

Nebraska DOUGLAS CASES TO COME UP

Rights of Douglas Board of Equalization Before Supreme Court.

ASK ADVANCEMENT OF ACTION

Death of P. H. Philpott Great Shock to His Many Friends in State House, Where He Was Stationed for Years.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Sept. 15.—(Special.)—The supreme court convened this morning for its first sitting after the summer vacation and took up several motions for rehearing and advancement.

The most important of these was a motion by Attorney R. M. Switzer of Omaha for advancement of a case involving the right of the County Board of Equalization of Douglas county to increase assessments after the legal twenty days given by the statutes for equalization of assessments had expired.

The case involves twelve appeals from the Douglas county district court covering raises in assessments on property aggregating \$181,000 for the year 1913. Attorney Switzer contends that the twenty days given includes Sundays intervening, while the boards hold that Sundays are not included in the twenty days, but that the twenty days meant twenty working days.

Advancement of the case sought in order that the matter may be adjusted right away.

Asks About Home Building.

The state auditor has received a letter from H. F. Cooper of Union, asking for information regarding the Home Builders' association, a company located at 202 South Seventeenth street, Omaha, and doing business as an investment corporation. Mr. Cooper desires to know if the company is reliable and has a right to do business in the state. The records of the State Banking board do not show that the company has been granted permission to do business in this state.

Postmaster Referendum.

The attempt of a local paper to settle the postoffice fight in Lincoln by taking a referendum vote of the patrons of the office does not seem to be appreciated very greatly by one of the candidates, A. V. Johnson, who has been recommended to the president for the position by Congressman Maguire, as against F. W. Brown, who has been recommended by Mr. Bryan and whose name has been sent to the State Banking board to do so far stands. Mr. Johnson, Mr. Johnson, 30 and Sam Wittig, who was among the "mentioned."

State House Officials Shocked.

The announcement of the death of Horace H. Philpott in the newspapers this morning shed a pall of gloom over the state house today, where "Phil," as he was familiarly known, was for many years a familiar figure as representative of the Omaha Bee in Lincoln. Always good natured, always accommodating, Mr. Philpott made a host of friends and probably no man in newspaper work was ever so universally respected and liked as he. Always a story and a hewing to the line, letting the chips fall where they might, he was successful in keeping the respect and friendship of those whom in the course of his business as a reporter he was compelled at times to criticize. It was "news" that "Phil" was always after and few men could compare with him in the success he attained in getting what he was after. The loss which the newspaper profession has met in the death of Mr. Philpott is felt by the newspaper boys at the capital city and resolutions of condolence are being prepared by a committee representing the profession here to be sent to the family.

Man Strangled by Hayrack's Wheel

KEARNEY, Neb., Sept. 15.—(Special Telegram.)—John McCutcheon, a teamster of this city, was strangled to death this morning, when in some manner he was caught under the wheel of a hay rack, which was jacked up just high enough to hold him fast. In some manner his neck was caught under the wheel and he strangled. The man was dead about two hours before found by the family.

RESIDENTS OF KEARNEY TO BUILD REVIVAL TABERNACLE

KEARNEY, Neb., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—On next Monday morning the residents of Kearney, and especially the members of the various churches, will co-operate in the building of a large tabernacle which will be used for the holding of a revival in this city. The men will donate their labor and the women will serve dinner to the workers. The building will be a large structure covering a big vacant lot in the heart of the town. The meetings will be held in October.

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Nebraska Disbrow Turns Over Practicing at Norfolk

NORFOLK, Neb., Sept. 15.—(Special Telegram.)—Louis Disbrow holder of seventeen world's automobile speed records narrowly escaped death when his Disbrow special overturned at a turn in the Norfolk automobile speedway this evening. The car was demolished. J. W. Tammell, secretary of the Norfolk Commercial club, was riding with Disbrow and saved his life by jumping. Disbrow turned over on the same curve where Louis Meneghetti, South American speed king, was killed a year ago this week. Disbrow announced he would be in tomorrow's races.

A large crowd saw the opening motorcycle races at the fall festival. Thousands are expected for the big automobile races Wednesday and Thursday.

In the twenty-mile motorcycle race, Ray Welshart of Topeka, Kan., ran away from the field. Billy Dorr of Sioux City was second; Bowman of Shenandoah, Ia., third. Time, 26:30.

In the ten mile event, Door-won. Clarence Jackson of Topeka, second; Olson of Genoa, Neb., third. Time, 23:20.

In the five-mile race, Welshart won; Jackson, second; Olson, third. Time, 6:46.

Rank of Policemen is Raised to Give Them More Salary

In order to increase their salaries under the law two police sergeants, Andrew Paulino and William K. Marshall, were made captains by the city commission upon the recommendation of Police Commissioner A. C. Kugel. The salary of Policewoman Katherine Drummy was increased from \$60 to \$75 a month. Other salaries were increased as follows: Police Matron Ella Gibbons, from \$75 to \$90 a month; Thomas Bowie, office assistant to Commissioner Kugel, from \$100 to \$125 a month; James H. McDonald was reinstated as a patrolman at \$55 a month. He was a detective working for \$10 a month and resigned to run for sheriff.

Cash Wheat Shows Still Further Drop

The slump in grain prices continues, wheat being more than 3 cents below Monday, with the market closing near the bottom and speculators asserting that the end of the decline has not been reached.

Receipts at Omaha were: Wheat, 73; corn, 8; oats, 21 cars.

Omaha cash wheat was in good demand, but like the cereal elsewhere it was sold far below the price of yesterday. Crushers let go of the bulk of it around 90c to 95c, with one load of extra good going at an even \$1 per bushel.

Chicago cash was from \$1.00 to \$1.04; December, \$1.00 to \$1.07; and May, \$1.10 to \$1.15.

MRS. MABEL SIEVERS SAYS HUSBAND HAS AFFINITY

An alleged "affinity," mentioned as such and named, is declared by Mrs. Mabel E. Sievers to have won and held the affections of her husband, William G. Sievers, jr., proprietor of the Omaha Express company.

Bedient Slated for Fed.

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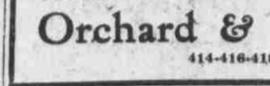
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NEBRASKA CONFERENCE OPEN Largest Gathering of Ministers in West Meeting at Fremont.

BUSINESS SESSIONS ON TODAY

Young People's Meetings and International Parade Will Be Feature of the Gathering—Prominent Men in Attendance.

The Nebraska conference of the Methodist Episcopal church with 422 appointments representing 6,000 communicants will be officially convened at Fremont this morning with Bishop Theodore S. Henderson of Chattanooga, Tenn., in the chair. This is one of the largest conferences in the world only one or two having greater numbers.

The entertainment of such a large body for a week is an achievement for any church, but the Fremont church with Dr. F. M. Gibson, pastor assisted by the Commercial club of the city is making the visiting clergymen welcome. All trains were met with conveyances and ministers were taken to their assigned places of entertainment.

Cabinet in Session.

Bishop Theodore Henderson upon his arrival yesterday immediately called a meeting of his "cabinet" composed of the district superintendents and the work of the conference was outlined. There will be a business session of the conference every morning and the afternoon and evening will be devoted to the different interests of the church and the representatives of the various benevolences of the church will be the speakers.

Dr. J. P. D. John, expresident of DePauw university, an educator and lecturer will have the first half hour of each morning to address the ministers on the person and character of Jesus Christ. He will give a popular lecture on Saturday night on "The Worth of a Man."

Parade of Young People.

One of the unique features of the conference will be a mammoth interdenominational parade on Thursday afternoon given by the young people's organizations and the Sunday schools of the city. This affair will be under the direction of J. T. Bader of Fremont. Prominent ministers will preach on the street corners each evening if the weather permits. They will be assisted by the Morris quartet of the Holy Redeemer district.

This evening at 6 o'clock the Brotherhood of the church will give a banquet and Dr. F. D. Bovard and others will speak. On Friday evening a big banquet is planned by the Wesleyan university. Among the prominent men of the church who will attend this conference will be J. T. Docking, who makes a plea for the education of the negro; Dr. J. W. Van Cleave for the superannuated preachers; Dr. H. J. Coker for the conference finances; Dr. C. T. Wilson for the Church Temperance society.

Memorial Services.

Memorial services will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at which time memoirs will be read of Dr. Jesse W. Jennings and Rev. J. I. McLaughlin, who were prominent workers in Omaha and other ministers who have passed away during the year.

Dr. Wilbur F. Sheridan, the secretary of the Epworth league addressed the young people of the city last night in an enthusiastic meeting.

General Baggage Agents in Session Here for Two Days

The Western General Baggage Agents' association, with about twenty-five members present, representing that number of railroads operating west of Chicago and New Orleans, convened in quarterly session at the Paxton hotel yesterday.

F. H. Jones, president of Texarkana, where he represents the Cotton Belt, was in the chair, but postponed the delivering of his address until later. L. W. Prince, secretary, of the Frisco, is expected tonight.

At the session little business was transacted, the meeting being informal. There were short talks by General Passenger Agent Basinger of the Union Pacific and Assistant General Freight and Passenger Agent Jones of the Northwestern.

Andrew Trevnor, former general baggage agent of the Union Pacific, now retired, attended the meeting. He was one of the charter members of the association, of whom but five are now living.

Besides the baggage agents who are attending the meeting, there is L. D. Gardner, chief clerk to George L. Alley, general baggage agent of the Union Pacific, and Agents Whaley, Christie, Reamer and Gallagher of the union depots at Minneapolis, St. Paul, Grand Central, Chicago and Kansas City terminals, respectively.

Want Cowell to Run for the School Board

An effort is being made to persuade Robert Cowell of the Killpatrick company to become a candidate for the school board of the Fourth ward, where he so long resided, to the Eleventh ward, so that should be run, he would stand for the membership from the Eleventh ward, which has remained vacant since the resignation of James Richardson after the flareback over the high school principalship.

The Twenty-Year Test.

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Anti-Suffragists to Meet Thursday

An anti-suffrage meeting will be held Thursday evening in the high school auditorium at South Omaha. An address will be made by Miss Marjorie Dorman.

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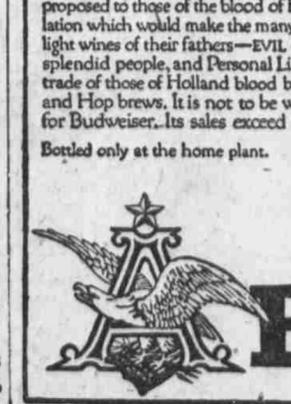
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secretary of the New York League of Women Wage Earners. A short address will be made by Mrs. J. W. Crumpacker, Nebraska representative of the National Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, the meeting being held under the auspices of that body. The committee of which Mrs. Frank T.

Hamilton is chairman reports that an additional sum of \$200 has been raised for the Red Cross relief fund. It is expected that further contributions will be made. This money is remitted to Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, who turns it over to the Red Cross society.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.
Morris Jacobs has gone to Columbia, Mo., where he will enter the College of Journalism of the University of Missouri. See readers are too intelligent to overlook the opportunities in the "wast" ad columns. They're worth while reading.