Nebraska

GOVERNOR MAKES CHARGE AGAINST OFFICER OF GUARD

Neville Says Evidence Indicates Member of Statt Militia Aided Lincoln Cafe Owner in Overcharging for Meals.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 7 .- (Special.)-Sensational developments are expected which may involve a certain officer of the Nebraska National
Guard in connection with overcharges

means of giving the boy and girl back home a chance to work on the farm and keep up their school work at the made by Ernest F. Wright a Lincoln restaurant man, who now is under indictment to appear before the federal grand jury on a charge of defrauding the federal government out of \$1,000 for overcharging for meals furnished the Nebraska guardsmen while they were being mobilized in Lincoln before going to Deming, N. M.

The investigation has not proceeded far enough to warrant giving out the name of the officer who in coalition with Wright enlisted the latter to charge for more meals than was fur-

Governor Neville today issued the following instructions to Attorney General Reed directing him to investigate the records and proceed ac-cording to what he should discover: "There is herewith presented in-

formation gained as a result of an investigation recently conducted by this has been defrauded out of approxi-mately \$1,0000 by Ernest F. Wright, proprietor of the Wright Cafe of Lincoln, through the padding of claims for meals alleged to have been fur-nished members of the Nebraska Na-tional Guard at the time of the recent mobilization of the Nebraska regi-

"The information also indicates the possibility that this fraud was perpetrated with the assistance of a confederate in the office of the adjutant general. The records of the adjutant general's office are at your disposal and you are directed to make such further investigation as you may deem advisable, and institute such criminal or civil proceedings, or both as the best interests of the state would dictate."

Auto Skids Into Wood

Floyd Guyton of Eddyville, accompanied by Washburn and Gilbert Waffle of this community started to Miller Saturday night in Floyd's car Gregory, E. J. Sias, formerly pastor which was dtiched over the banks of Gregory, E. J. Sias, formerly pastor Wood river a half mile east of town. None of the boys were hurt.

A series of revival meetings closed Monday night after a five weeks' ses-Monday night after a five weeks session. The services were union, the Baptist, Rev. H. E. Wolcott, pastor; Swedish Free Mission, Rev. A. Klint, pastor, and the Methodist, Rev. W. T. Randolph, pastor, joined in these meetings and obtained Evangelist E. F. Clover of Minneapolis, Minn., to conduct the revival services.

Every one was in the beand the happy mood throughout the evening.

Defense Council to He Farmers Get Corrections, Minn., to conduct the revival services.

Kearney Students Help

Kearney, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special.)

"I Biffed the Kaiser, Your Turn Next," was a slogan adopted by Kearney normal students when they started their drive for Young Men's Christian association war fund dollars. The school, including faculty mem-bers, was asked to raise \$2,000, in pro-portion to the attendance. This portion to the attendance. This amount was exceeded by \$45 in a morning's drive. Practically every student at the school contributed to the fund, making an average of \$5 to the student, approximately 500 being in attendance there now.

help for husking of the corn crop and the husking season is still about two weeks off, much of the corn still being very soft. The council will see to it that help is available where needed.

Oxford Methodists Hold

Double Wedding for Two Brainard (Neb.) Couples

Red Cross Drive.

Minden, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special.)— Probably one of the most successful Red Cross entertainments that has been staged in Nebraska was given by the Minden chapter of the Kear-ney county Red Cross organization in Minden. The net proceeds of the entire undertaking amounted to \$750.

Gage County News Notes. Gage County News Noies.

Beatrice, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special.)—The committee of the Young Men's Christian association having in charge the war work campaign has announced the speakers this week for the bowns in the county. The Young Women's Christian association is assisting in the work, and Miss Hazel Butterfield, Miss Katherine Webb and Miss Dora Kidd will accompany the speakers.

H. M. Clopper, a pioneer of southern Gage county, died at his home at that place after an Illness of two weeks of heart trouble, aged 31 years. He is survived by his widow and four children, two daughters and two sons.

and two sons.

The board of superivisors met yesterday and opened bids for two steel span bridges hear Liberty. The Standard Bridge company's bid was \$4,300, but for some reason

the board rejected bids.

Anton and Howard Guenther, two little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Guenther, and a man named G. O. Parkhurst, came near being killed yesterday morning a mile north of Pickrell by being struck by the southbound Union Pacific passenger train due here at \$158. Mr. Parkhurst attempted to drive across the track when the engine struck the buggy, completely smashing it. The occupants escaped uninjured with the exception of Howard Guenther, who sustained an ugly gash in the forehead. He was brought to Pickrell for medical treatment.

word comes from Camp Cody, N. M., to the effect that Lieutenant J. Ed. C. Fisher of the Fifth regiment, has been promoted to the office of captain on Major Sterricker's gaff. Captain Fisher is a resident of

Clayton Moore, John Ford and Edward Scutzman, for the last few years in the imploy of the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph company, who recently enlisted in the signal corps, left today for Camp

siness men are making plans to hold eting here within the next few days to lize a home guards company for the see of protecting property against the of allen enemies

Nebraska Farmers Are Doing Their Bit in Food Conservation

This ear of corn was grown on Carl Jones' farm, known as the Davy place, one and a half miles southwest of Blair, Neb. It is said by Mr. Jones to be a fair sample of the crop harvested by him.

The ear is filled out almost perfect-

from end to end and there are more han 1,000 grains of corn on the cob. The picture shows that there are no faulty grains, even at the top. It is one of the finest of the many that have been sent to The Bee.

War Courses to Be Given At Nebraska University

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 7 .- (Special.)-'Warcourses" will be introduced by the University of Nebraska as a

same time. Beginning December 3 a special semester of school will open in prac-tically every department. This semester will dismiss early in the spring before planting operations and every student who completes the course will receive credit for one semester, or one-half of an entire year's work.

At the same time comes the announcement that the Christmas vacation at the state university will be shortened one week and other vacations proportionately, cutting off two weeks at the end of the university

The special semester will be independent of the regular school year and will last 17 weeks, closing early in April. The school of agriculture at the state farm will hold a special session at the same time, but it will last 13 weeks, closing early in March.

The college of agriculture, the coloffice, which indicates that the state lege of engineering, and the school of agriculture will offer all first-year courses together with any other subects that are in demand. The other colleges and departments will also offer anything for which there is sufficient request.

If the war continues, the same plan probably will be followed out next year, giving a person an opportunity to do an entire year's work by attending school two winters.

Community Club to Be Organized at Exeter

Exeter, Neb., Nov. 7 .- (Special.) Monday night was the opening night of a week's campaign toward the organization of a community club for Exeter and vicinity. Exeter people hope to promote through this club better farming, better business and loser and better relationship between River: No One Injured the country and town.

Fake Army Officer,

Who Duped Island

cal officer, with the rank of captain.

sponsibility on his part, but rather because his name had been used by McLane, even though without his

authority. Mr. Bartenbach reported

the case to the federal authorities.

This resulted in his arrest yesterday

Whether the arrest was on the charge of forging the checks here, or

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Sumner, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special.)—
Mrs. Tinsman, wife of Riley Tinsman, veteran of the civil war, is very low. Her condition is considered Cross and the net receipts were between \$85 and \$90.

R. Bordman of New York, National community experts. Mr. Boardman will be here all week.

Every one was in the best of spirits and the happy mood prevailed

Defense Council to Help

Farmers Get Corn Huskers

Kearney, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special.) The Council of Defense met Monday evening, members being called in drafted men were escorted to the sta-by Chairman Judge W. D. Oldham to tion and appeared to have some ac-Raise Y. M. C. A. War Fund make reports on the crop situation and prospects. The figures available are not sufficient to make a good county estimate and the chairman instructed all precinct officers to have of his presence in the city.

On that particular day he presented acreage of wheat in the county is to a check to William Reutlinger of acreage of wheat in the county is to be learned definitely. It was found that in but few places about the county would there be a shortage of

Big Patriotic Meeting

Oxford, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special.)— Buy a Liberty bond and be patriotic, Brainard, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special.)

A double wedding was performed at Junction City, Kan., when Miss Anna Dus of Brainard became the bride of Manley Falk and Miss Birdie Falk, sister of Manley, married Stanley Racek, a grain dealer of Brainard.

Probate Judge Daniel Hurley of Probate Judge Daniel Hurley of City officiated at the cerecago, reprenting the national pension board of the Methodist church, were the chief speakers in the interest of a fund of \$500,000 for preacher's pen-

Dairy Extension Expert Advises Farmers to Hold Cattle

mands.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 7 .- (Special.)-Nebraska farmers who are tempted to sell their dairy cattle on account of the high price of feed will do better in the long run to keep them, according to Prof. D. H. Propps, dairy extension specialist of the University of Nebraska. Within the next few years the dairymen of this country will have an opportunity to supply the world with breeding stock and dairy

"England, France and Germany are be applied along he line that he who immediate necessity for meat," says the proclamation business. Prof. Propps. "It is reported that the loss of dairy cows in the United Kingdom is already over 1,500,000; at the time Governor Neville went to in Germany over 450,000, and that Washington on business of more or Holland will be forced to slaughter less importance, the new acting govmore than 500,000 of her dairy ani-

Since two years are required to raise a cow to producing age and five years to bring her to maturity. it is certain that our foreign demand for dairy products will continue for several years even if the war should close immediately. Furthermore, the depletion of these herds will call not only for dairy products, but for breeding stock as well, and it may yet fall largely to the lot of the American farmer to supply both of these

"On account of her efficiency and economy of production the dairy cow will be called upon more and more as the war continues. The milk produced by a fairly good cow contains food nutrients equal to more than twice the nutrients produced by a well-fed steer in the same length of time and the cow does it on a ration consisting almost entirely of rough-age and by-products."

Fremont, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Relatives of Henry F. Grand Island, Neb., Nov. 7 .- (Special.)-Arrest of a young man claiming to be Captain Donald McLane, is epilepsy before their marriage. The reported to have taken place at St. Louis yesterday. And thereby ends tives of her husband that his health ginning the same day to raise \$35,000,-was good. She said a conspiracy had 000 for war work. another chapter of an interesting incident occurring in this city about a been formed among relatives to conceal the true condition of the defendant's health. Mrs. Diers asks for di-About that time there appeared here ant's health. Mrs. Diers asks for dia purported United States army medi- vorce and alimony.

He wore the regulation uniform of Private Soldier Killed

the United States army, and was immediately taken for what he purported to be. Without a suspicion of pos-Sidney, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special Telefram.)—Patrick F. Kane, private, Battery A, Troop B, at Fort Russell. sible duplicity, the young man found entrance to several of the city's best while beating his way on an east-bound Union Pacific freight last night families, including that of Henry Bartenbach, O. A. Abbott, jr., Mrs. S. R. Barton and others. He took was killed here. His body was found part in the parade when some of the along side the track six miles west of Sidney. Two privates, named Crow and Henry claimed that they did not quaintance with the medical work of the army. He was neat in appearknow that Kane was on the train although they admit that they were toance, polite in manner, and aroused suspicion only on the last day or two gether drinking at Chyenne. The two men were with Kane at Chyenne and jumped aboard the train for a lark. Kane formerly resided at St. Louis and he has a sister whose name is Nalson now living at Walla Walla. Kaufman's store, with whom he had become acquainted. This check was for \$125. At the Royal Chocolate

Lincoln Gas Co. Raises

shop he paid for his bills by check and also cashed a smaller check with A. A. Roser of the Commercial State (From a Staff Correspondent.) bank. When these various checks Lincoln, Nov. 7 .- (Special.)-Lincame in together at the end of the coln gas is to cost consumers \$1.25 per 1,000, according to a statment isday, they aroused the young banker's sued by the gas company today. The suspicion. The matter was taken up present price is \$1. with Henry Bartenbach, who stood good for them, not because of any re-

The company three weeks ago made application to the city commission to raise teh price, alleging taht the high cost of coal, labor, and other things was not enabling them to come out whole. The council denied the

upon a more grave charge, possibly, of falsely parading in the United States uniform is not known. It is believed here that he is not an officer in



NEBRASKA HERDS MAY SUPPLY WORLD

NEVILLE REVISES to Meet After-War De-

Friday as meatless day.

"The average production of dairy cows in these European countries is at least twice as much as the average production in our own country so governor's proclamation as null and that it really takes approximately two void, non-composmentis and other of our cows to produce as much as things. He switches Mr. Howard's one of theirs.

Big Foreign Demand.

demands.

Relatives of Diers Testify Wife Knew of His Condition

When Falls Off Train

Rate 25 Cents a Thousand

request and the company now puts

the raise into effect over the heads of the commission. 100 HEAD OF HOGS The city has won a long drawn out DIE; STRYCHNINE contention in the courts for \$1 gas and is now awaiting an opinion of the United States supreme court on the

validity of the action of the lower Wholesale Stock Poisoning at Kearney, Neb., Stirs Farmers; Investigation to HOWARD SCHEDULE

Telegram.)-Wholesale stock poison-Governor Neville and Lieutenng at Kearney, Neb., stirs farmers investigations to be made 100 head of hogs, property of the Carson Brothers, on their farm seven miles south of Elmire in Pehlps 'county, were poisoned Tuesday night. The Carson Lincoln, Nov. 7 .- (Special.) -- Gov. Brothers do not make their residence on the farm, and when they arrived ernor Neville and Governor Edgar in the morning many of the fine herd Howard have clashed and the saying, of hogs were found dead and others "He who laughs last laughs best," may dying

The wholesale poisoning has stirred sacrificing their herds to supply the proclaims last has a lead pipe cinch on the farmers in that community and a rigid search is being made to find When Lieutenant Governor Howard parties guilty of the crime. An autopsy was made today by a veterinary ascended to the gubernatorial throne developing that the poison used was Washington on business of more or strychnine mixed with feed.

Isolated cases of poisoning stock ernor got busy right away and pro- have been reported of late, but this is claimed Tuesday as wheatless day and the first instance in which an entire

Farmers' State Bank

(From a Statt Correspondent.) Lincoln, Nov. 7 .- (Special.) - The wheatless day to Wednesday and moves the acting governor's meatless Farmers' State bank of Gurley, a new town in Cheyenne county was given day up to Tuesday. Of course if Mr. Howard wants to boserve two meata charter by the state banking board

The bank has a capital of \$10,000 and teh officers are J. M. Levenson, president; L. G. Lowe, vice president, lege, as he cannot well be expected to and L. R. Rudd, cashier.

Drops Dead in Store.

"Inasmuch as confusion has arisen through the designation of Tuesday Stromsburg, Neb., Nov. 7.—(Special.)—The funeral of Mrs. John Anderson was held yesterday from her as wheatless day in Nebraska, while the federal authorities have designated Wednesday as wheatless day, and by home, seven miles northwest of here, the designation of Friday as meatless Mrs. Anderson dropped dead in Ochsner Brothers' store here Saturday, whereas the national administration have asked the observance of day night. Death was due to heart trouble, which Mrs. Anderson has Tuesday as meatless day, in order that been afflicted with for some time. Mrs. Anderson was 25 years old, and leaves a husband and two small chilwheatless day, in accordance with the federal food administration plan and at the special request of the food ad-ministrator for Nebraska."

Governor Calls Attention To Purity Sunday, Nov. 11

ant Governor Differ as to

Proper Meatless and

Wheatless Days.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Now Governor Neville reascends

the throne and declares the acting

go back on his own proclamation.

The new proclamation reads:

.... Neville's Proclamation.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 7 .- (Sepcial.)-Governor Neville has set apart No-Diers the young farmer of Crowell vember 11, as a day when special at-Men, Is Arrested who is being sued for divorce by tention shall be paid by those interschool teacher, took the stand in the life. Purity congress will then begin denfendant's behalf in district court session at Louisville, Ky., and the day and testified that the plaintiff knew will be known nationally as Purity the denfant was subject to attacks of Sunday.

The governor also calls attention plaintiff denied the statements, and to the campaign the Young Men's declared she had been told by rela- Christian association is making be-

Auto Plates Must Be Deferred (From a Staff Correspondent.)

Lincoln, Nov. 7 .- (Special.) - According to a letter being sent out to county treasurers by Secretary of State Poole applications for number plates for automobiles for next year must not be made to county treasurers until November 24.

Be Made.

Kearney, Neb., Nov. 7 .- (Special

herd perished.

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