

### Nebraska GREELEY COUNTY TAX WAR IS UP TO STATE

**Trouble Between Commissioners and Assessors Before Equalization Board.**

#### AYERS IS CALLED IN

Lincoln, NAug. 1.—(Special Telegram).—The war in Greeley county between the Board of County Commissioners and the county assessor of that county was transferred to the State Board of Equalization this afternoon when Chris Webber and W. T. Reed of the county board appeared before the state board in an effort to secure the authority of the state board to allow it to equalize assessments in Greeley county, alleging that the county assessor, P. H. Philbin, had kept his books in such shape that the county commissioners had not been able to equalize the taxes.

The board called in Assistant Attorney General Ayers, but adjourned until tomorrow when F. C. Wicks, the other member of the Greeley board will arrive and the matter will be fixed up if possible.

The board wants to remove Philbin from the office and Philbin refuses to be removed. If the state board allows the Greeley commissioners to go back and equalize the taxes, the state board will be delayed just that much longer in its work of completing the equalization of the counties of the state.

#### Two Pioneer Women of Callaway Are Dead

Callaway, Neb., Aug. 1.—(Special).—The funeral of Mrs. P. T. Van Cleave, one of the early pioneers of this locality, was held at the farm home, five miles southeast of Callaway, at 2 o'clock p. m. Sunday. She died last Friday morning following an extended illness. She leaves an aged husband and several grown up children. A few years ago a daughter of Mrs. Van Cleave was united in marriage to Horatio Booth, residing southwest of town, and yesterday morning his mother, Mrs. Frank Booth, passed away following an illness lasting several months. Mrs. Booth was preceded by her husband in death about three years ago. Her funeral was held today.

### Rain Reports From Out in Nebraska Are Full of Good Cheer

Ravenna, Neb., Aug. 1.—(Special).—This community was visited by a rain that lasted nearly all night, a fall of an inch and a half. While it will afford much relief from the heat and drought, most of the corn fields are badly damaged.

Wahoo, Neb., Aug. 1.—(Special).—A slow steady rain started falling about 11 o'clock last night and at 9 o'clock this morning more than an inch was recorded at the government gauge.

Friend, Neb., Aug. 1.—(Special).—This locality was visited at an early hour this morning by a splendid local shower, carrying about one-inch of water.

Geneva, Neb., Aug. 1.—(Special).—A splendid rain fell last night, 8 1/2 inch. Everything looks refreshed and growing again. With intense heat from 90 to 104 every day grass and garden stuff was suffering and corn beginning to show its effects. While the north part of Geneva is soaked, there was very little in the south.

Farrwell, Neb., Aug. 1.—(Special).—Over an inch of rain visited this county last night. The rain was badly needed. The corn was slightly damaged, but this rain practically insures a good corn crop. Shock wheat is selling at \$1.07 from the threshing machine.

#### No Order to Send Empty Grain Cars Out of State

Lincoln, Aug. 1.—(Special).—It was all a mistake. Such is the information coming to the State Railway commission this morning in response to the message sent yesterday by the commission to A. C. Ridgway, chief operating official of the Rock Island, asking why the order had gone out to Nebraska agents of the railway to send all empty box cars to Kansas.

Mr. Ridgway informs the commission that the order was misconstrued by agents and that as soon as attention was called to such misconception the agents were ordered to backpedal on the order and put forth every effort to secure cars for the Nebraska demand.

#### Fire at Kenesaw.

Kenesaw, Neb., Aug. 1.—(Special).—Fire which is supposed to have started from an electric wire, did damage of \$1,000 to the Fraternity building today. Stock in a store occupied by the building was damaged \$500.

### HALL ISSUES CALL FOR GUARD RECRUITS

**Adjutant General Asks for Men to Take Places of Those With Dependent Families.**

#### HE MAKES STATEMENT

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
Lincoln, Aug. 1.—(Special).—"No one knows what the next day may bring and to be trained and ready is an asset to both yourself, your family and your nation."

This closes an appeal made for recruits issued by Adjutant General Hall this morning, these recruits to take the place of the men with dependent families who may be mustered out upon making application.

The communication reads as follows: National Guardmen now in service on the border may be discharged providing that the soldier makes application through military channels, setting forth the fact that he has one or more relatives who are dependent upon him for support. The soldiers' application must be accompanied by adequate written evidence of real dependency.

Applications from noncommissioned officers under the conditions referred to herein will be forwarded to the War Department for action.

For the purpose of filling the places of the men discharged on the border who have dependents, and in order to enable all able-bodied men who are true patriots and who have no dependents to serve with the colors and receive the training that every young American should have as a fulfillment of the debt he owes his government, recruiting stations have been opened. Major C. W. Walden, M. C. N. N. G., of Beatrice, Neb., Captain T. W. Jaycox, jr., Quartermaster Corps, of Omaha; First Lieutenant Henry A. Altschuler, Fourth Infantry, Madison; Second Lieutenant M. I. Evans, Fifth Infantry, Hastings, are now stationed at Lincoln as recruiting officers with headquarters at the Armory, 1441 O street. Captain J. M. Ledy, Fourth Infantry, Omaha, and Second Lieutenant R. J. Emery, Fifth Infantry, Beatrice are stationed at Omaha. The recruiting officers at Omaha will receive recruits and send them on to Lincoln, which is designated as a recruiting depot.

In the course of two or three weeks a camp will be established near the city where the men will be equipped and temporarily schooled before they will be sent to the border. Captain R. P. Palmer, Twenty-second United States Infantry is now stationed at the Adjutant General's Department as Chief Recruiting Officer. It is our desire to enlist many men as possible, as recent information from the War Department requests us to recruit to war strength. No one knows what the next day may bring and to be trained and ready is an asset to both yourself, your family and your nation.

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Sloan's Liniment applied to a sore, cut, wound or bruise prevents infection and blood poisoning. See All druggists.—Adv.

### Notes from Beatrice And Gage County

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 1.—(Special).—According to the report of County Assessor Enlow for the year 1916, lands in Gage county are worth \$33,807,595. The railroads are valued at \$7,000,000. There are thirteen telephone companies doing business in the county and they are valued at \$170,000. Automobiles are worth \$500,000, and hogs, which number 37,000, are valued at \$320,000.

Announcement was received here yesterday of the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Baker, formerly teacher in the Central school in this city, to Ralph O. Jackson of Rushville, which occurred at the home of the bride's parents at Cook Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson will make their home at Rushville, where the groom is engaged in business.

The old settlers of Gage county will hold their annual picnic at Chautauque park on Thursday, August 24. Governor Morehead and Mrs. Minnie Knox, acting secretary of the Nebraska State Historical society, have been invited to make addresses.

Harry Clayton of Alliance and Miss Merle Clark of Elk Creek, who were married here Saturday night by Judge Walden, were refused a marriage license at Lincoln because they each gave their ages as 17 years. When they procured a license from Judge Walden soon after their arrival in the city Clayton stated that he was 22 years of age and his bride 18.

#### Platte Valley Telephone Firm Can Sell Additional Stock

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
Lincoln, Aug. 1.—(Special).—The Platte Valley Telephone company of Scott's Bluff has been given authority to issue and sell an additional \$25,000 in stock to better the condition of its lines.

The State Railway commission in granting the request specifies that the company must make a full report of expenditures in connection with the deal to the commission.

**Cure for Cholera Morbus.**  
"When our little boy, now seven years old, was a baby he was cured of cholera morbus by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Mrs. Sidney Simmons, Fair Haven, N. Y. "Since then other members of my family have used this valuable medicine for colic and bowel troubles with good satisfaction and I gladly endorse it as a remedy of exceptional merit." Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

### FIVE NEBRASKANS AT NOTIFICATION

**Gould Dietz, Howard Baldrige and Congressmen Reavis, Sloan and Kinkaid Present.**

#### PARTY IS AGAIN UNITED

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
New York, Aug. 1.—(Special Telegram).—Gould Dietz, Howard Baldrige, Congressmen Reavis, Sloan and Kinkaid of Nebraska joined thousands of other citizens in assisting at the ceremonies incident to the notification of Charles Evans Hughes of his nomination to the presidency held last night at Carnegie hall. The presence of Colonel Roosevelt, with members of his family, in a conspicuous gallery box accentuated the strong utterance of the nominee that the republican party was again united and ready to do battle for American institutions and ideals.

Mr. Dietz arrived in New York yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. Dietz. Mr. Dietz having been selected by the Nebraska delegation to the Chicago convention to represent Nebraska on the notification committee. Mr. Baldrige, who has been east but a few days, could not resist the temptation to accompany his son to Carnegie hall to witness a memorable ceremony and in all human probability the notification of the nomination of the next president.

Representatives Sloan, Reavis and Kinkaid reached New York at 2 o'clock. They returned to the capital last night.

### Are Slow in Filing of Pleas for Pamphlets

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
Lincoln, Aug. 1.—(Special).—No arguments have yet been filed with the secretary of state to be printed in the pamphlets to be sent out giving the arguments for or against the prohibition amendment, except one in favor, and none has been filed either for or against the so-called Harman amendment to the food laws.

#### J. D. Moore Will Quit State Job for Business

(From a Staff Correspondent.)  
Lincoln, Aug. 1.—(Special).—J. D. Moore, who has been an inspector in the food, oil and dairy department of the state for the last three and one-half years, being the oldest inspector in point of service, with one exception, connected with the department, handed in his resignation this morning and will go into the grocery business here. Commissioner Harman has as yet not appointed a successor.

#### Two Days' Picnic at Berlin.

Avoca, Neb., Aug. 1.—(Special).—A two days' picnic, under the auspices of the Modern Woodmen of America lodge, will be held at Berlin on August 8-9. The principal speakers will be Judge Paul Jensen of Nebraska City the first day, and A. R. Talbot, head consul, of Lincoln, the second day. Music will be furnished by the Syracuse band. There will be free attractions of all kinds.

### Beatrice Foundrymen Strike for More Pay

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 1.—Forty foundrymen in the Dempster plant here walked out last evening because they were refused an increase in wages. They asked an increase of 25 per cent for common laborers, 20 per cent for core workers, 15 per cent for moulders. President Dempster stated that skilled workmen have been making from three to four dollars a day and that the factory was paying as good wages on an average as any like institution in the country.

More than 25,000 more paid Want Ads first six months 1916 than in same period of 1915—nearly 1,000 more each week. Why mention results with this kind of evidence?



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## Does Prohibition Prohibit?

The people of Nebraska are being urged this year to adopt state-wide PROHIBITION, and to wipe out the Slocum Local Option, High License Law.

Naturally, the average man wants to know what results have been achieved in states where PROHIBITION has been tried. He wants to know first of all whether state-wide PROHIBITION prohibits. The practical man also wants to know what results have been achieved in Nebraska under the Local-option, High License System

We intend to publish a series of articles with a view of laying certain vital facts before the people of this state, facts which they should possess in order that they may be able to make an intelligent decision.

The citizens of Nebraska want an opportunity to hear both sides of the question. They have little patience with the extremists, of whom there are some on both sides. They want to hear in plain language why so many men of standing are opposed to state-wide PROHIBITION.

We will present evidence in abundance to show that state-wide PROHIBITION does not prohibit; that serious new evils follow in the wake of PROHIBITION, evils far worse and more numerous than those for which PROHIBITION is offered as a remedy.

Kansas tried for many years to make state-wide PROHIBITION prohibit, and has failed. The news item presented herewith is eloquent testimony to that fact.

### An Item of Proof from Kansas

Showing that PROHIBITION does not prohibit.

(News item in Topeka Capital of November 3, 1915.)

"Liquor is being sold to high school boys by bottom characters," according to Ed. Rooney, probation officer.

"W. E. Atchison, county attorney, yesterday afternoon ordered a warrant drawn for the arrest of the negro who is said to have sold liquor to Reuben Niedens and Johnnie Barret, the two boys who took Mrs. Ida Brownell's Ford from in front of her residence, 205 Madison, and began a mad career of window smashing that ended in their arrest. Niedens is 17, Barret 14. The boys gave information to Atchison about purchasing the liquor. The warrant will be served this morning."

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