

Nebraska ALDRICH ENTERS LISTS FOR SENATOR

Ex-Governor Submits Formal Filing for This Office on the Re- publican Ticket.

SUBMITS HIS FULL PLATFORM

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—That Ex-Governor Chester H. Aldrich will be a candidate for the republican nomination for the United States senate was made a fact yesterday when just before Secretary of State Pool closed his office for the day Ex-Governor Aldrich filed for a place on the primary ballot.

Governor Aldrich served in the memorable state senate of 1907 and in 1910 was elected governor of the state, serving the 1911-12 term, but was defeated for a second term by the present governor.

In a statement filed with the secretary of state Ex-Governor Aldrich calls attention to the fact that he signed the present initiative and referendum act as governor, which gives the people a chance to vote upon the liquor question and while he is for a dry state, he will abide by the vote of the people on the question.

For Protective Tariff.

He favors strongly a protective tariff for American industries, charging that the present democratic tariff favors the south at the expense of the agricultural states of the north. He does not believe in militarism, but does not believe the government should drift along trusting to good luck and the good will of other nations to keep us out of trouble.

He believes in a sufficient degree of preparedness which would place the United States in a position to protect itself if necessary. He believes in a merchant marine that will meet with popular favor.

Rivers and Harbors Grant.

He charges graft in the appropriation of the present congress of over \$50,000,000 for river and harbor improvement, two-thirds of which was never used for the purpose it was voted for and would have been expended in bringing the acres of the agricultural west into the taxable domain. He believes in rural credits, an income tax upon the rich and not upon the middle classes as now in force, and in the handling of the Mexican situation in a manner that will meet with popular favor.

His attention in his statement that he was the author of the Aldrich freight rate reduction bill, prepared the original draft of the railway commission law and assisted in drawing the pure food law and the primary election law and as governor of the state vetoed much undesirable and vicious legislation.

Rock Island Track Clear of Wreckage

DESHELI, Neb., Dec. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—The track was cleared of the wreckage of Rock Island train No. 305 at an early hour this morning. The baggage and express car and contents were burned nothing being saved but a dog, the registered mail and two express packages.

There were but eight passengers in the smoker when the accident happened and about fifteen in the coal car, an unusually light load. There was no explosion on the train and the express and baggage was not so heavy as usual.

YOUNG MAN, DISCOURAGED, TRIES TO END HIS LIFE

OSCEOLA, Neb., Dec. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Claud Rawles, a resident of Shelby in the east part of the county, attempted suicide last night by shooting. He was found at the home of Ralph Jarmin, where he had been staying by Mr. Jarmin when he returned this morning. The bullet entering the head near the temple, cut the optic nerves and has rendered the man totally blind. No hopes are had of his recovery. Mrs. Rawles and their little daughter were in Lincoln at the time of the shooting. Besides his wife and child Mr. Rawles has a brother who resides near Shelby.

MUNICIPAL CHRISTMAS TREE ON CAPITOL GROUNDS

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—A municipal Christmas tree on the state house grounds will be a feature of the holiday in Lincoln. The idea emanated from Dr. H. P. Wekeser, who was in Madison Square last Christmas and saw the tree put up by the people of New York.

Two huge evergreens will be erected on the north side of the capitol grounds and a big platform erected between on which Christmas carols will be sung by many hundreds of voices. Thousands of electric lights will illuminate the grounds and three and the Commercial club will see that the stunt is made a success.

CHADRON, Neb., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—Dawes county district court was adjourned by Judge W. H. Westover until January 27. All jurors were notified to appear at that date.

Many friends of Judge Westover are endorsing him for the position left vacant by the death of Judge W. H. Munger. Chadron citizens are pleased to see in the estimates of Secretary McAdoo for the appropriations of this session of congress \$50,000 toward the new federal building. The full amount allowed at the previous session was \$125. This summer \$1,000 was spent in testing for foundation work.

One Pastor's Motorcycle Trips to Be Cashed Into New Church

Relation of the motorcycle to religion may seem a phrase rather far fetched, but members of Parkvale Presbyterian church do not think so. They are to receive the first money for a new church edifice, which they decided to build only last week from the efforts of their pastor, Rev. R. W. Taylor, just because he rides a motorcycle and is in fact a motorcycle "bug."

Since the "Billy" Sunday revival meetings, the influx of members into the Parkvale organization has been so steady and the demands of the territory west and southwest of Haneson park, which the church, now located at Thirty-first and Gold streets, occupies, have appeared so insistent that members decided the present structure inadequate.

The Ladies' Guild assumed a generous share of the indebtedness and the pastor was prevailed upon to assist them in securing the nest egg out of which the building fund is to grow.

Dr. Taylor, who has served in Nebraska for over ten years at Tekamah and Osceola, has traveled by motorcycle over the entire northwest during his vacations. There is scarcely a crossroads town he has not visited in his 25,000 miles of journeyings. He started when one had to push the power wheel oftener than be carried by it and now it is said that his speedometer frequently registers at the fifty-mile clip. His observations, illustrated by photographs he has taken will be shown next Thursday night, December 16 at the Young Women's Christian association auditorium for the benefit of the foundation fund of the new church.

Parkvale is the first church society in Omaha since the Sunday meetings to make public its decision to build. A location committee is at work and the hope is that eventually a fine \$25,000 structure may be erected.

No Christmas Checks for Any State Employees

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—State Treasurer Hall and State Auditor Smith got together yesterday and ruled that no checks would be issued before Christmas. In this way the employees were able to spend a happy Christmas and play Santa Claus to the kids at home.

This year on account of the ruling of the two state officers there will be no Santa Claus in some of the homes and no turkey will grace the table of many of them.

The officers point to the fact that the ruling will hit the state officers just as it does the clerks.

This is along about the same line as the act of a certain democratic state official who it is rumored at the state house docked his stenographer one-half day's pay because when she went home to spend Thanksgiving she failed to return until noon the next day. There is no record to show that he docked himself for the days he has been absent from his office on his own pleasure bent.

YOUNG HAZLETT WILL BE TRIED IN DENVER

KEARNEY, Neb., Dec. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—Local authorities will not ask to have Warren Hazlett, former Omaha boy, brought back here to answer the charge of burglary. Some time ago Hazlett, who was one time an inmate of the Industrial school, was arrested here as a suspect. He was confined to the city jail, together with a chicken thief, about six weeks ago. They broke jail and stole \$50 belonging to the police judge and chief of police. The money was returned to the officers last week by the boy's mother in St. Louis.

Yesterday Hazlett was arrested in the act of robbing a store in Denver. He will be tried there, according to word received today, and the Kearney charge will not be pressed.

One Mourner at Funeral Service For Aged Shut-In

Mrs. G. W. Ahlquist, Omaha charitable worker, was the only mourner at a funeral yesterday.

The services were for Mrs. Mary Ryne, 50 years old, inmate of the county hospital for eleven years, who for the last four years had been bedridden. Mrs. Ahlquist during that period was also the only friend the aged woman had, outside of the hospital. She visited her frequently and brightened many dreary hours.

Mrs. Ryne had no known relatives. Mrs. Ahlquist in accordance with her annual custom is planning to give Christmas dinners and presents to many of Omaha's poor and is receiving assistance for this purpose from friends and charitably inclined persons.

A. W. WALKUP, REAL ESTATE MAN, DIES AT A HOSPITAL

A. W. Walkup, real estate dealer, living at 232 North Twenty-first street, died yesterday afternoon at the Methodist hospital, following an operation last Wednesday. He had been ailing for some time, but did not seem to require the services of a physician until last Sunday, and was taken to the hospital Wednesday for an operation. Mr. Walkup is survived by his wife and three children, his father, who lives here also, and a brother, W. W. Walkup, who lives at York.

QUINN GROWS FUZZ ON LIP TO PROVE HE COULD DO IT

When Leland C. Quinn got from his vacation and resumed duties as assistant chief clerk in the Union Pacific's passenger department, he looked like a different man.

CCONTO VILLAGE BOARD TELLS U. S. TO BUY GUNS

CCONTO, Neb., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—Oconto has the first village board in Nebraska to go on record favoring or against the preparedness plans now before congress. The board last night adopted resolutions setting out the necessity for carrying out the doctrine. They also agreed that the country could stand the expense.

Found Guilty of Horse Stealing.
STURGIS, S. D., Dec. 12.—(Special Telegram.)—A jury in the case of South Dakota against Bryan Guffy, charged with horse stealing, brought in a verdict of guilty last night after having been out about four hours.

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Nebraska MAGGI SAYS YOUNG ANGUS NOT PAROLED

Chairman of State Prison Board Makes Statement in Regard to Slayer of Radman.

HOW PAROLE LAW WORKS

LINCOLN, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—Chairman Maggi of the State Prison board renews the statement that Leo Angus, who shot and killed young Rudman, is a paroled convict. He makes this statement in regard to the matter:

"In the columns of the Lincoln and Omaha press there appeared of late to the effect that Leo Angus, connected with the Rudman murder committed in Omaha, is a paroled convict. Such a statement is absolutely barren of truth. The facts are as follows, ascertainable from the records: On July 26, 1908, Angus was convicted of murder and was sentenced for life. On July 5, 1910, Governor Shallenbarger commuted Angus' sentence to ten years, which commuted sentence expired April 26, 1913. At the time of said commutation of sentence by Governor Shallenbarger, the Parole and Advisory Board of Pardons were not in existence. The records show that during the last year, from December 1, 1914, to December 1, 1915, there has been committed to the penitentiary 217 men, and of this

Nebraska WAR TOYS ARE NOW ALL RAGE FOR KIDS

Machine Gun Which Fires Wooden Shells and is Operated Like Real "Gat" is Latest.

SETS OF COMPLETE ARMIES

War toys and war games are strikingly in evidence on the toy counters just now. It is evident that the manufacturers realize the boys want action that will make the present European struggle more vivid to their imaginations. Beautiful and business-like machine guns which shoot in rapid succession a wooden shell that hits the mark every time are on the market. They are fired by turning a crank, just like the real machine guns the soldiers are operating in Europe, and they are supplied with shells from a ribbon magazine or band that is run through the breach as the crank is turned.

THE HARVARD STUDENTS

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— you should know positively that the final cost sheet will
show \$50,000 or \$3,000, and not \$60,000 or \$3,500.**

Such advice would sound strange were it not generally known, by those who have had experience, that a large percentage of buildings do greatly exceed the estimated construction cost.

In a recent issue of a prominent Hotel magazine there appeared an article on guaranteeing Construction Cost from which we extract the following:

"A comprehensive investigation of Commercial buildings by a leading insurance company developed the fact that 90 per cent of them exceeded, in final cost, the original estimate of the architect.

"The excess cost averaged 33 per cent.

"The direct result was impairment of the investment in most cases and absolute failure of the investment in many instances."

This same article also tells of the Minneapolis Hotel man—the owner of the Hotel Radisson.

"Mr. Kruse paid 42 cents per cubic foot for his building, which should have been built for 30 cents per cubic foot."

Mr. Kruse, who is a lawyer as well as a large property owner, says that the methods of architecture and construction which are in common practice are all wrong; and the recent action of the foremost Architects in the country show conclusively that they, too, recognize the faults of older day building methods and are exerting efforts to meet the situation and provide a remedy.

This brings us back to our main question—How are you to receive absolute assurance of a satisfactory building and at the same time know that it will be delivered at the price you are figuring your returns on?

Our Answer is—"By securing the services of all of the professions and trades, who will have a part in the erection of your building while the plans are being drawn—and in this way secure advice and co-operation of building engineers and building material experts in the making of the plans as well as in the actual construction of the building itself.

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