

Nebraska

RENOMINATION BUG SLOW IN ITS WORK

State Officers Have Not Yet Yet Notified Deputies What They Wish to Do in Running for Office.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, Aug. 17.—(Special.)—“Nothing Doing” as far as public news is concerned could be hung up over the door of most of the offices in the state house this week, because of the absence of heads of departments.

The deputies, while all good men, do not expect to be candidates for the office the chief now holds, because it will be necessary first to find out what the chief expects to do.

Deputy Secretary of State Hugh Cooper may be a candidate for the shoes of his chief, Charles Pool. It all depends on whether Pool decides to run for a third term or for congress in the Sixth district. A persistent rumor, and one which Mr. Pool so far has made no effort to head off, says the present secretary of state thinks he can land the democratic nomination there, which is his official home, and then he thinks again that he can defeat Uncle Mose Kinkaid, a trick other democrats have tried and discovered to their horror that they had another trick coming. When Mr. Pool has officially shed his hat in the ring for congress Mr. Cooper may do a little hat stunt himself.

Smith Has Not Decided. What State Auditor William Smith expects to do on the third term business, he will not divulge. Some of his friends want him to run for congress in the Fourth district, but so far the auditor has refused to give any encouragement to the plan. His deputy, Fred Ayers, who like Smith, is also a newspaper man, might be coaxed in if Smith stays out.

It is well known that Attorney General Willis Reed will not be a candidate for a third term. He, too, has his eye on Washington, but will hit higher than congress and will go after the democratic nomination for the United States senate. The attorney general makes no attempt to dispute it. In the office of the attorney general are a number of assistants. First is Deputy Charlie Roe. Roe is a newly-wed, consequently insignificant things like running for office do not just now demand his attention. Perhaps later, as the open season for candidates approaches, he may enter the running.

Clemmons Undecided. State Superintendent W. H. Clemmons is serving his first term. Like Mr. Reed, Mr. Clemmons has several assistants. Deputy Woodard, of course, is the man in line should his chief decide that one term is all he wants. Neither Mr. Clemmons or Mr. Woodard is talking about the matter, but it is probable before snow flies again there will be an understanding. In the treasurer's office there will be a change. The constitution (curses) has decreed that a state treasurer can only hold two terms (more curses) and so Mr. Hall will be forced out of office and it will be up to his deputy, Henry Berge, to save the rest of the force from possible loss of office in the event the dear people should decree that they have not had enough democratic methods in running the state.

Berge occasionally takes a look at the sign on the door recently placed by Mr. Hall, which reads "George E. Hall State Treasurer," and wonders if there is space enough to print "Henry C. Berge."

Minister Elected Captain Of Norfolk Guard Reserve

Norfolk, Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Rev. Edwin Booth, jr., moderator of Nebraska Congregational churches and pastor of the First Congregational church of Norfolk, has been elected captain of Company A of National Guard Reserves which is being formed here. Walter R. McFarland is first lieutenant and Carl H. Pilger, second lieutenant. Following a drill the men, who had planned to form a Home Guard company, voted to organize a National Guard Reserve unit. About thirty men signed the National Guard Reserve petition. One hundred and eighty signed the Home Guard petition but the Home Guard proposition will be delayed until the Reserves are fully recruited.

Farm Hand Asks Damages for Hurts Sustained in Rack Wheel

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Thomas W. Jefferson yesterday filed a suit for \$6,000 damages against Henry Zimmerman, a farmer living six miles northwest of Beatrice, for injuries sustained while in the defendant's employ. He alleges that he was ordered to place a hay rack on the running gears of a wagon and haul a load of hay and while coming from the field the rack gave way, the load falling on him and injuring his leg so badly that it has incapacitated him from work since the accident occurred.

Beatrice Company Leaves To Prepare Deming Camp

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Company C of the Fifth regiment, stationed at this place, left this afternoon at 1:15 o'clock today over the Burlington route for Camp Cody, near Deming, N. M., where they will assist in preparing the camp for the other guard troops. The company went from here to Tecumseh and thence to Kansas City. A large crowd of friends and relatives was at the station to bid them goodbye.

Two Injured When Motor Car Goes Over Embankment

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. William Eby, who live a mile north of Lanham, were injured yesterday afternoon, when their car went over an embankment a mile south of Odell. Mrs. Eby sustained a fractured leg, but Mr. Eby, who is 72 years of age, escaped with slight bruises. The car was not badly damaged.

Change in Fire Chiefs

Plattsmouth, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—At a mass meeting last night of the Plattsmouth fire department Chief P. H. Fields resigned and Dr. Oscar Sandis was elected in his place.

GIBBON BOY GOES TO OFFICERS' CAMP AT SNELLING.



REX R. RANDALL

Rex Rolland Randall, eldest son of W. L. Randall, associated with his father in one of the leading mercantile stores of Gibbon, Neb., will attend the second officers' training camp at Fort Snelling. Mr. Randall is one of the most popular and progressive merchants of western Nebraska.

Kansans Look to This State for Corn Supply

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Efforts of the state agricultural boards of Nebraska and Kansas to bring together the cornless hogs of the Sunflower state and the hogless corn of the Cornhusker state are bringing results and today Secretary Danielson received more letters from individuals both in this state and Iowa, asking for information as to how to get the hogs.

One man will take 200 head of hogs, another two carloads and a man in Omaha wants a car of hogs and a car of calves.

Neville and Clemmons to Speak at Southwest Fair

North Platte, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Charles Listen and R. C. Norris of Maywood have completed arrangements for the third annual southwest district fair to be held from September 10 to 17, inclusive. A program of races, dancing, music, exhibits of stock and farm products, and balloon exhibitions will be given. Among the prominent men of this state who will deliver addresses are Governor Keith Neville of Lincoln and W. H. Clemmons, state superintendent of public institutions.

Stranger Dies When Eats Beans He Had Poisoned

Hebron, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—How a stranger attempted to poison the entire family of a Wellsville, Kan., farmer by sprinkling deadly poison on beans, and how the stranger died soon after the farmer had forced him, at the point of a gun, to eat some of the beans, is recounted in a letter received here yesterday by W. E. Green, manager of the Hebron Laundry, from his mother, Mrs. H. J. Green of Wellsville.

Why the stranger had attempted to poison the Kansas family could not be learned.

Fifth Annual County Fair To Be Held at North Platte

North Platte, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—The fifth annual county fair will be held at the city park under the management of the Lincoln County Agricultural society, from September 26 to 29. A number of improvements have been made to the race track, grandstand and buildings, and several new buildings have been erected for exhibits of live stock and agricultural products. The horse racing will be held in union with the Kearney and Lexington circuit.

North Platte Boy Killed On Western Hunting Trip

North Platte, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Edward Heinzie, aged 17, who formerly resided here with his mother, now Mrs. B. M. Johnston, was accidentally killed yesterday while hunting in the woods at Allegany, Ore., where he has made his home for several years. He was a grandson of Mrs. Mary Elder of this city. Interment was at Allegany.

Asks Damages for Dog Bite

Hebron, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Asking \$500 damages because of a dog bite, John Steward of this city is today bringing suit against Fred Ehlers, owner of the canine. Steward alleges the dog bit him last fall while he was at work near the Ehlers home.

EDITOR HURLS DEFINITIVE AT BLACKHANDERS

E. J. Mitchell at Deshler Says He Will Have No Fear of "Cowards, Traitors and Assassins."

Hebron, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—His life threatened in an unsigned letter mailed on a train, Editor E. J. Mitchell of the Deshler (Neb.) Rustler hurls defiance at "cowards, traitors and assassins who may be skulking in the rear with knife, gun or bludgeon." Editor Mitchell has turned the letter over to the authorities, who are investigating.

Editor Mitchell says in this week's Rustler: "My Friends: It was not my intention to make public the fact that my life had been threatened in an anonymous letter, mailed on the train and received by me Tuesday evening. I opened it in the postoffice and a friend or two who happened to be near, saw the contents before it was turned over to the authorities. I am unable to serve my country at present on account of the age limit, but will always do my best to stand for and defend the best government on the face of the earth. And while our brave boys are facing bullets at the front, I will have no fear of cowards, traitors and assassins who may be skulking in the rear with knife, gun or bludgeon. The United States is in the world war and every loyal citizen will do his duty.—E. J. Mitchell."

Threatening letters signed by blackhand signatures have also been received by Richard Kiene, prominent merchant of Deshler. Mr. Kiene, although of German descent, is very patriotic and anti-kaiser in his beliefs and is not afraid to say so.

Seward Store Is Painted Brisk Yellow by Townsmen

Seward, Neb., Aug. 17.—During the night the store of Curry Brothers, clothiers, in this city was painted a bright yellow.

The incident was caused when the clothiers tried to influence the exemption of Paul Becker, son of the Lutheran minister in this city. Becker was married after war was declared, but had not been notified whether he was chosen for serve or not. He is employed at the store.

The people who put up the job are known to the police, but it is not thought any arrests will be made.

To Work Behind the Lines

Hebron, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Three student ministers of Carlton, near here, who have asked exemption from draft because of religious scruples, have been ordered to go as non-combatants. They are Melvin Ellsworth Teter, Jacob Henry Yoder and Anna B. Hoffert, all members of the Church of the Brethren. Their work will be behind the lines and their names will count in Thayer county's quota.

Gets Temporary Exemption

Hebron, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—What to do with a drafted man who had passed the physical examination and later had been operated upon for appendicitis was the problem before the local board here this week. Ray Charles Lindahl of Hebron is the man in question. He is confined in a local hospital. He was given temporary exemption from draft for six months from date of operation.

Stella Women in Red Cross

Stella, Neb., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—Stella women will hold a mass meeting at the Baptist church Saturday afternoon for the purpose of taking instructions in Red Cross work under the direction of Miss Rosella Riley, who is leader of the Red Cross sewing society at Dawson.

QUENCHES THE THIRST HORSFORD'S Acid Phosphate

A teaspoonful in a glass of water is very refreshing to the mouth and throat. Buy a bottle.—Advertisement.

New Postmasters

Washington, Aug. 17.—(Special Telegram.)—Ward R. Lee of Union county, South Dakota, has been appointed a veterinary inspector in connection with the bureau of animal industry, to be located at Chicago.

HYMENEAL

Edwin H. Rankin and Miss Bina Sidwell, both of York, were married Thursday morning at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. L. M. Sidwell. Rev. L. M. Snider officiated.

Persistent Advertising Is the Road to Success.

Brandeis Stores Clean-Up Sale of Wash Skirts Values Up to \$8.98, \$2.50. Saturday is the time to replenish your wardrobe with a good skirt at a very low price. Cool weather is a long ways off and you will get enough wear out of it this season to pay for it twice over. We offer a varied assortment of up-to-date styles. Many of the skirts have been in the store but a short time, having been received late in July for the mid-summer trade. We are determined not to carry any of them over.

Every Wash Dress in Our Misses' Dept. Values From \$10.00 to \$5.00. \$39.00, to Go at \$5.00. This lot consists of 75 Wash Dresses of all the very latest styles and colors, in stripes, checks and plain colors made up in Anderson Gingham, Organdies and Voiles. Your choice at \$5.00.

Hosiery and Knit Underwear At Reduced Prices. Women's Pure Silk Thread Hose in fancy embroidered insteps, black and white embroidered clocks and white with black clocks, at \$1.75. Women's Pure Silk Thread Hose, in fancy stripes in all colors, lisle tops, double soles, regular \$1.39 value, for \$1.00. Women's Fiber Silk Hose, lisle garter tops, double soles, in black, white and colors, at \$0.59. Knit Underwear Women's Fine Lisle Union Suits, some cut with "V" neck, cuff and lace trimmed knee, regular and extra sizes, at \$0.50. Women's Cotton Union Suits with tape top finish, cuff and umbrella knee styles, regular sizes, at \$0.35. Women's Fine Lisle Vests, plain and comfy cut, also bodice style with ribbon shoulder strap, regular and extra sizes, worth up to 39c, at \$0.25.

New Arrivals In Boys' Wear. Mothers will appreciate the economy afforded by the offerings in our Juvenile Department. We have just received a full line of Boys' Wear for fall, in very neat patterns, and the prices we have put on them are very moderate, considering the market conditions. It will pay you to investigate and buy the boy his fall suit while the prices are so low. Boys' Suits with two pairs of pants, in the new Trench model and pink back styles; also slash pocket models. A wide array of patterns, in grays, browns, blues and greens. We have them in all sizes, and the prices are from \$5.75 to \$15.00. Junior Sweaters for the little fellow. A beautiful assortment of brand new goods. They come in a great variety of colors, including brown trimmed in red, red trimmed in gray and blue trimmed in red. Sizes from 3 to 9 years, and priced at \$2.25. Juvenile Suits for the smaller boy. Beautiful suits that will make any little chap proud. We have them in blue, brown, green and gray, in the new Tommy Tucker, ePter Pan and Trench models. Sizes from 2 to 8 years, at \$3.95 to \$10.00. Juvenile Palm Beach and Mohair Cloth Suits. Styles are Norfolk, Tommy Tucker and Etonne collar. Colors: Tans, with collars, belts and cuffs of stripe and different shadings; also grays and blues, with same trimmings. Absolutely guaranteed for satisfactory washing. Price \$3.95.

Drug Specials. Sloan's Liniment, 50c size, at \$0.29c. Syrup of Figs (genuine), 50c size, at \$0.29c. Mentholatum, 25c size, at \$0.16c. Hay's Hair Health, 50c size, at \$0.29c. Lysol, 50c size, at \$0.29c. Lotus Hair Color, \$1.00 size, at \$0.69c. Pozzonis Face Powder, special at \$0.29c. Vaucall's Galega Tablets, special, at \$0.69c. Williams' Shaving Cream, special, at \$0.16c. Graves' Tooth Powder, 25c size, at \$0.16c. Williams' Talcum Powder, special, at \$0.11c. 8-inch White Ivory Buffer, regular \$1.50 value, at 89c. Vanitabs, just the thing for Milady's purse when shopping, special Saturday, at \$0.39c. White Ivory Military Brushes, special for Saturday, at \$1.99. Rubber Sheeting, yard wide, special, at \$0.33c. 2-quart Red Rubber Fountain Syringe, 3 pipes, complete, special, at \$0.33c. Rubber Gloves, all sizes, special, at \$0.29c. Extra Specials. Locust Blossom, White Rose, Sweet Pea or Trailing Arbutus, Perfume, oz., 29c.

Children Like "Billiken" Shoes because they are so easy; they can't pinch, but will surely tickle. The "Billiken" Shoe is the greatest success ever developed in children's footwear. No Tacks, No Threads, No Nails to hurt the feet. They are made over Nature's own last. A pair of "Billiken" Shoes will outwear any ordinary pair of shoes, thereby saving you big money on your yearly shoe bill. They are made of all kidskin, patent leather and dull leather with dull kid tops, in lace and button styles. We have a complete stock of all sizes—call and let us show you the merits of the "Billikens." Every pair sold under a guarantee to give satisfaction. They are priced according to size.

Kodaks and Photo Supplies. The outing season is not complete without pictures of yourself and friends, and interesting outdoor scenes. Get a camera and enjoy the great outdoors more than ever, and at the same time get pictures that will be a delight next winter. No. 2-A Premo Camera, takes pictures 2 7/8 x 4 1/8 inches. Special, Saturday \$3.49. No. 2-A Brownie Camera, takes pictures 2 1/2 x 4 1/4 inches. Special \$3.00. No. 2 Folding Premo Camera, takes pictures 2 3/4 x 3 3/4 inches, special, at \$3.98. M. Q. Developer, special, at \$0.5c. A complete line of Kodak Albums \$1.96 to \$4.98. We do your developing free of charge when prints are ordered here. Headquarters for Eastman Kodaks.

Final Clearance Sale of Women's Low Shoes Offered Saturday at \$2.65. For final and quick clearance we have reduced the price of these Low Shoes to \$2.65. We started the clearance at \$2.85, but as we had 1,000 pairs to start with, there is a small lot remaining, which we want to clean up. We are offering you this last opportunity, which you shouldn't fail to take advantage of at such a low price. These shoes sold regularly at \$3.90 to \$7.00 and include such brands as Wright & Peters, Red Cross and Cotter Shoe Co. They will go fast at this unusual \$2.65 price, so come early Saturday and get a pair, at \$2.65. To Make It More Interesting, We Are Offering: Growing Girls' Mary Jane Pumps, patent leather, welted and stitched soles, sizes 2 1/2 to 6; former price \$2.75; special, for Saturday, at \$1.98. Infants' Ankle Strap Pumps, about 200 pairs in the lot. They are patent leather, light hand-turned soles with neat ornament on vamp; sizes 2 to 5; special, for Saturday, at \$0.98c.

Saturday Night Chicken Dinner Served from 5 to 8:30 P. M. 75c. Consomme Clear Queen Olives, Young Onions Radishes. 1/2 Roast Spring Chicken with Celery Dressing Creamed Mashed Potatoes Corn on Cob Lettuce and Tomato Mayonnaise Hot Rolls and Hot Corn Bread Green Apple Pie or Raspberry Pie a la mode, Coconut Custard Pie or Ice Cream and Chocolate Cake Tea Coffee Milk or Ice Tea. Green Room

"Announcement" Owing to business interests in the east I am obliged to close up my automobile business in this city and want to take this opportunity to extend to all my customers my most heartfelt thanks for their kind patronage and the many courtesies that they have shown me in all their dealings with this firm. We expect to close our books September 1st, and desire all claims against this firm be presented by that date. McSHANE MOTOR CO. F. J. McSHANE, JR., Pres. August 17, 1917.