

Nebraska.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE BUSY ONE

Drew Nearly Twenty Thousand Warrants in Six Months.

MAKES RECORD FOR THE STATE

Governor Morehead and Food Commissioner Harman Taken in Movies While Inspecting Bread Wagons.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 9.—(Special.)—In the last six months of 1913 the state auditor's office drew 19,300 warrants to pay the cost of running the state. This exceeds the number written in the corresponding period of 1912 by 3,000.

In the month of April, 1911, there were written 1,223 warrants as against only 8,866 in the corresponding month following a season of the legislation in 1911, the excess being due mostly to wolf bounty payments.

During the year 1911 23,523 warrants were drawn on the general fund, while in 1912 24,628 were drawn.

Governor in "Movies."

Dr. Condra, in charge of the work of advertising Nebraska and its resources, was at the state house today and took motion pictures of Food Commissioner Harman and his force of inspectors inspecting a line of bread wagons.

Governor Morehead took part in the "movie" and inspected the bread like a veteran.

Requisition for Crus.

Extradition papers have been asked of Governor Morehead for the return to Santa Barbara county, California, of Benjamin Crus fainted for assault on the person of Stella Castro, a 15-year-old girl, Crus is under arrest at Omaha.

Increased Capital.

The Nebraska Haulage company with headquarters at Omaha has increased its capital stock to \$3,000,000, according to papers filed this morning with the secretary of state.

Mathews Resigns.

In an effort to get out of politics, Leo Mathews, now secretary of the board of control, handed in his resignation as secretary of the democrat state central committee and it has been lost in the shuffle. Frank Brown, junior editor of the Kearney Democrat, has been mentioned in connection with the place as secretary of the committee. Mr. Brown was at the state house yesterday and was surprised that his name had been mentioned as secretary of the committee. However, he cannot get the job until the resignation of Mr. Mathews is discovered, unless the latter should condescend to resign twice in a job he doesn't care for.

Fire Losses Less Than Year Before

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 9.—(Special.)—Fire losses in Nebraska as reported to the office of Fire Commissioner W. S. Ridgell, were 250,000 less in 1913 than they were in 1912, according to the report of that department being prepared for the printer. The figures show that in 1912 there were 1,325 fires, with a loss of \$2,511,174, while in 1913 there were only 1,295 fires, with a loss of \$1,133,876. The losses in 1913 were the lowest since the organization of the department in 1909.

Notes from Beatrice and Gage County

BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 9.—(Special.)—The stockholders of the Laebner Baler company of this city held their annual meeting Thursday evening and elected the following officers: President and treasurer, Louis Graf; vice president, S. D. Ben; secretary, R. A. Pauly; and Alex Bower of Sutton; H. H. Laebner, John Graf and S. D. Killen of Beatrice.

Big Eaters Get Kidney Trouble

Take Salts at first sign of Bladder irritation or Backache. The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with urea and which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

Cahill, Under Bond Is Freed from Jail

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Jan. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—The hearing of Thomas Cahill charged with setting fire to his home at Arnold, January 4, has been continued by County Judge Holcomb to January 16. Bonds were fixed in the sum of \$50, which were furnished by Arnold people. Mrs. Cahill's condition is somewhat improved. Mrs. Cahill's life is insured in favor of her husband for \$1,000.

Trust Company Sues Wabash Railroad

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 9.—The Central Trust company of New York today filed suit in the federal district court here against the receivers of the Wabash railroad for \$120,000.

Best Health to Mother and Child.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS of WOMEN for their CHILDREN WHILE BRINGING UP PERFECT SUCCESS. IT CURES THE CHILD'S COLIC, THE CHILD'S STOMACH, THE CHILD'S WIND COLIC, AND IS THE BEST REMEDY FOR DIARRHEA. It is absolutely harmless. Be sure and ask for "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" and take no other kind. Twenty-cent bottles.

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Society Leader Who Has Won an Art Prize



Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney

Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, who has been visiting her old home in Virginia, has resumed her work in the children's court, New York City. Mrs. Gibson, who is the wife of the famous artist, and one of the beautiful Langhorne sisters, is actively interested with Mrs. W. K. Van-

derbilt in the big sister movement. Many society women lend their time and money to this movement for the rescue of young girls and for the improvement of conditions surrounding the lives of young girls living in tenement districts.

Unidentified Man Hangs Himself on Farm at North Bend

NORTH BEND, Neb., Jan. 9.—(Special.)—The body of an unidentified man was found Wednesday by Echnony Eitchison, dead, hanging by a rope tied to a ladder which leaned against a straw stack. The man was seen Wednesday lying near the stacks on the Spies' farm, adjoining that of Mr. Eitchison. Nothing could be found on the body of the dead man to identify him. He was dressed as a laboring man and apparently was about 50 years old. The sheriff and coroner were summoned and the body brought to town Thursday afternoon and is now at the undertaker's rooms awaiting developments.

BOYS PUT UNDER ARREST ON CHARGE STEALING COAL

KEARNEY, Neb., Jan. 9.—(Special Telegram.)—Union Pacific detectives have placed fifteen boys and one man under arrest in this city upon the charge of stealing coal from cars in transit and for trespassing on the road's right-of-way. Over 500 pounds is claimed to have been taken daily for the last two months. The practice has kept many small boys from school and Superintendent Cochran of the city schools has been called upon to compel attendance.

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