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ALDRICH'S COMPANY IS OUT

Banking Board Refuses to Give Permit to Do Business.

CONSIDERED SEVERAL MONTHS

Former Insurance Commissioner Clancy Will Resume Activities on Board of Old Line Accident Association of Lincoln.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—The Western Savings Investment and Loan company, headed by ex-Governor Chester H. Aldrich, will not be allowed to do business in Nebraska, having been denied that privilege by the State Banking board this afternoon.

The application was denied because the company did not come up to the requirements of section 4, chapter 23 of the banking laws of the state, which state that the board shall deny an application where a provision is contained which is unfair, unjust, inequitable or oppressive to any class of contributors.

The board consists of Governor Morehead, Attorney General Martin and Auditor Howard and the vote was unanimous for disapproval of the application.

Besides Governor Aldrich the members of the company are H. C. M. Bureau, custodian of the government building here; I. B. Fuller, private secretary to Governor Aldrich when he was governor; A. D. Bergelt, C. H. Rogers and W. B. Mathews, all Lincoln men.

The application has been before the board for several months and efforts have been made to patch the application up so it would come under the requirements of the law, but it was finally allowed to take the chance in its present condition and lost. There is a rumor that the matter may be taken to the courts.

Clancy Back in Harness.

Ex-Insurance Commissioner Charles H. Clancy, after a rest of two weeks, will enter the insurance business again on the official board of the Old Line Accident association of Lincoln. Mr. Clancy will probably fill the position of secretary, although that matter has not as yet been decided.

Pay for Department Men.

Another complication has arrived in the insurance department muddle wherein the present commissioner, L. G. Brian, has notified State Treasurer George not to pay any warrants drawn on the insurance department unless signed by himself. Vouchers had been made out for the salaries of Actuary Gilchrist and Examiner Pritchard and signed by Auditor Howard for the time these men were employed by him while he was in charge of the insurance department and up to the day that the department was turned over to the board.

When asked by a Bee reporter this

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afternoon what he intended to do in the matter of paying the warrants. Treasurer George said it looked to him as if Auditor Howard had a right to draw vouchers up to the time he was let out of the department and he would probably pay them. However, he would talk the matter over with the attorney general.

Attorney General Martin could not be seen tonight, but when the case was stated to Deputy Ayres he said it looked to him as if Mr. Howard had the right to draw vouchers up to the time the office went over to the board, July 24.

New Court House for Webster County

RED CLOUD, Neb., Aug. 5.—(Special.)—G. W. Hummel has been securing signatures to a petition asking the county commissioners to build and equip a new court house. In a two weeks' canvass of the county he has secured over 1,100 names.

The petition asks for a 1-mill levy to be set aside for court house purposes and the levy to run three years. The petition will be presented to the commissioners August 12.

The condition of the corn crop in Webster county is not very encouraging at the present time. The long dry hot spell has killed many fields, but perhaps a third of the county will yield a fair crop. The loss of the corn crop is partly compensated by the extremely large first crop of alfalfa and the good yield of wheat. Some farmers threshed out twenty-eight bushels per acre, some thirty-one and some thirty-four. The early potatoes were of a fine quality and the yield was large.

Auburn Chautauqua Largely Attended

AUBURN, Neb., Aug. 5.—(Special.)—The Auburn chautauqua opened with a phenomenally large attendance. At the union Sunday school morning there were over 700 pupils recorded present. The number of tents on the grounds is larger than ever, having reached seventy.

The chautauqua institution at Auburn is now sixteen years old, being one of the oldest and largest summer assemblies in the state at the present time. J. H. Dundas, editor of the Granger, instituted and conducted it for six years, bearing the burden, financial and otherwise himself. The chautauqua association was then organized, Mr. Dundas retaining his place as a stockholder and influential friend of the organization.

YOUNG NORTH BEND BOY GIVES UP FIGHT FOR LIFE

NORTH BEND, Neb., Aug. 5.—(Special.)—Carl Kern died Sunday evening at Colorado Springs, where he was taken last Wednesday by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Kern, who live north of town. He had been suffering a year with bone disease, resulting from a bruise on the bone below the knee. He was in the hospital at Omaha five months where he underwent five surgical operations and came home with the leg amputated far above the knee. He was 15 years of age.

Mrs. Joseph Bartos, an aged woman, fell down a flight of stairs Saturday night and received painful injuries. Her shoulder is broken, her breast crushed and her face and head severely bruised and cut. She will recover.

Mr. Dow of Omaha, who has the contract for turning the channel of the Platte river here, in order that the dike may be protected and finished, has a large force of men and teams at work. He is cutting a wide ditch through which he proposes to turn the current.

William Miller took his family yesterday to Hot Springs, S. D., where Mrs. Miller will remain for treatment.

NEW SCHOOL HOUSE IS TO BE BUILT AT STELLA

STELLA, Neb., Aug. 5.—(Special.)—The contract for building Stella's new \$15,000 school house will be let August 18. Mr. Salmon of Lincoln is the architect. A block of ground at the north end of Main street has been purchased as a location from E. A. Clark for \$3,000.

Walter Johnson and Dolores Rouff, each 3 years old, were playing near a bee hive and were badly stung. The bees settled and remained on them as they ran toward the house.

Beatrice News Notes. BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 5.—(Special.)—The heirs of Horace A. Greenwood of Wynmore are to pay \$212.98 into the inheritance tax fund of Gage county, a decree to this effect being issued by County Judge Walden. All the property of the estate, both real and personal, is located in Gage county and amounts to \$93,946, according to the report given by Appraiser W. S. Bourne.

Announcement was received here yesterday announcing the marriage of Claude Williams, a former Beatrice resident, to Miss Blanche Chalmers of Salem, Ore. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Williams of this city.

I. L. Bishop and wife of Bedford, Ind., arrived yesterday in their touring car to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Beaver. They left Beatrice twenty-three years ago and Mr. Bishop was at one time a member of the Beatrice police force. He reports that crop prospects are very bright in the vicinity of Bedford.

The dwelling house owned by Mrs. A. L. Gaudet and occupied by C. P. Underwood was damaged by fire to the extent of \$500. The blaze was caused by the explosion of an oil stove on which Mrs. Underwood was preparing supper. The household goods were damaged \$200.

R. V. Smith, a pitcher from Sumnerfield, Kan., was signed yesterday by the Beatrice base ball team. He is to report for duty at once.

Notes from Arlington. ARLINGTON, Neb., Aug. 5.—(Special.)—Frank E. Reynolds has some fine specimens of cotton growing on his farm. The cotton is in bloom and will fully ripen by September 20.

Threshing is in progress here, winter wheat making from twenty-five to thirty-five and oats from fifty to seventy bushels per acre.

Injured by Operating Machine. ST. EDWARDS, Neb., Aug. 5.—(Special.)—Will Simonson while engaged in oiling a separator on the Bengler farm yesterday, lost his foot and slipped in the separator, lacerating one foot and tearing the knee very badly. He was taken to the Columbus hospital, where it was thought possible to save the limb.

FIND LAW INSTRUCTOR DEAD

Member of Faculty of Drake Dies Mysteriously.

FIREMEN STUMBLE OVER BODY

Special Meeting of Clearing House Men to Decide What Shall Be Done in Matter of Government Loan.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 5.—(Special Telegram.)—Attorney Charles H. Van Vleet, member of the law faculty of Drake university, came to his death in a mysterious manner today. Firemen were called to his home at 2 o'clock to fight a fire which had been discovered by neighbors. After the firemen had put out the fire they stumbled over Van Vleet's body in the basement.

The house was locked up securely and his wife and children were away at a picnic. There was no evidence of violence and nothing to indicate how he came to his death. He had formerly been assistant attorney general of the state, but for a number of years had taught law at the university, although engaging, to a small extent, in practice.

Clearing House Men Meet. A special meeting of the Des Moines Clearing House association was held today for the purpose of selecting a delegate to represent the local banks in securing a part of the \$100,000,000 loan fund which the federal government wants to place at the disposal of western and southern banks for moving the crops.

The four national banks of the city are all eligible to receive part of the fund. Railroad assessments Very High. Railroad assessments were put up unusually high by the state executive council at its recent sitting. The latest computation of the total shows that the aggregate of values of the railroads and interurbans is about \$213,000,000. This means that the total value found by the council was upwards of \$200,000, which is above the highest claim of anyone who had done any figuring on the commercial value of the railroads. The council took off 20 per cent to equalize with other property on the basis of the moneys and credits law. It is anticipated the railroads will make considerable complaint of the increase, though it does not immediately mean any great increase in the taxes.

Important State Cases. The attorney general's office has force appeared in the district court today to argue in defense of the state law on the red light injunction process and tomorrow will appear in district court to defend the legislature in its imposition of millage taxes including the tax to secure funds for enlargement of the capitol grounds. This will be heard by Judge Applegate of Guthrie county, as the complainants in the case have indicated that the judges in Polk county are all prejudiced. It is expected this case will take up a great deal of time in court and receive careful consideration. If it goes against the state appeal will at once be taken to the supreme court for a decision before the time for collection of any part of the tax.

Prosecutions for Law Violation. A great many prosecutions for violation of the laws of the state in regard to foods and feeding stuffs are reported by State Dairy Commissioner Barney during the last year. About fifty prosecutions were successfully prosecuted for violation of the law requiring pure lard and oil; a score of prosecutions were for not having paints labeled right, a good many for selling bad meat, and there were prosecutions for low standard ice cream, colored oleomargarine, flour, low grade vinegar, colored peas, frozen oranges and pop with adulterations. A number of new laws have been added and more inspectors, and it is probable there will be an increased number of prosecutions.

Takes Up Pardon Matters.

Governor Clarke has taken up the pardon case of Frank and Nathan Rainwater, who have served over twenty-five years in prison for a murder, about which there is great doubt as to their connection. The case has been before the parole board several times, and, while three members of the board have recommended parole of the men, yet it has never been done. The governor will also soon take up the case of Norman McPherson, a lifer, who has been in prison many years. He is an old soldier and it is claimed that his offense at best was that of manslaughter.

Buying Game Birds for Iowa.

State Game Warden Hinshaw intends next year to give Iowa a fine lot of game birds. He is raising several thousand pheasants on the game farm on the state fair grounds and they will be ready for liberation in the spring. He has also contracted for 3,000 pairs of Hungarian partridges, which will be delivered in time to be liberated at the same time in the spring. They will all be put on in regions where they will receive protection locally for a year or two.

New Train on Milwaukee.

An entirely new train on the Des Moines-Jefferson branch of the Milwaukee railroad started this morning for the first time. It is a train which starts early in the morning at Jefferson and comes to Des Moines, going back at 9 o'clock in the evening. It is intended purely for accommodation of local traffic into Des Moines.

Fairbury News Notes.

FAIRBURY, Neb., Aug. 5.—(Special.)—The Fairbury base ball nine has returned from a trip to Daykin and Wilber. It played the Alexandria nine at Daykin and won, 3 to 2. Two games were played with Wilber, Fairbury winning one. Nebraska division engineers and trainmen are experiencing a rush of business owing to the large number of green fruit specials passing through this place, bound for Chicago. Altogether twenty-eight green fruit specials have been run through Fairbury.

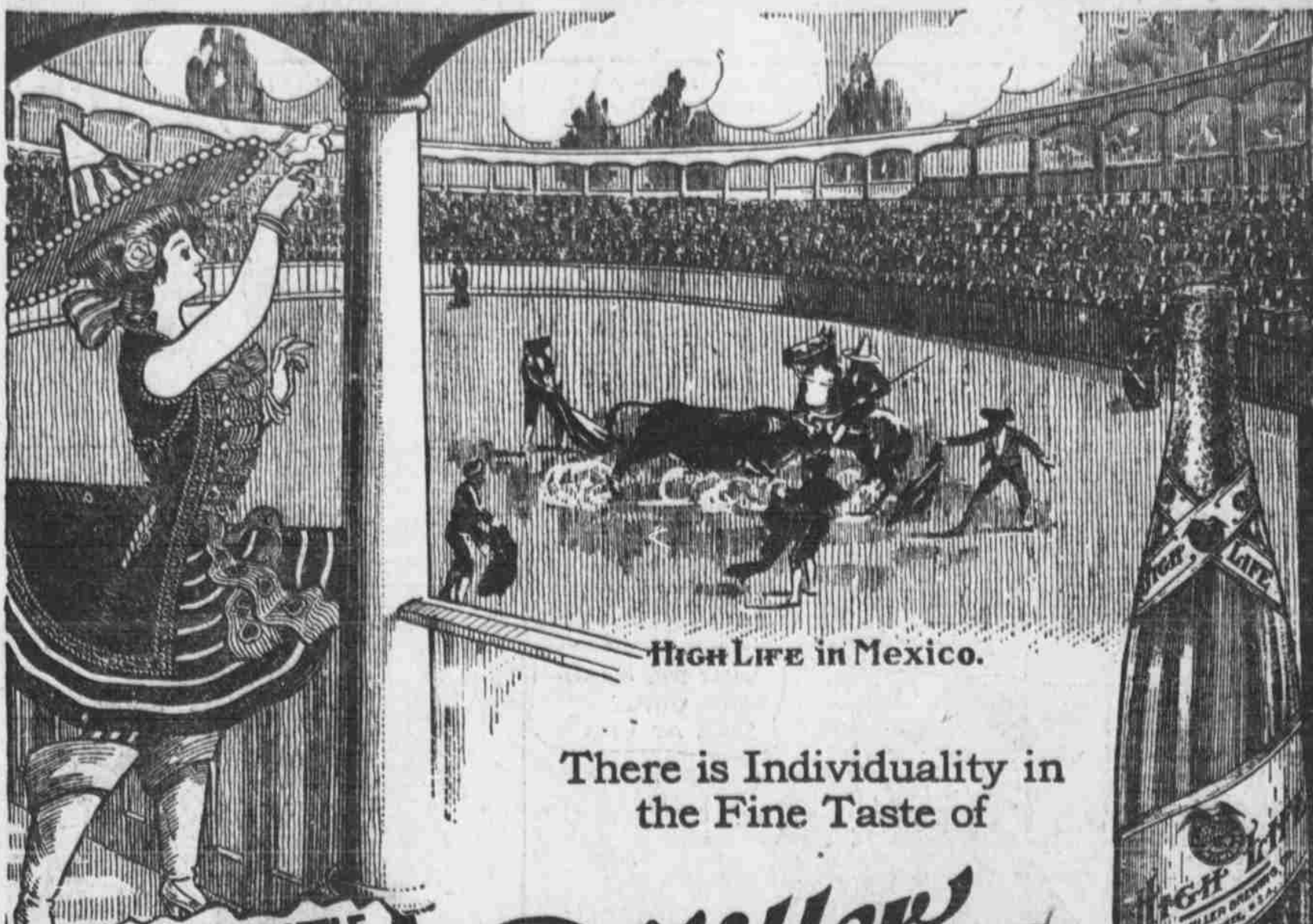
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Tawes of Chicago have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Oakford. Mr. Tawes is a representative for a super-heater firm in the east.

The Rock Island work trains have been temporarily pulled out of service at this place. These trains have been grading for the new depot and switch tracks.

Fairbury will be represented at the thirty-second triennial convocation of Knights Templar in Denver next week. E. W. Mason, secretary of Sharon commandery No. 2, Knights Templar, of this city, left Sunday evening for Denver. He will be joined by C. L. Bester, master of Fairbury lodge No. 35, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, the last of the week.

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