

APPEALS FROM BIG JUDGMENT

Burlington Road Seeks Relief from \$50,000 Verdict.

CASE TAKEN TO SUPREME COURT

Ward Department Official Will Inspect Field Hospital at Lincoln February 18—Dr. Kigin Back at Desk.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 10.—(Special.)—The \$50,000 judgment secured by Howard Thompson against the Burlington railroad for injuries while walking along the tracks of the company in the city of St. Joseph in September, 1909, has been appealed to the supreme court.

Headlines the unusually large amount given another unusual thing in connection with the suit is that the plaintiff was given the full amount sued for.

Medical Corps Inspection. Captain Leo R. Dunbar of the medical corps of the war department has been assigned to inspect field hospital No. 1 of Lincoln February 15. In connection with the inspection all members of the medical department of the guard will be required to be present so that an inspection of the entire medical department of the Nebraska guard will take place.

Dr. Kigin Recovers. Dr. Kigin, state veterinarian, who has been very ill at his former home in Indiana, returned to Lincoln this morning and was back at his desk today.

Notes from Beatrice and Gage County

BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—A Union Pacific waycar was smashed, and Conductor Hensley and two brakemen, who were occupying berths in the car, came near being killed Sunday, when the switch engine crashed into the car from the rear in the yards here. A misplaced switch caused the accident. The impact overturned the stove and the car caught fire, but was quickly extinguished by the employees at the roundhouse. Hensley saw the switch engine in time to jump, but the brakemen did not. They were thrown from their berths and crawled out from the wreckage in their night clothing after the car had been telescoped.

Blasius Braun, who had been a resident of Beatrice for forty years, died at his home in this city Sunday, aged 58 years. Mr. Braun was formerly engaged in the bakery business here. He was a native of Germany and was never married.

Martin Fritzen, a farmer living east of the city, was adjudged an habitual drunkard by the insanity commissioners Monday and ordered sent to the asylum at Lincoln.

A motion to quash the information in the case of the state against L. N. and Kate C. Miller of Wymore was argued and submitted to the district court yesterday. The defendants are owners of the Touzain hotel at that place and are charged with failure to comply with the state law in regard to proper fire escapes.

Farm Demonstrator Liebers will leave next Saturday for Wisconsin to purchase forty head of dairy cattle for the farmers of Gage county.

UPON LAND FOR FAIR APPRAISERS FIX VALUE

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Six appraisers appointed to appraise the lands which have been condemned for state fair purposes, met this afternoon and went out to do the work. The committee consists of Fred Cornell and O. W. Palm, Lincoln; J. W. Long, Sherman county; E. A. Brown, Saline county; W. H. Smith, Seward county; and Jacob Wels, Fillmore county. The price of \$5,000 has practically been agreed on for the sixty acres of ground, and the appraisement is made to legalize the transaction. The land is valuable and the state fair board feels gratified to be able to secure it at the price of practically \$135 per acre.

Church at Berlin Dedicated. BERLIN, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—The dedicatory services of the St. Paul Methodist Episcopal church were held here Saturday evening and Sunday. Addresses were made by Rev. E. H. H. of Lincoln, Neb.; Rev. A. J. Ross, Topeka, Kan.; and Rev. Charles Hanna, Columbus, Neb., all former pastors. In addition to the above, Dr. J. A. Dickman of Cincinnati, O., gave an address in German and in English. Four thousand dollars was raised to clear the church of debt, and this in the face of the distress and financial stringency caused by the tornado of last spring. Rev. W. H. Backman is the pastor.

Notes from York. YORK, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Lorenzo Poor, who lived at Anderson, Ind., came here last week to attend the funeral of his brother, Henry Poor, left here for his home Friday and died before he reached his destination.

John D. Turley died Saturday night, aged 36 years. Pneumonia was the cause of death. He had been sick only a few days.

Amos Hull died Sunday morning, aged 82 years. He had been sick for two years. He was a member of the Modern Woodmen of America. The funeral was held this afternoon.

The Changing Age

Girls and boys from 14 to 19 years of age undergo physical changes which tax their strength to the utmost, and the strain is always apparent from pale cheeks, colorless lips, and tired bodies—sometimes eruptions of the skin and the utter lack of the ambition and animation with which their younger years were filled.

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Sheeley's Bid Lowest On Bridge Contracts in Seward County

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Senator W. H. Smith, who fathered the bridge contract bill, which was aimed at the combinations which have formerly controlled bridge construction in this state, was in the city today as a member of the committee selected to appraise the lands condemned for state fair purposes and was feeling exceedingly good over the letting of the bridge contracts in Seward county last week, which resulted in a complete routing of the former combination.

At the solicitation of the people of Seward county, J. M. Sheeley of Fort Collins, Colo., was persuaded to enter the fight with a bid against the combination composed of five bridge companies. The fact that Sheeley had entered the fight was kept from the combination and his bid was not filed until a few moments before the bids were opened. As soon as the combine was aware that an independent company had entered the list, according to Senator Smith, they asked to withdraw their bids and change them, but were not allowed to do so.

The contract called for so much per foot and the five companies in the combination only varied their bids a few cents, the lowest being the lowest. On the thirty-five-foot bridges the Standard bid \$36.00 per lineal foot, while Sheeley's bid was \$37. On the 100-foot bridges the Standard's bid was \$58.44 per foot, while the Sheeley bid was but \$58. Under the Standard bid the thirty-five-foot bridges would have cost \$1,192, while the cost under the Sheeley bid will be less than half that amount, \$582. The cost of the 100-foot bridges under the Standard would have been \$5,822, while under the Sheeley bid the cost is \$2,911, a difference of \$2,911. Other things in connection with the building of the bridges was in about the same proportion, and Mr. Smith says that the only thing that will stand in the way of the bridges being built is a rumor that the combination has such a strangle hold on the material that Sheeley may not be able to carry out his contract, although he says that he will be able to do so.

Powell Urges Lower Rates Upon Apples

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Feb. 10.—(Special.)—U. G. Powell, physical expert of the railway commission, has returned from his trip to Kansas City, where he met with other representatives of the states of Iowa and Kansas to secure before the Interstate Commerce commission a better rate on apples than is now given.

According to the ideas of the parties interested, it will be necessary to get a reduction in freight rates on apples if this state is to compete with the northwest. Last year apples to the number of 30,000 carloads were shipped into the territory adjacent to this territory and with the rapid development of the fruit industry in the northwest it is expected that they will be able to furnish the country with 50,000 to 100,000 carloads of apples in a few years.

Edgar Commercial Club Elects.

EDGAR, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—The Edgar Commercial club at its annual meeting elected the following officers: President, Butler Hart; vice president, A. L. Snyder; secretary, A. D. Scott; treasurer, J. G. Walley; financial secretary, L. E. Cottle; executive committee, Dr. G. R. Woods, Will Brookley, Rev. Thomas Griffiths, Mr. Anderson and S. J. King, with the president, vice president and secretary.

A report of the poultry show, which the Commercial club had financed, was read by Charles G. Cottle and approved. The committee on resolutions read resolutions on the death of the late president, J. M. Breckenridge, which were adopted and ordered published in the Edgar papers.

The year's work for the betterment of the city was gone over and discussed from the viewpoints of the different members.

After the business was all dispensed with a light lunch was served, followed by a smoker and a general good time.

Court Notes from Madison.

MADISON, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Mrs. Effie Sampson has commenced action against her husband, Frank L. Sampson, for divorce and the restoration of her maiden name, Effie Crippen. They were married, May 3, 1912. Mrs. Sampson charges in her petition for suitable support.

Frank Lehman has brought replevin action in the district court against E. Ireland et al., to recover one span of mares. This action is taken on appeal from Justice T. V. Norvell's court, Norfolk, Neb.

Leopold Kurpewelt, residing north of Battle Creek, who was arrested on a charge of stealing cattle from his brother, Herman, sworn out by County Attorney Koenigsstein, waived preliminary hearing before County Judge McDuffee and was bound over to the district court with bail fixed at \$2,000, which his father, Samuel Kurpewelt, of this city gave.

Hall Politics Begin to Ebb Up.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Despite the fact that five months must elapse before the time for filing for the primary election for county office nominations has expired, there is already a fairly complete lineup for several of the nominations. It is known that Sheriff Sievers will be a candidate for renomination and re-election for sheriff on the democratic ticket, and Chief of Police Arbogast is said to be his almost sure competitor. Heratupur C. Clerk Neumann will be a candidate for renomination and A. B. Harriott, recently of the register of deeds office, will try for the democratic nomination. Attorney Cunningham probably will be the democratic nominee and is strong in the limelight at the moment on account of the recent order closing down the redlight district.

Aids Girl Attempts Suicide.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Miss Ruby Franz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Franz, residing several miles south of Aida, this county, attempted suicide by shooting herself. The bullet lodged in the tenth rib, however, and was prevented from striking a vital spot. The unfortunate young woman was immediately placed in the hands of a physician, however, and it is expected will recover. The cause for the act is not known, but is believed to be a severe disappointment in a love affair.

ST. CLAIR OBEYS RULES

Convict, Championed by Wooster, Comes Off High Horse.

CONSENTS TO GO TO CHAPEL

After Fighting for Six Months and Submitting to Punishment for Disobedience, Man Yields.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Feb. 10.—(Special.)—All the efforts of Charles Wooster of Silver Creek to compel the warden of the state penitentiary to lift the rule of the prison compelling inmates to attend chapel services on Sunday have been of no avail, unless the Board of Control should uphold the argument of Mr. Wooster made some time ago in behalf of a convict by the name of St. Clair, who had refused to obey the order and has been kept in confinement since for disobedience of prison rules.

In his argument before the Board of Control Mr. Wooster said it was the constitutional right of every citizen to choose whether he should attend religious services or not. The warden claimed that when a man entered the penitentiary under sentence he lost his constitutional right as a citizen and therefore the right did not apply.

After fighting the matter for about six months St. Clair has apologized to Warden Penton and acknowledged that he was entirely in the wrong and would obey all rules of the prison from now on.

KEARNEY AFTER NEW STATE REFORMATORY

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

KEARNEY, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—The Kearney Commercial club went on record today as being anxious for the location of the new state reformatory being established in this city. It is believed by the local men that it would be a good thing for Kearney and that it would be a good place for the institution. B. D. Gould, John W. Patterson, Judge W. D. Oldham and Senator Peter Wink will comprise a committee to confer with the State Board of Control in regard to the establishing of the same in this city.

The club also took action at its meeting today in the procuring of a public ball park and will stand behind the bond issue, which comes up March 10. If these bonds carry a \$4,000 park will be provided. The club will lend all assistance possible to attain the successful carrying of the bonds.

Felt is on Way to Central America

SUPERIOR, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—It was reported today that A. C. Felt, the missing cashier of the defunct bank here, was seen on Canal street, New Orleans, two weeks ago by a man from Beatrice, who also saw him at the home ball league meeting in Kearney. Felt said he was to sail the next day in a fruit steamer for Central America and asked the Beatrice man not to give him away. He says he did not know that there was any charge against Felt when he promised to say nothing about meeting him.

STATE TREASURER ISSUES CALL FOR STATE WARRANTS

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Feb. 10.—(Special.)—State Treasurer George has issued a notice that on February 18 he will cash at par \$100,000 in general fund warrants when presented at the office or sent through the mail. However, these warrants must come from the original holder, and warrants which have been discounted or transferred being taken up.

A call will be issued tomorrow also for \$170,000 in outstanding registered warrants in numbers up to 457 to include all issues up to December 1. This will leave outstanding about \$500,000.

News Notes of Table Rock.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Mrs. Frances Wolfe died at her residence in this city yesterday morning after an illness of several weeks with cancer of the liver, aged 58 years. She leaves two children, J. T. Cozad of Stella, and Mrs. Edna Griffing of Table Rock. Arrangements for the funeral have not as yet been announced.

Matias Hutha died at his residence in Table Rock on Saturday after an extended illness of several weeks. In his seventy-fifth year. He came from Bohemia to this country and has lived in Pawnee county between forty and fifty years. He leaves three sons and two daughters besides an aged widow. Funeral services were held at the residence yesterday and the interment was in the Bohemian cemetery, four miles east of Table Rock.

Beaver City Notes.

BEAVER CITY, Neb., Feb. 10.—(Special.)—Cecl Odell and Miss Mignon Keely were married at the Presbyterian parsonage yesterday. They are members of prominent families. On account of a recent bereavement the wedding was a private one.

Word received from Avon Arnsberger,

county treasurer, who was recently operated upon at a hospital in Rochester, Minn., is that he is now out of danger. It was at first believed that he could not recover.

Vast Loss of Infants Due to Individual and Civic Neglect

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—An appeal to American mothers, to women's clubs and to all who may be interested in the nation's social welfare for aid in the movement to safeguard the lives of babies was made today by Miss Julia C. Lathrop, chief of the Federal Children's bureau, in her first annual report to Secretary Wilson, of the Labor department.

"Infants mortality is a subject now challenging the attention of the whole civilized world," said Miss Lathrop. "It is impossible to state with accuracy the infant death rate measure, because the United States differs from other civilized countries and provides no general system of birth registration. Estimates obtained by the government statisticians, based upon census reports, however, show that last year the actual loss was about 300,000 babies under 1-year of age. Of these at least half would be living had we, as individuals and communities, applied those measures of hygiene and sanitation, which are known and available. This vast and unmeasured loss of infant life is due solely to individual and civic neglect."

Inadequacy of funds and the limited number of workers provided by the statutes creating the children's bureau, the report said has greatly hampered the prosecution of the work.

"It is obvious" the report continued "that even the most superficial survey of the bureau's great field is impossible with the present force, and that in order to accomplish anything at all it was necessary that the staff should be composed of specially qualified persons."

Baby-saving campaigns in numerous cities and the efforts now being put forth through them to prevent infant mortality were highly commended by Miss Lathrop. The bureau proposes to co-operate wherever possible with such movements.

A series of pamphlets dealing with the

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home care of young children, beginning with one on prenatal care, are now being distributed by the bureau. In these it is shown that slightly more than 42 per cent of the infants dying under 1 year of age in the registration area in 1911 did not live to complete the first month of life, and that of this 42 per cent almost seven-tenths died as result of prenatal conditions or of injury or accident at birth.

An investigation has been started by one of the bureau's field agents in an effort to ascertain whether child labor laws are being properly enforced and whether the states grant the certificates with due reference to the children's mental attainments and physical development.

Through communications received by the bureau, Miss Lathrop said she had been informed "that no state in America at the present time making adequate provision for exceptional and needy children."

The bureau has discovered a popular conviction that it is a sound principle that no child should be separated from the care of a good mother because of poverty alone. "The matter of turning this popular conviction into a useful public function" Miss Lathrop says, "is one demanding searching inquiry."

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