

Nebraska

COST OF REFERENDUM BOOKS

Amount Paid by Interested Persons Almost Offsets Expense.

SECRETARY WAIT FILES REPORT

Anti-Removalists Expand Largest Sum in Publishing Reasons Why Proposition Should Go Their Way.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 3.—(Special.)—According to figures given out by Secretary of State Wait, it cost the state only \$400 to publish the initiative and referendum propositions. The law provides that parties interested both for and against amendments proposed may be given space for arguments and in this case these brought in \$23,129.

A. H. Bigelow of Omaha took two pages of the pamphlet in an attempt to show why the workmen's compensation law should not be adopted. At the price charged, \$22.50 per page, it cost Mr. Bigelow \$45.

Frank L. Ringer of Lincoln took three pages in an argument in favor of the workmen's compensation law at a cost of \$67.50.

On university removal the Board of Regents took two pages, at a cost of \$45, in a statement supposed to be non-partisan.

Regents Coupland and Haller paid \$625, using ten pages favorable to the state farm location.

The university alumni home campus anti-removal extension committee took twenty-five pages, at a cost of \$562.50, to show why the university should stay down town.

Mrs. H. W. Hardy used two pages and \$45 in an effort to show that the women ought to vote, while Mrs. Crumpacker of Omaha used two more and the same amount of money showing why they should not.

In each instance the side that put in the most money got the most votes, except in the case of woman suffrage.

Money on Inmate Accounts. Payment on the delinquent inmate accounts are being made by most of the counties in small sums. This morning the auditor's office received from Pierce county \$1,300 with notice that a levy would be made to raise the rest of the amount due of \$3,877. Hayes county also sent in the second \$200, according to an agreement that \$300 would be paid each year until the full \$1,077.99 had been paid.

New Incorporations. The American Automobile college, stationed at Omaha, filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state today. The corporation has a capital of \$30,000, with Frank J. Anderson, Simeon A. Pope and Chris H. Hesse, incorporators.

The Sifford Hog Remedy company of Pender also files articles with a capital of \$5,000. The incorporators are Frank W. Sifford and William C. Sawyer.

The Grand Island Culvert and Metal works files articles of incorporation with a capital of \$25,000. The incorporators of the company are Charles T. McElroy, Samuel Greenberger and Frederick Dahms.

Normal Board Meeting. The State Normal board will hold its annual meeting at the state house Thursday morning, December 10, at 9 o'clock.

Merna Man Shoots Wife Four Times and Kills Himself

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Dec. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—Frank Deeter, a resident of Merna, ten miles northwest of here, sent four bullets into the body of his wife at 1:10 o'clock this morning, then shot himself twice in the left breast, from the effects of which he died at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Deeter is in critical condition. The tragedy occurred in the telephone exchange, where Mrs. Deeter was employed. Deeter is about 35 years old.

CORN-JUDGING CONTEST FOR GAGE COUNTY BOYS

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 3.—(Special.)—Farm Demonstrator Liebers has arranged to hold a Gage county boys' corn day at the Commercial club rooms in this city on December 12. Any boy under 21 years of age may enter the contest, and each entrant must bring a ten-ear and a one-ear sample of corn. This does not need to be corn raised by the entrant, but it must be selected by him. The entire day will be devoted to discussions on corn. Two \$25 gold watches will be given as prizes by the Farmers and Merchants bank of Wymore to those winning first and second prizes in the contest. Other prizes will also be awarded.

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SHRINERS CELEBRATE CEREMONIAL AT HASTINGS

HASTINGS, Neb., Dec. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—Ninety 150 members of Shriners temple, Mystic Shrine, came from Lincoln on a special train this evening and conducted a ceremonial in the Masonic temple. About 25 Shriners attended the banquet at the Hotel Clarke tonight.

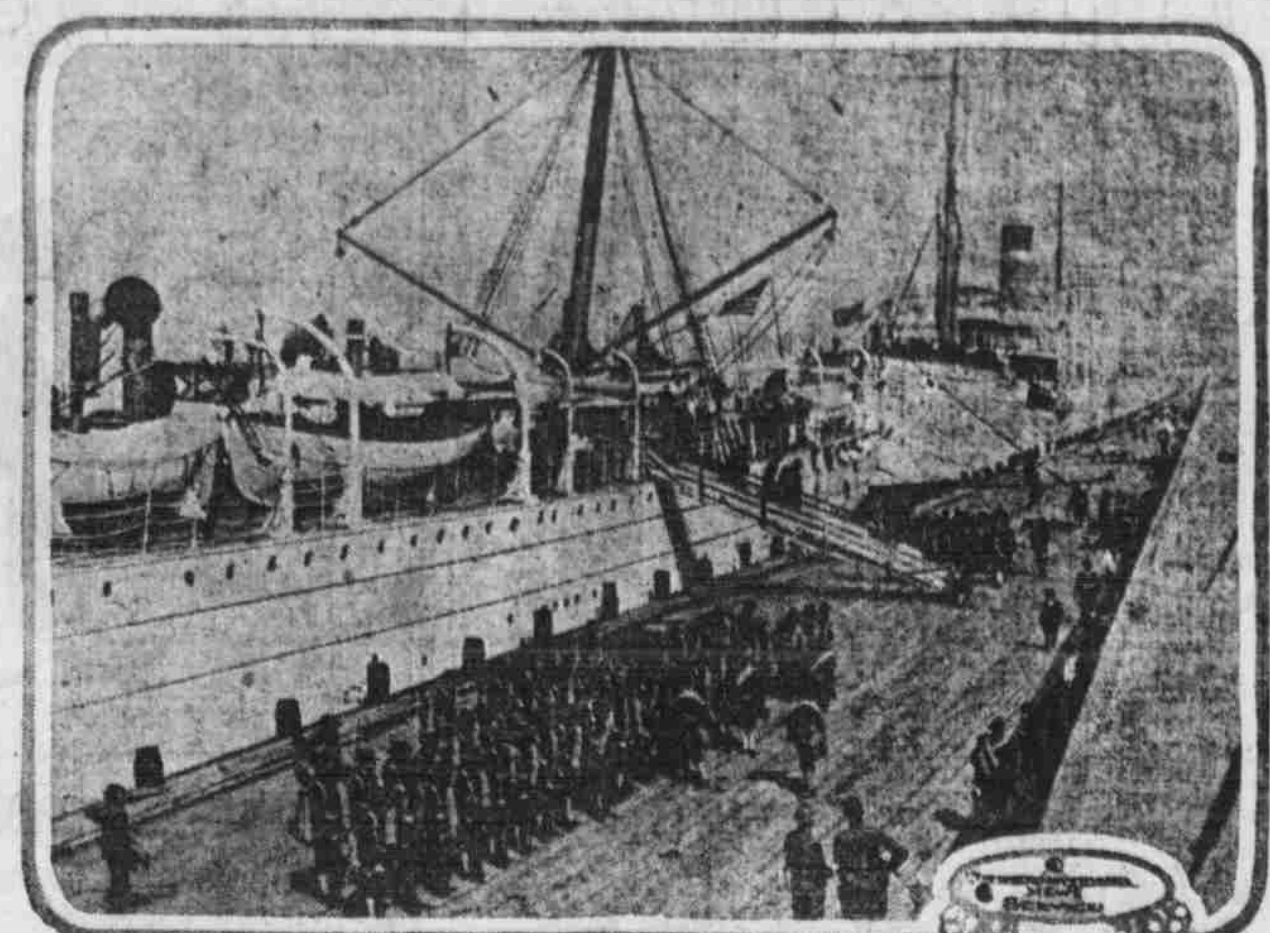
Hastings Shippers Complain.

HASTINGS, Neb., Dec. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—State Railway Commissioner Hall today held a hearing here on the application of Hastings shippers for daily freight service between this city and McCook. Without this service, it was argued, Lincoln shippers have an advantage because they ship on through freight trains, whereas Hastings shipments are held for tri-weekly local service.

Women of Sedentary Habits.

Women who get but little exercise are likely to be troubled with constipation and indigestion and will find Chamberlain's Tablets highly beneficial. Not so good as a three or four-mile walk every day, but very much better than to allow the bowels to remain in a constipated condition. They are easy and pleasant to take and most agreeable in effect. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

AMERICAN TROOPS BACK FROM MEXICO—The United States transport Kilpatrick, with the Sumner astern, photographed along the wharf at Galveston during the disembarkation of the United States troops brought back from Vera Cruz.



Big Demand for Report of Board of Agriculture

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 3.—(Special.)—Requests from all parts of the country are now being received for the 1914 report of the secretary of the State Board of Agriculture. This volume will contain the Nebraska crop statistics by counties. Last year the publicity department distributed a special edition of 3,000 to supplement the regular edition of 5,000.

HOWARD SAYS MILEAGE BOOK SCARE IS BASELESS

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 3.—(Special.)—Considerable interest was stirred up around the state house this morning by a statement published in a morning paper that the state auditor's office had purchased more mileage books than it had used and that there was no showing made for them. The charge was made that these books had been purchased by the county treasurer examiners for their use and the intimation made that they had not been used for state purposes.

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Notes from Beatrice.

BEATRICE, Neb., Dec. 3.—(Special.)—John Trauernicht, the young man who was shot three times Sunday evening by his neighbor, William Iben, who is in the county jail, was reported slightly improved Wednesday night and hopes are now being held out for his recovery.

Newsp Notes from Fairbury.

FAIRBURY, Neb., Dec. 3.—(Special.)—Division Storekeeper H. O. Nellis has resigned his position and will take a vacation during the current month before assuming his position as register of deeds of Jefferson county, January 1.

Colorado Mine Inspector Without Funds Necessary to Enforce Law

DENVER, Colo., ec. 3.—Because his department itself has not complied with the law, he did not feel like proceeding against mine foremen and fire bosses for negligence and other offenses against the Colorado mining code, said James Dairymple, chief state, inspector of coal mines, at the second day's hearing in the investigation of the coal miners' strike before the industrial relations commission.

Hastings to Enlarge New Clarke Hall

HASTINGS, Neb., Dec. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—In less than ten months from the time of its opening the Clarke hotel has been found inadequate in size and a movement has been inaugurated by the stockholders to erect an addition early in the spring. The capital stock of the company has been increased from \$175,000 to \$250,000, the proceeds of the additional shares to be used in constructing the addition, which will include among other things the largest ball room in the estate outside of Lincoln and Omaha.

WILL HOLD MANY FARMERS' INSTITUTES FOR DECEMBER

Thirty-four farmers' institutes have been scheduled by the agricultural extension service of the state experimental farm for December. The places and dates of the meetings are as follows: Garfield, December 1; Arnold, 2; Loup City, 3; Callaway, 3; Dannebrog, 3; Miller, 4; Prairie Gem church, 4; Amherst, 5; Orchard, 7 and 8; Gibbon, 8; Horvillie, 8 and 9; Page, 8 and 9; Conrad, 9 and 10; Atkinson, 9 and 10; Polk, 9 and 10; Overton, 10 and 11; Blasing, 10 and 11; Stanton, 10 and 11; Weston, 11 and 12; West Point, 11 and 12; Wood River, 11 and 12; Cresco, 14 and 15; Paul, 14 and 15; Union, 14 and 15; Aurora, 15 and 16; Havelock, 15 and 16; Virginia, 15 and 16; Union, 16; Hampton, 16 and 17; Lewistown, 16 and 17; Weeping Water, 17; Cortland, 17 and 18; Fairmont, 17 and 18; Springfield, 18 and 19.

Tickling of the Throat

HYMENEAL Day-Hole.

FAIRBURY, Neb., Dec. 3.—(Special.)—A beautiful December wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Hole in this city this evening at 7:30 P. M., when their daughter, Miss Katherine was married to Frederick I. Day of Superior, Neb. Rev. J. T. Parker of the Baptist church officiated. Mrs. E. U. Bylesby played the wedding march, while Mrs. F. S. Whitmore of Topeka, Kan., sang preceding the ceremony. Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Chicago was matron of honor and Miss Marian Day, a sister of the groom, bridesmaid. Alexander Hunter

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DAVID LAMAR IS GIVEN TWO YEARS

New York Promoter Found Guilty of Impersonating Congressman Palmer.

COUNSEL WILL APPEAL CASE

His Purpose Was to Defraud J. Pierpont Morgan and the United States Steel Corporation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—David Lamar was today found guilty of impersonating Representative A. Mitchell Palmer of Pennsylvania for the purpose of defrauding J. P. Morgan & Co. and the United States Steel corporation. He was immediately sentenced to serve two years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga.

The jury deliberated on the evidence for forty-five minutes. Lamar was convicted on two counts of the second of the three indictments against him. His counsel announced that an appeal would be taken to the United States supreme court on writs of error.

After counsel has interposed motions for a writ of error and permission to file a bill of exception, Lamar was admitted to \$10,000 bail pending an appeal. The crime of which Lamar—nicknamed

by brokers "The Wolf of Wall Street"—was convicted, is one seldom entered on the records of the federal court here.

The government charged that Lamar and his friend, Edward Lauterbach, a lawyer, entered into a conspiracy to obtain money from the United States Steel corporation and the Morgan firm by representing themselves as the agents of Speaker Clark and other men high in congress. To further this conspiracy, it was charged Lamar telephoned Lester Case Ledyard and others representing himself over the telephone to be Representative Palmer of Pennsylvania; said that he was acting with the knowledge and sanction of Speaker Clark, and sought to have Mr. Ledyard obtain employment for Lauterbach with the Morgan firm of the steel corporation.

The telephone conversations, it was testified, lasted for several days before Mr. Ledyard telephoned to the real Representative Palmer, and found that he had been talking therewith with an imposter. In the meantime Mr. Ledyard had seen Lauterbach and Lauterbach, Mr. Ledyard said, had demanded money for his services.

Three indictments were found by the grand jury. Two of them charged Lamar with representing himself as an officer of the United States government; the third charged Lamar and Lauterbach with conspiracy.

The indictment against Lauterbach, District Attorney Marshall said, will be pressed at an early date.

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FORMER HURON MAN WITH BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE

HURON, E. D., Dec. 3.—(Special.)—J. R. Allingham, formerly of this city and a brother of W. H. Allingham of Huron, is now with the First Canadian expeditionary force engaged in the European war. He went from Huron to Canada several years ago, enlisting in the service there. When last heard from he was at Bulford camp, Salisbury plain, England, but his relatives believe him to be now in France.

CHARLES S. SMITH MADE MR BRYAN'S SECRETARY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Charles S. Smith of New Hampshire was appointed today to serve temporarily as private secretary to Secretary Bryan. Mr. Smith recently was a member of a commission sent to the Dominican republic to aid in restoring peace there.

Yankton Students Build Road. YANKTON, E. D., Dec. 3.—(Special.)—Road building was a new stunt Yankton college students tried their hands at on Monday, the whole student body turning out for work on the Washington Memorial highway. Their efforts were directed to that portion of the highway running east of Yankton four miles. Wednesday the citizens of Yankton will take up the task and put the road in shape for the inspection of Colonel C. W. Thatcher, the promoter of the highway.

BRANDEIS STORES. We announce to begin next Saturday A Sale of Unframed Pictures Worth \$8.00 to \$15.00, for \$1.00. Reproductions of Masterpieces by the Most Famous Artists. Nothing that you might think of will be so treasured and so sincerely appreciated by all of your friends to whom art and refinement appeal. To them, these copies of masterpieces will be capital Christmas offerings.

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