Notifies Educators of Infringement.

### BARTON CONFERS OVER CIRCLE

**Nebraska's State Auditor Goes to Des Moines to Transact Official Business—O'Callaghan Convicted of Conspiracy.**

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 2.—(Special Telegram.)—The State Board of Education of Iowa is threatened with a suit for infringement of a patent. The case grows out of the fact that the state highway department, which is an appendage of the state college at Ames has been recommending certain improvements in the construction of bridges and N. M. Stary Co., bridge builders, claim to have a patent on the same.

The company has arranged a conference with the state board with a view to settlement out of court and to have their right recognized, but say that if this cannot be done they will bring suit against the board and the college for infringement.

**Barton Confers Over Circle.**

State Auditor Barton of Nebraska held a conference with State Auditor Bleakly in regard to the Woodmen Circle, with offices in Omaha, concerning which a joint investigation by the insurance departments of the two states was recently made. The nature of the report is not disclosed.

The state insurance departments of Iowa and South Dakota are having trouble locating the habitat of Superior lodge, Degree of Honor, a fraternal association organized in South Dakota, but having business offices in Iowa. Neither state claims responsibility for the same.

**O'Callaghan Held Guilty.**

James O'Callaghan, former clerk in the county treasurer's office, was today found guilty of conspiracy to aid in the robbery of the vault in the county treasurer's office.

James O'Callaghan is a brother of Robert O'Callaghan, the former Western league base ball magnate. The district court jury returned its verdict shortly after 3 o'clock.

## OMAHA PAYS NO INTEREST TO THE WATER COMPANY

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chase price. The accumulation of interest on the purchase price since July 9, 1906, to date amounts to more than $2,500,000. As a result of this appeal the city is saved from payment of this interest and required only to pay the sum of the original appraisement.

"We regard this as a great victory for the Water board and one which will leave the city ample money out of the interest of the bonds to make extensions and improvements."

**Company to Keep Rentals.**

President Woodbury of the Omaha Water company, when apprised of the decision of the court of appeals, stated that the question of interest was the principal cause of the litigation that had been carried on since July 9, 1906, the date on which the appraisal of the plant was accepted by the water company.

The appraised value of the plant was $6,162,290.40. On this sum the water company claimed and demanded interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.

Not being fully apprised of the full extent of the decision of the court of appeals, President Woodbury was of the opinion that, if it had been held that the city would not have to pay interest, it would probably be charged with all rentals from the date heretofore named and up to the time of turning over the plant.

**History of the Case.**

The history of the purchase of the Omaha water works embraces a long series of litigation in its various phases, most of which has grown out of the act of the Nebraska legislature of February 3, 1903, compelling the purchase of the water works and providing for the creation of the Water board, which should have charge of the administration of the water works when they became the property of the city.

To comply with the mandate of this law, an ordinance was passed by the city council of Omaha March 2, 1906, electing to buy the water works plant under the purchase clause, and directing the appointment of a board of appraisers to appraise the plant, one of the appraisers to be appointed by the city, a second by the water company and the third to be selected by these two. The appraiser appointed by the city was John W. Alvord; by the water company, George H. Benbenberg, and these two selected Daniel W. Mead as the third member of the board.

Under the so-called Howell bill, making compulsory the purchase of the plant, provision was also made for the creation of the water board to be appointed by the governor for various terms, two to be appointed each year or until their successors were elected. The first board consisted of James E. Boyd, T. J. Mahoney, Milton Barlow, I. E. Congdon, J. F. Coad and Martin. It was under this board that the appraisement was commenced, in May or June, 1907.

The appraisement was long drawn out and involved considerable controversy relative to the procedure. Carl C. Wright, then city attorney, assisted by John Lee Webster, specially employed as attorney for the Water board, represented the city in the litigation.

At the outset the question arose to the scope of the appraisement, the attorneys for the city holding that it should not include such of the property of the water company that lay within the city limits of Omaha. The Water board contended that the appraisement should embrace the entire plant, including the extensions to Dundee, South Omaha, over the property of the East Omaha Land company, and the pumping station and filtration plants and settling reservoirs at Florence.

**Scope of Appraisement.**

The question of the "going" value of the plant was also pressed by the attorneys for the water company. The attorneys for the Water board held out for the natural deterioration of the plant and its inadequacy to fulfill its contract requirements with the growing demands of the city, and the disinclination of the water company to enlarge its pumping and piping capacity.

Regardless of these objections the appraisement continued until the matter finally got into the United States circuit court and a decree was issued directing that the board of appraisers should proceed with the appraisement as a whole with separate findings for the plant as lying within the corporate limits of the city of Omaha; of those portions of the plant supplying South Omaha, Dundee, East Omaha and the Florence plant and of the going value.

The board of appraisers finally submitted its report on July 7, 1908, fixing the appraisement of the entire plant at $6,203,326.49 signed by Benzenberg and Mead, Alvord withholding concurrence by direction of the Water board's attorney.

Immediately following the announcement of the appraisement President Woodbury of the Omaha Water company made a formal tender of the entire plant to the city of Omaha and demanded a check for the amount of the appraisement.

**Appraisement Is Rejected.**

The Water board went through the form of rejecting the appraisement and ordering a new appraisement and then of employing experts to draw plans for a new plant. On July 9, 1909, President Woodbury brought suit in the United States circuit court for specific performance to compel the city and Water board to accept the plant under the appraisement and to pay for it. The Water board lawyers argued that the appraisement was excessive, that the terms agreed upon by the contending parties were not complied with and that the finding was reached by only two of the three appraisers and should have been by all three.

On June 29, 1907, a decree was entered by Judge Munger in the United States circuit court, dismissing the bill of complaint of the water company. An appeal was taken to the United States circuit court of appeals by the water company, and on April 7, 1908, a decree was issued from that court by unanimous action of all the judges, reversing the decision of the lower court, declaring the appraisement valid and binding upon the city of Omaha and requiring the city to complete the purchase.

The Water board lawyers made application to the supreme court of the United States for a writ of certiorari, which is equivalent to an appeal from the decision of the circuit court of appeals, and the same was granted. The case was argued before the United States supreme court by John Lee Webster for the Water board and city, and by R. S. Hall and Howard Mansfield for the water company.

While the case was still pending in the United States supreme court the city of Omaha, on demand of the Water board, voted $6,500,000 bonds for the purchase of the plant and extensions.

The water company lawyers scored an important point by directing the court's attention to the voting of bonds as acquiescence in the reasonableness of the award and recognition of the city's obligation to buy.

## CHICAGO MAN MURDERED; WIDOW HELD BY POLICE

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—John Quinn, a motorman, was found shot to death in his bed today in circumstances that caused the police to hold Jane Quinn, his widow, for an investigation.

Mrs. Quinn told the police her husband had been shot by a burglar, who escaped with $100 Quinn had under his pillow. A gold watch and chain were found under the same pillow and later a revolver wrapped in a piece of cloth and one chamber discharged was found in the bath room of the Quinn home. The police believe this will disprove Mrs. Quinn's statement that her husband was shot by a burglar.

The weapon was identified by J. W. Miller, a roomer, as one that had been taken out of his dresser. Quinn carried $3,000 life insurance and his wife was the beneficiary.

## COLORADO COMPELLED TO IMPORT MANY POTATOES

DENVER, Nov. 2.—For the first time in ten years Colorado is importing potatoes from Wisconsin, Minnesota and Illinois. Prices have advanced from $1.60 per hundredweight to $2 and a further advance of 50 cents is predicted. This condition is due to partial failure of the Greeley crop, and, commission men say, to the fact that speculators have secured control of the Idaho and western slope crop.


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## CRAWFORD MEN DENY STORY OF CONFERENCE

HURON, S. D., Nov. 2.—(Special Telegram.)—Friends of Senator Crawford know nothing of a reported conference to discuss Governor Vessey as a Crawford candidate to succeed Senator Robert J. Gamble. They declare no one had authority to quote Senator Crawford and that he had no knowledge of the meeting if one was held; that no arrangements had been made for a conference between Governor Vessey on the subject and none is likely to be had.


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