

Nebraska.

GENERAL HALL IS CHIEF

Head of National Guard Will Be in Charge of Police at Fair.

NEW MOVE OF THE OFFICERS

Will Inaugurate System Which Will Be Likely to Place Members of National Guard Upon Their Mettle.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Adjutant General Hall will inaugurate a new system of creating officers of the National Guard of the state, which ought to go a long way in making the guard a more efficient organization. He believes that simply because a member of the guard is a good fellow is no reason why he should be commissioned an officer unless he has other qualifications. "An officer should have some natural ability and command in order to make him a successful officer," said the adjutant general this morning. "Every officer in the guard from now on must pass an examination as to his fitness. This examination will not be rigid or hard to take, but will show whether the officer has real military caliber."

General Hall has been appointed chief of police at the next state fair and will inaugurate a system which will be apt to live up to the boys of the different companies and result in more interest and a better service. Each company will be notified that they will be given an opportunity to select about three members of the company to act as special police at the fair. The men will be selected on account of their special fitness for the places. They must, among other military qualifications, such as neatness, gentlemanly appearance and soberness, be endowed naturally with considerable "common sense" in order to enable them to distinguish when to use force or persuasion. No man who thinks simply because he has a uniform on that it empowers him to show great authority will be given a chance to come to the state fair as a member of the guard. Each man will be furnished with transportation each way, given free maintenance and paid \$1 per day for his time. A camp will be established on the grounds and strict military discipline followed in the handling of the camp. It will be a new innovation with the state fair management, but it is expected to result in a better condition of policing at the fair.

ALLIANCE MAKES EFFORT TO GET BISHOP'S RESIGNANCE

ALLIANCE, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—An effort is being made on the part of the citizens of Alliance, to induce the newly appointed bishop of Kearney diocese to make Alliance his residence. The Rev. James A. Duffy of Cheyenne, Wyo., being the newly appointed bishop, a committee consisting of Messrs. Hampton, Newberry and Guthrie, carry a petition signed by nearly every business man in Alliance, called on Father Duffy and presented the advantages of Alliance over Kearney or any other point in the new diocese for the location of the Episcopal See. The committee was very kindly received and while they received the promise of Father Duffy to visit Alliance soon after his consecration as bishop, he could not give any assurance that a change would be made until the matter had been submitted to his superiors.

Notes from Chadron and Dawes County

CHADRON, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Mrs. Isabella Dickinson Smith died at Chadron at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Nellie Ellsworth, Thursday. She was born in England in 1856. Funeral services were held at the residence, conducted by Rev. A. T. Carpenter, and interment was in Greenwood cemetery, in Chadron, Friday, Rev. U. S. Grant of the First Methodist Episcopal church conducting the services here. Mrs. Smith leaves three daughters, Mrs. Jennie Quinn of Chadron and Mesdames Georgiana V. Higgins and Nellie Ellsworth of Chadron and six grandchildren. Deceased had lived in Chadron from its beginning in August, 1885, until feeble health last year induced her to go to her daughter's home in Chadron.

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Sokol Hall at Crete Burned.

CRETE, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Fire destroyed the large Sokol hall at Crete late last evening, and seriously threatened five or six houses that were in the immediate vicinity of the building. The building was doomed before the fire company arrived and nothing could be done, except put out the fire that the flying embers were causing on the roofs of the nearby houses. These embers flew to all parts of town and caused a good deal of anxiety for some time. The building was built entirely of wood and was old and dry, so that it burned like tinder. The insurance on the building was \$1,000 and upon the fixtures \$200, but this is said not to cover the loss sustained. The officers of the Sokol organization seem to be entirely ignorant as to the cause of the fire, but say that they expect to build a \$30,000 building for their gymnasium and opera house in the near future.

Cedar Bluffs Has Electric Lights.

CEDAR BLUFFS, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Cedar Bluffs turned on electric lights last night. The board of directors last night for a home plant to cost \$250. Before work started the Fremont Gas and Electric Light company made an offer to supply the town with twenty-four-hour service at a great deal less cost and the city board submitted it to a vote and the Fremont proposition carried by a large majority. The system as it now stands consists of three wires run to Fremont and crossing the Platte river on three steel towers near where the dam of the proposed Kountze brothers power canal will be. The streets are lighted with some thirty-five 50 watt lights.

Drainage Work to Begin.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Contractor O. P. Herriek of Des Moines, Ia., who secured the work of excavation for the main ditch and laterals in the Johnson county drainage plan along the Nemaha river and tributary streams, has written W. S. Abbott, president of the drainage board, that he has sublet the lateral work to Contractor Marrow of Council Bluffs. He says the subcontractor will begin the erection of a dry ditch machine on the McPherrin place, some two and one-half miles west of the city, within a few days.

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Indian Affairs

Before Legislature

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—On Wednesday evening, before the joint judiciary committee of the senate and house, there will be a hearing on a couple of measures affecting the Indians of the state.

Both bills were introduced by Shumway of Dixon county. No. 74 relates to the sale of liquor to Indians and No. 74 covers the marriage of Indians. A delegation will be down from the reservation headed by Frank Beaver, who will act as interpreter for the Indians, who represent a council selected by them to present the matter to the legislative committee.

No. 74 is the bill in which they seem to be the most interested in and will legalize marriages by Indians in the future. Any Indian, which at the present time has more than one wife, the result of marriage, according to the Indian custom, will if this bill becomes a law, be required to contract a legal marriage according to the white man's law with the one with whom he has been living last or at the present time. It is understood that this meets with the approval of the Indians and it was at the request of the Indians themselves, voted at the meeting, which selected the delegation, which will appear before the committee Wednesday evening at the state house, that Senator Shumway was asked to prepare and introduce the bill.

The members of the committee are Frank Beaver, Walking Priest, John Bear, Harry Rave and Edward Lincoln. They will be accompanied by Rev. G. A. Watermuller, a missionary, who works among the tribes of the Indian reservation in northeastern Nebraska.

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GOVERNOR USURPS POWERS

Names Heads of Institutions Without Waiting for Board.

AMENDMENT IS VERY PLAIN

Board of Control is to Take Charge of the Institutions and to Name Heads Early in July.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—More evidence is being brought to light to prove that a nonpartisan board as defined by democrats who claim they are nonpartisan is a democratic board. The latest evidence is the appointment by Governor Morehead of heads of various state institutions in direct violation of the constitutional amendment adopted at the late election. The man who was appointed, unless the Board of Control responds them, will serve only until July 1, for after that date the state institutions are under the management of the new Board of Control and the governor ceases to have any control over them.

The action of the governor in putting out heads of state institutions at this time has given rise to the talk that he is anxious to build up a democratic machine out of the state institutions. He has usurped the powers of the Board of Control, as given to that board by the constitution, in the following: "The powers possessed by the governor and the Board of Public Lands and Buildings with reference to the management and control of the institutions herein named shall, on July 1, 1913, cease to exist in the governor and the Board of Public Lands and Buildings and shall become vested in a board of commissioners of state institutions, and the said board is, on July 1, 1913, and without further process of law, authorized and directed to assume and exercise all the powers heretofore vested in and exercised by the governor and Board of Public Lands and Buildings with reference to the institutions of the state named herein."

Regardless of this section in the constitution, the governor is appointing democrats as heads of state institutions, and at the rate he is going there will be no selections to be made by the non-partisan board of control which he will appoint.

SEWARD BUSINESS MEN FOR TELEPHONE ACT

SEWARD, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—A mass meeting at the court house last night, called by the Commercial club, adopted the following resolution: Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that we heartily favor the passage of house bill No. 3 and that we commend the efforts of Representative Fuller in assisting in its passage by the house, and that we urge Senator Smith to use his best efforts to bring about its passage by the senate.

Capitulation at Fairbury.

FAIRBURY, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—County Judge C. C. Boyle issued marriage licenses to six couples to wed during the last week, being an unusual number for this place. The couples included Melba H. Brown and Grace E. Garber, Henry Jarboch and Marie Warnke, H. F. Sydow and Dora Huber, Fred Obermeyer and Minnie March, Leonard Kenny and Jennie Sturm, Agatha Grabowski and August Husack.

Business Changes at Wausa.

WAUSA, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Otto Hult has closed a deal for the Blenkinslot, east of the Golden Rule store, on which he will build a brick garage. W. J. Foreman has leased the Palace livery barn to J. P. Larson and will move to Kimball, S. D. The Commercial barn, at present occupied by Mr. Larson, has been leased to Bloomfield parties, who will fit it up for a garage and auto livery.

WOLGAST MATCHED TO FIGHT TOMMY MURPHY

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 8.—Ad Wolgast, former lightweight champion, was today matched to fight Tommy Murphy of New York, now in Chicago, on February 22, taking the place of Joe Mandot of New Orleans, who was suddenly taken ill. The bout will be scheduled here for twenty rounds.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 8.—Ad Wolgast, who is in Portland, denied today he had definitely agreed to fight Tommy Murphy in San Francisco February 22. Wolgast said he had referred the match to his manager, Tom Jones, who is in Chicago, and expects to make a definite announcement of his plans within a day or two. Wolgast said he weighed 124 pounds and would have no difficulty making the weight on the 22d.

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ROUGH WRESTLING MATCH IS TAKEN BY ZBYSZKO

CHICAGO, Feb. 8.—Stanislav Zbyszko won his wrestling match with Raymond Casneau here tonight in straight falls. The first fall was with a double bridge in 33 seconds. The second came in 15 minutes and 30 seconds with a cross body and wrist lock. The bout was very rough and both men were severely punished.

Kearney Defeats York.

KEARNEY, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—In a fast game of basketball last night the Kearney Normal defeated York college, 34 to 14. Rogers was the star for the visitors, while homes were about equal between Toole and Winchell for the locals.

Steecher Wins Bout.

PILGER, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Joe Steecker of Dodge, defeated Ben Davelka of Verdigris, in a wrestling match in two straight falls before over 200 fans. The first fall went twenty-three and one-half minutes and the second in fifty-seven minutes. Davelka came here expecting a snap. George Gion of Lincoln challenged the winner.

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Application of J. E. Condon, chairman of the executive committee of the newspaper advertising association.

GRANT MILLING PRIVILEGE

State Rail Commission Makes Ruling at Lincoln.

Allows Burlington to Stop Grain at Capital City, Right Hereafter Not Granted—Will Carry Exhibit Cars Free.

SCHUYLER AND ASHLAND LINES

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 8.—(Special.)—The state railroad commission today granted permission to the Burlington railroad to stop grain in transit at Lincoln when shipments originate in territory north of the capital city and are destined to points east and south. This allows the Burlington to stop all grain shipped into Lincoln over the Schuyler & Ashland branches for purposes of billing or cleaning, whereas heretofore they have only been allowed to stop grain in transit when the shipments originated in territory west of Lincoln.

Carry Health Exhibits.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The condition of the United States treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows: Working balance, \$30,423, in banks and Philippine treasury, \$34,285,891; total of general fund, \$148,753,101; receipts yesterday, \$1,297,120; disbursements, \$1,812,719. The surplus this fiscal year is \$7,842,281, as against a deficit of \$1,572,800 last year. The figures for receipts and disbursements, etc., exclude Panama canal and public debt transactions.

DEATH RECORD

David Eberle. BRADSHAW, Neb., Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Mr. David Eberle, living north of town, died Thursday morning, after several weeks' illness. Mr. Eberle was one of the early settlers of York county and was highly esteemed.

No Appetite

"I could not eat anything, had no strength, no appetite, pimples and sores came out. I then began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and my skin cleared up, my appetite returned, strength came back, and I was soon enjoying the best of health. Three hearty meals find me equal to them every day. I work hard and sleep well." Wm. Semple, Christopher, Ill. It is by purifying the blood, strengthening the nerves and building up the system that Hood's Sarsaparilla restores the appetite and makes sleep sound and refreshing in so many cases. Get it today in the usual liquid form or in the tablets called Sarsatabs.

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Special Monarch Rocker Values. A POSITIVELY wonderful bargain at the price. Made of specially selected hard wood, finished in a richly grained American quarter sawed oak. Highly glossed, upholstered in Nantucket leather, over full steel spring construction. A regular \$8.50 value, sale price—\$4.79.

PARLOR FURNITURE. Quarter sawed oak Morris Chair. Imperial leather covering and beautifully designed. A \$10 value at \$5.95. Large Mahogany Sleepy Hollow Rocker. Beautifully tufted and upholstered in high grade imperial leather. A \$13.50 value at \$7.95. Over tufted Turkish Rocker. Genuine leather upholstery, platform base. Regular price \$35.00, special at \$18.75. Genuine Leather Mahogany finish 3-piece parlor suite. A \$30.00 value. A wonderful bargain \$18.95. Massive, highly polished genuine leather 3-piece parlor suite. Beautifully carved, brilliantly polished. \$38 value \$20.65.

Guaranteed Acid Proof All Brass Bed. An \$18.00 Value. Now \$9.90. A GUARANTEED ACID-PROOF 2-INCH POST BRASS BED—Every bed warranted to last a life time. Covered with the best lacquer that can be used. Has ten heavy fillers, and massive two-inch posts. Comes in all sizes, all finishes. Regular \$18.00 value, offered for this sale only, at \$9.90.

KITCHEN FURNITURE. Maple Kitchen Cabinets. Two large bins, two drawers and knocking board. \$7.00 value \$3.98. Solid Oak Kitchen Cabinet—Sanitary base, large china compartment with glass doors. An \$18.00 value, special at \$9.90. Seller's Celebrated Kitchen Cabinet, waxed oak finish, sliding metal top, absolutely dust proof. \$35.00 value, special at \$21.95. Drop-leaf Kitchen Tables. Made of solid oak, nicely polished. Always a \$5.00 value, special \$3.85. Genuine solid oak Kitchen Chairs. Strongly constructed and made for hard every-day use, worth \$1.50, special at 79c.

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Dining Room Furniture. Solid oak 5-ft. Extension Table, highly polished. A \$7.50 value at \$4.75. American quarter sawed Pedestal Extension Table. A \$13.50 value at \$9.75. Massive Extension Table, heavy pedestal, richly finished. An \$18.00 value, special \$10.50. Colonial Buffet. American quartered oak. A high grade \$25.00 value, specially priced \$14.95. Beautiful genuine quartered oak China Cabinet, best ends and mirror top, a \$25 value, priced \$14.75. Colonial design China Cabinet, golden or Early English finish. A very massive, a \$35 value \$17.89. Quartered oak dining chair, full box seat, strongly made, a \$3.00 value \$1.89. Genuine quartered oak China Cabinet. Colonial scroll legs, genuine leather, a \$5.50 value at \$3.35.

FINE METAL BEDS. Artistically Enameled Iron Bed. A large selection of colors, all sizes, strongly made. \$2.75 value \$1.49. Heavy Brass trimmed All-Steel Bed. Selection of colors, all sizes, \$7.00 value, specially priced \$3.98. Massive 2-inch post, chillesse Verne Martin or white. A \$15.00 value, special for this sale \$7.95. Guaranteed 2-inch post Brass Beds. All sizes, all finishes. A \$17.50 value \$9.90. Massive continuous 2-inch post Brass Bed. 10 heavy fillers, satin or bright finish. A \$30 value \$15.89.

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