Nebraska

BRIDGE OWNERS OBJECT TO SALE

Likely State May Be Forced to Build Another Bridge in Case Ashland Toll Structure Is Not Handed Over.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 10.—(Special.)—Progress of acquiring proprietorship of the Ashland toll bridge in conjunction with Saunders county has halted, the rumor being that certain stockholders among the farmers who own a good share of the stock, are unwilling to give up their holdings.

The owners of the Ashland bridge find themselves facing two propositions.

One of these is that the state will build a new free bridge across the Platte river at some near point, probably the state hatcheries, which will necessitate moving the Omaha-Lincoln-Denver automobile route to that point. This will mean that Ashland will not be on the O. L. D. route, which is a proposition which will probably not meet with very much favor by the Ashland business men.

According to the report filed with the railway commission, the bridge has been paying a 20 per cent income to its stockholders. The railway commission considers that the bridge is a common carrier and therefore under a ruling cannot pay its owners more than 7 per cent.

It is understood that both the rail commission and the state board of irrigation and highways is prepared to act on both directions in case the bridge company does not accept the offer of the state of the amount made. With a free bridge across the same river at a near point it is not likely that the toll bridge will be a very heavy paying proposition in the future.

Notes From Beatrice And Gage County

Beatrice, Neb., Oct. 10.—(Special.)—The Gage county Sunday school convention convened yesterday afternoon in the Baptist church for a two days' session with the largest attendance in the history of the association. Rev. N. L. Packard of Wahoo, formerly of Liberty, this county, retiring president, and S. A. Kinney were the speakers. In the evening Rev. Houseman and W. H. Kimmerly, the latter state Sunday school superintendent, were the speakers. These officers were elected at the evening session: President, Roy H. Floyd of Beatrice; vice president, S. A. Kinney of Wymore; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. D. P. Chamberlain of Beatrice.

The case of County Clerk E. M. Burnham and Blanche Gordon, who were arrested Monday evening at the former's home on the charge of disorderly conduct, was called before Judge Ellis yesterday and continued to November 8. They were released on bond. Burnham has a wife and one daughter.

William H. Hauenstine of this city and Miss Naomi Stewart of Wellman, Ia., were married here today by Rev. C. C. Cissell of the Methodist church. Mr. Hauenstine is manager of the headwear department for A. Palmer company of this city.

First Lieutenant Paul Colby of Company D, Seventh regiment, this city, received authority yesterday from Governor Neville to act as recruiting officer for the regiment in Gage county, and he will devote his entire time to the work. D company now has about ninety members, and it is the intention to increase this number to 150 within the next few weeks.

Although listed as a deserter by the local exemption board, John Derstler of Filley, who was ordered to leave with the Gage county contingent for Camp Funston last Saturday, reported to Sheriff Acton yesterday. He stated that he had left Filley before he received his notice to report and as soon as the notice was received he communicated with the sheriff. He said he was ready and willing to go and will be one of the men making up the last contingent from this county.

Samuel Diller, the station agent at Wilber, who was found in the freight depot a few weeks ago with his throat cut, and who has been receiving treatment at a hospital at Lincoln, has nearly recovered, and will be taken to the home of his son in Wyoming to recuperate. Although Diller stated that robbers made a murderous attack upon him in the depot, the finding of a bloody knife in the corner of the room has satisfied the people of Wilber that Diller made an attempt upon his life. A. Mr. Van Dusen of Friend has been appointed agent to succeed him at Wilber. Diller is 54 years of age and has a wife and four children. He has been in the employ of the Burlington for twelve years.

Belle Fourche Gets New Government Postoffice

Belle Fourche, S. D., Oct. 10.—(Special.)—R. O. Fellows, postmaster, has received authorization to advertise for bids for the construction of the new federal building to be erected in Belle Fourche on the Van Horn corner which was bought by the government some time ago for $4,500. The amount appropriated for this building in 1913 was $75,000. During June of this year the sum of $60,000 was set aside by the department for use in construction during the year ending July 1, 1918. Bids will be accepted in lump sum proposals for the entire work. Plans and specifications are to be on file with Mr. Fellows or the Treasury department, Washington, D. C., on and after October 18. Bids will be opened in Washington city on the 28th day of November. Time limits for construction of the building will no doubt be given out with the plans and specifications.

State Cannot Collect Tax On Land Formerly Outside

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Lincoln, Oct. 10.—(Special.)—The state of Nebraska cannot collect taxes on land formerly in South Dakota before the boundary line was determined, according to an opinion by Attorney General Reed today.

In 1905 an act was passed by the Nebraska legislature to determine the boundary line between South Dakota and Nebraska where the river had changed its bed leaving land formerly in one state in the other and vice versa. The right to collect delinquent taxes on these lands was put up by the county treasurer of Dakota county to the attorney gene-

CASHIER ELLIOTT IS HELD FOR TRIAL

Executive Officer of Defunct Farmers State Bank at Decatur Must Answer in District Court.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Lincoln, Oct. 10.—(Special.)—John E. Elliott, cashier of the defunct Farmers State bank of Decatur, was bound over to the Burt county district court today, charged with irregular conduct in his handling of the affairs of the bank. His bond was fixed at $1,000.

Attorney General Willis E. Reed, who is conducting the case for the state, wired the result to his office.

Elliott is charged with making fraudulent statements of the condition of the bank and receiving deposits when he knew the bank was incolvent.

The banking board had withheld action against Elliott until the affairs of the bank were cleared away, and the exact extent of his alleged maladministration could be ascertained.

He is charged with showing in his statement that at the close of business August 20, 1915, that the bank had $3,580.55 in real estate it did not have.

In the same statement he is charged with declaring other banks owed the Decatur bank $2,691.65, where they really owed it $681.65; and that cash on hand on this date was listed at $4,585.92, whereas it was only $2,585.61.

The amount Elliott borrowed from the bank and the amount of deposits he received when he is alleged to have known the bank was insolvent are not stipulated.

Elliott was reported ill and under the doctor's care for several months after his bank failed. He later recovered and went into the real estate business in that section of Nebraska.

Newspaper Man Ordered By Court to Give Informant

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 10.—(Special.)—Newspapermen are careful to respect confidences, but there is no law which puts reporters in a privileged class, according to Judge T. C. Munger of the federal court, who in response to a summons issued from the court ordered E. E. Wolfe, a reporter for the Lincoln Star, to answer questions before the federal grand jury as to where he got the information contained in a newspaper articcle written by him charging that United States District Attorney T. S. Allen had released certain men held for expressions of disloyalty to the government, without orders from the government.

After the court ruled against him Mr. Wolfe told the judge he would make a full report to the grand jury.

Pender Suicide Will Be Buried in West Point

West Point, Neb., Oct. 10.—(Special.)—The body of Clyde Sass, who committed suicide at Pender, was brought to this city for burial. He was born and lived here many years coming from a family of prominent pioneers. Interment will be in Mount Hope cemetery.

Fairbury Railroad Men Volunteer to Go to Russia

Fairbury, Neb., Oct. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—Three operating officials of the Rock Island railroad at this point have tendered their services to go to Russia to work on the railroads back of the eastern front. These men comprise General Foreman Bert Smith, Night Roundhouse Foreman Kavanaugh and Engineer J. E. Odey. They have sent in their applications to the company.

The company desires to obtain a number of faster mechanics, dispatchers and roundhouse foremen to make up a contingent of railroad men to go to Russia similar to the ones sent to France in the early summer. The men ha evbeen advised they will receive practically the same salary as they now get together with all expenses from the time they leave Americt until they return. The men are anxious to go to Russia. Last May five Fairbury men went to France.

LOAN ASSOCIATIONS BACK LIBERTY BONDS

Nebraska Organization in Session at Hastings Adopts Resolution Pledging Support in Campaign.

Hastings, Neb., Oct. 10.—(Special.)—Patriotism was the note and Liberty bond subscription the action which made notable the twenty-fifth annual meeting of the Nebraska League of Savings and Loan Associations in session here today. Representation was larger than usual, delegates being present from a majority of the associations of the state.

Sentiment was unanimously in favor of supporting the second Liberty loan to the limit, permitted by law, and resulted in the adoption of the following preamble and resolution.

Whereas, A brutal and relentless war is being waged by the forces of autocracy and military power, against the rising tide of democracy, as represented by democratic institutions and government, and

Whereas, The United States of America is the greatest and grandest democratic government ever established, resting upon principles which must be forever maintained, and

Whereas, Billions of money are needed to maintain the millions of men who go to the front in our defense, and

Whereas, The citizens of Nebraska are loyal and liberty loving people, and the building, savings and loan associations of the state, founded upon Nebraska homes, are intensely patriotic in their support of the government and the country, now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Nebraska League of Savings and Loan Associations, in convention assembled, hereby pledges to the president, the administration, and the country, its absolute loyalty, co-operation and support; and recommends that the Nebraska associations subscribe for $2,000,000 of the second Liberty bonds, such amount being approximately 3½ per cent of the assets of all the associations in the state, to the end that the principles of free government, justice and humanity may prevail, and that liberty shall not perish from the earth.

The general business of the session included an address by President Snavely of Lincoln, papers by T. J. Fitzmorris and William Baird of Omaha and round-table discussion of the effect of war on association activities, conducted by T. C. Patterson of North Platte.

Officers Elected.

These officers were re-elected:

E. F. Snavely, Lincoln, president; W. R. Adair, Omaha, and E. L. Hivelone, Beatrice, vice presidents; James J. Fitzgerald, Omaha, secretary-treasurer.

In an address on the financial situation, J. T. Fitzmorris of Omaha advised: "Shorten sail; keep close to the shore; require a large margin of security. If the storm does not come, no harm is done. If it does come, ours will be the gratification that comes from wise precautions and forehanded zeal in safeguarding the vast interests in your keeping."

Mrs. Claflin Made Head Of Nebraska W. C. T. U.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—The state convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance union elected the following officers this afternoon:

President Mrs. M. M. Clafin, University Place; vice president, Mrs. J. J. Bristow, Lincoln; recording secretary, Mrs. Maude Remington, Cambridge; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Letta G. Dyer, Boone; treasurer, Mrs. Laura Taggart, Omaha.

REAL LADY SMASHES A WORLD'S RECORD

Lowers Previous Mark for Three-Year-Old Trotters to 2:03; Lu Princeton Takes Ashland Stake.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 10.—A. H. Cosgen's grand filly, The Real Lady, driven by Thomas W. Murphy today reduced the world's record for three-year-old trotters, to 2:03, beating the record of 2:03½ made by Peter Volo here in 1914, in a trial against time. Murphy had a great day, for in addition to the performance of the Real Lady he drove two winners, Poorman in the pacing division of the futurity and Ruth Mainsheet in the two-year-old trot.

The best race of the day was the Ashland stake which went to Lu Princeton after five hard heats, the time of 2:04¼ setting a new world's record for a fifth heat, Royal Mack winning the first and third heats.

The 2:15 class pace went to Ardelle, driven by Ben Whitehead after six hard heats.

The result of today's racing leaves three drivers tied for first honors, Valentine, Murphy and Cox, having won four races each.

Summaries:

Pacing, 2:15 class (3 in 5), purse, $1,000:

Ardelle, ro. m., by Al Stanley (Whitehead)	2	1	2	6	1	1
The Squaw Man, br. g., by Mohenk (Nuckols)	4	4	1	5	2	2
Rich Allerton, b. g., by Charley Hayt (Lane)	7	2	5	4	3	3

Nova Sanders, Corvass, Albert O., Jude Sail, Walter Stone, Prestolite also started. Time: 2:08¾, 2:08½, 2:09½, 2:15, 2:08¾, 2:12¼.

The Ashland Stake, 2:18 trot (3 in 5), purse 3,000:

Lu Princeton, b. h., by San Francisco (Cox)	2	1	2	1	1	
Royal Mack, b. g., by Royal McKinney (Murphy)	1	3	1	2	3	

Time: 2:07½, 2:05, 2:06¾, 2:04¾, 2:05¾.

The Pacing futurity, 3-year-olds (3 in 5), purse, $2,000:

Poorman, br. ro., by The Northern Man (Murphy)	1	1	1
Abbie Dryad, blk. f. (Geers)	2	2	2
Donalola, ch. f (Wright)	3	4	2

Don Bunco, also started. Time: 2:10¾, 2:10¾, 2:11¾.

Two-year-old (2 in 3), purse, $1,000:

Ruth Mainsheet, br. f., by Main sheet (Murphy)	1	1
Holly Rood Bob, br. c. (Dodge)	2	2
Olive Fant, b. f. (McCarr)	3	3

Anna Davidson, Barbara Lee, Baron Oegantle, also started. Time: 2:10½, 2:11¾.

To beat 2:03¾, trotting:

The Real Lady, br. f. (Murphy), won.

Fractional time: 0:31, 1:02, 1:32, 2:03.

To beat 2:00¾, pacing.

Miss Harris M., br. m., by Peter The Great (McDonald), lost. Time: 2:01¼.

Tuesday's Summaries:

Trotting, 2:08 class, three in five, $1,000:

Bacelli, b. h., by Bingara (White)	9	10	2	1	1	1
Ross B., b. g., by Petronius (Wright)	1	1	3	6	3	2
Peter Chenault, b. h., by Peter the Great (Murphy)	7	6	1	2	2	ro

Lettie Lee, Harry J. S., Brescia, Brenville, Charley Rex, Daisy Todd, Spriggan, Straight Sail and Miss Wodbine also started. Time: 2:05¼, 2:05½, 2:05¼, 2:07, 2:06¾, 2:10½.

Pacing, 2:06 class, three in five, $1,000:

Helen Chimes, br. m., by The Magnet (Owen)	5	1	3	4	1	1
Young Todd, b. g., by Director Todd (Cox)	1	5	2	1	3	2
Peter Nash, ch. h., by Peter the Great (Russell)	3	3	1	2	4	ro

Barlight and Colonel Armstrong also started. Time: 2:05¼, 2:04¾, 2:04½, 2:08¾, 2:08¼, 2:14¾.

The Dinner stakes, special sweepstakes for 3-year-old trotters, two in three, $5,000:

Miss Bertha Dillon, ch. f., by Dillon Axworthy (Serrill)	1	1
Harvest Gale, b. f., by The Harvester (Cox)	2	2
Tacita, ch. f., by Atlantic Express (Fleming)	3	3

Time: 2:07¼, 2:08¼.

The Cumberland, 2:05 pace, two in three, $2,000:

Little Frank D., b. g., by Little Frank (Valentine)	1	1
The Savoy, blk. g. (Cox)	2	2
Peter Pointer, blk. h. (Snow)	3	3

Adloo Guy, Hal B., jr., and Thomas Earl also started. Time: 2:04¼, 2:05¾.

To beat 2:10 trotting:

Brownie Watts, br. m., by General Watts (Rodney). Time: 2:09½.

To beat 2:12¼ trotting:

Miss Lattela, b. m., by Aquillin (Valentine). Time: 2:11¾.

One Man at State House Labors Far Into the Night

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Lincoln, Oct. 10.—(Special.)—A widespread feeling has prevailed that the individual with a job at the state house had a snap. This may be the case in some instances, but there is one man who has anything but a snap, and he is Prof. Anton Sagle, chief clerk in the office of the governor.

Ever since Prof. Sagle entered the employ of the state he has been working nights at the statehouse. When the State Council of Defense was organized he offered his services as bookkeeper for that organization free of charge. As a result the work has compelled him to put in long hours, many times being well into the morning before he laid down his books and went to his sleep.

Spain Back to Normal

Madrid, Oct. 7.—Discontinuance of martial law throughout Spain was announced in a decree issued today.

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One of the present duties of this company has been to install a new street lighting system in Greater Omaha.

This would have been a comparatively simple matter in the days of peace, but even now, in spite of the tremendous demands of our busy and determined government upon the manufacturers of electrical supplies, progress has been made.

Material and appliances of this sort, including large quantities ordered by **Your Electric Service Company** for the Omaha improvement work, is often commandeered by our busy and determined government for use in certain of its fighting units. Yet despite this, the work has forged ahead.

In the principal streets of the business section 340 of the modern, double-standard lights, out of a total of 400 named in the plans, have been placed pursuant of orders by the city government, while 68 single-standard lights, out of 109, have also been installed. Besides these, until this date, 1,828 overhead lamps in other parts of the city have been newly installed or changed, out of a total of about 2,200.

Considering the indisputable fact that America's interests must come first with everyone during her hour of trial, **Your Electric Service Company** feels confident that patience will be exercised by those acquainted with the situation, and at the same time gives assurance that the new street lights will be placed, as ordered by the city, as rapidly as such orders and the receipt of material and supplies will permit.

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