

## Nebraska

POOL TAKES VIEW  
LAW PROVIDES FOR  
SOLDIERS' VOTE

Secretary of State, Backed by  
Former State Legal Officer,  
Holds No Need to Call  
Extra Session.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Secretary of State Charles Pool refuses to agree with the governor over calling a special session of the legislature to re-enact a law allowing soldiers to vote.

Governor Neville believes the law is non-compus mentis, or something like that and that it is not broad enough to meet the present situation.

Secretary of State Pool says the law is broad enough in that it gives him the power to fix things up without the necessity of going to the expense of a special session. In this contention he is backed up by former Deputy Attorney General Dexter T. Barrett.

## Cite the Constitution.

There are two provisions of the constitution, according to these experts, which have been assumed to apply to the situation as follows:

Section 3, Article 7 of the constitution reads: "Every elector in the actual military service of the United States or of this state, and not in the regular army, may exercise the right of suffrage at such place and under such regulations as may be provided by law."

Section 4 of the same article says: "No soldier, seaman or marine in the army and navy of the United States shall be deemed a resident of the state in consequence of being stationed therein."

## Contention of Pool.

Messrs. Pool and Barrett contend electors of this state in the military service of the United States or of the state may vote under such regulations as are provided by law, provided they are not in the regular army and that the words, "in the regular army" in section four of the constitution refers specifically to persons, who are not electors of this state, but may be electors of some other state and merely stationed in this state.

They further claim that when the legislature passed the act of last winter it provided that "every elector of the state who is in the military service of the state or the United States and because of said service is absent on election day, he shall be entitled to vote as such elector." The act provides for the appointment of commissioners by the governor, and among the duties required of them is "in proper season to proceed to the several camps, fortresses, or where military organizations or units of electors of this state are stationed to receive the ballots of such soldiers as are electors of this state, which said ballots shall be received by the commissioners not more than 30 nor less than 10 days prior to the first Monday preceding any special or general election."

## How Power Derived.

The question has been raised that it will be a physical impossibility for the commissioners to visit each place as provided, but the claim is made that the commissioners may appoint sufficient deputies to carry out the law.

The secretary of state has the power under the act itself, so they claim, to adopt and enforce any rule or order necessary to carry out the requirements of the law and quote section 3 of the measure.

Secretary of State Pool insists that it is not necessary to go to the expense of calling an extra session to fix up the law. The legislature in its economical spasm failed to provide any appropriation for putting the law into effect, and Mr. Pool is of the opinion that a deficiency can be created to cover the expense and thus save the expense of calling the legislature together to fix up a bill that already gives power to the secretary of state to fix up.

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Half of Y. M. C. A. War Fund Is Raised at Beatrice

Beatrice, Neb., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—About half of the Young Men's Christian association budget fund of \$5,000 has been raised, but the committee will not work this week, because of the drive in the sale of thrift stamps.

The eastbound Rock Island passenger train on the Fairbury Horton branch was stalled in a snow drift Friday night and was unable to get through until Saturday night, being nine hours behind schedule time.

A telegram was received here Saturday from Camp Cody, N. M., to the effect that Lieutenant Robert Emery of this city, who has been seriously ill of pneumonia, was reported slightly improved. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Emery, and is a member of the 134th infantry, U. S. A.

The 30th annual banquet of the Dempster Mill Manufacturing company, which was held in firemen's hall Saturday evening, was attended by 175 of the branch house managers, department heads and traveling salesmen. J. W. Burgess was the toastmaster.

Hammond Says Roosevelt Should Be War Secretary

Aurora, Neb., Jan. 13.—(Special.)—That there should be a coalition cabinet formed at once with Theodore Roosevelt as secretary of war, was the suggestion made today at the men's meeting of the Young Men's club, by Ross C. Hammond of Fremont.

"Nothing in the world would send so many cold chills down the spine of the kaiser as that one thing," he declared. Mr. Hammond was greeted by the largest gathering of men in the history of the city. Because the gymnasium of the Young Men's Christian association would not hot take care of the crowd, Secretary Elmer obtained use of the Christian church. Every available seat and chair was filled. Some men stood up during the two hours in which the Fremont editor and orator told his graphic story of the visit of his party on the western front.

NEARLY 5,000 MEN  
ENLISTED IN STATE

Omaha Army Recruiting Station Compiles Figures Showing Credits That Will Be Made to Draft Board.

The Omaha army recruiting station reports it enlisted 4,825 men in Nebraska up to January 1, 1918. Enlistments will be credited to the various local boards on the basis of 1910 population. Alliance leads the cities of Nebraska for enlistments in proportion to population. A comparative statement of the number of enlistments shows the following rank for the first 14 cities:

	Population	Enlistments
Alliance	3,103	42
Beatrice	9,987	41
Calverton	625	39
Central City	2,428	35
Premont	9,245	33
Grand Island	11,595	32
Hastings	20,252	30
Hartington	1,413	29
Kearney	8,202	24
Norfolk	6,925	24
Omaha	132,274	1,272
Sidney	1,183	45
York	6,250	29

## Credits for Draft.

The following enlistments will be credited to the local boards on the next draft quota:

	Population	Enlistments
Adams	29,800	311
Beatrice	14,093	29
Arthur	1,392	29
Beatrice	1,444	3
Blain	1,472	3
Boone	1,415	3
Box Butte	6,131	24
Boyd	8,826	41
Brown	5,028	39
Butte	21,097	32
Burt	12,725	39
Butler	15,408	35
Cass	19,786	72
Cedar	15,191	98
Chase	3,413	13
Cherry	10,471	13
Cheyenne	4,591	24
Clay	16,729	40
Colfax	11,619	58
Cuming	15,592	20
Custer	26,688	40
Dakota	8,564	37
Davis	1,154	37
Dawson	1,521	32
Deuel	1,786	12
Dickson	11,477	47
Dodge	32,145	88
Douglas	158,156	1,319
Dundy	4,408	10
Fillmore	1,472	10
Franklin	10,302	30
Frontier	8,572	10
Furnas	12,083	21
Gage	20,325	85
Garden	3,528	4
Garfield	5,417	2
Gosper	4,832	9
Grant	1,097	5
Greeley	8,047	11
Hall	29,531	152
Hamilton	13,459	33
Harlan	9,575	13
Havens	7,011	1
Hitchcock	5,415	9
Hall	15,515	69
Hooker	981	3
Howard	10,753	14
Jefferson	16,532	42
Johnson	10,187	14
Kearney	9,496	42
Keith	5,992	14
Keyapaha	5,452	19
Kimball	1,942	19
Knott	18,858	512
Lancaster	82,293	512
Lincoln	158,884	1,319
Logan	1,521	5
Loup	2,138	5
McPherson	2,476	5
Madison	19,010	42
Merrick	19,579	42
Morrill	4,591	19
Nance	8,926	19
Nemaha	12,499	19
Nicholls	18,918	42
Otoe	19,322	31
Pawnee	10,582	31
Perkins	5,586	26
Phelps	19,451	26
Pierce	10,123	26
Pinto	19,006	26
Polk	10,621	26
Red Willow	11,056	26
Richardson	17,448	26
Rock	16,521	26
Saline	17,866	26
Sarpy	9,574	19
Sanders	21,179	82
Scottsbluff	8,289	19
Sheridan	7,228	32
Sherman	8,278	32
Sioux	5,598	5
Stanton	7,452	10
Thayer	14,775	32
Thomas	1,191	19
Thurston	8,704	19
Valley	9,480	19
Washington	12,738	67
Wayne	10,397	16
Webster	12,008	16
Wheeler	2,292	26
York	15,721	47

## Funeral of Judge Wilson

Next Wednesday at Kearney

Kearney, Neb., Jan. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—The funeral of Judge John Wilson, police magistrate, who died Sunday, will be held Wednesday afternoon, under direction of the Masons. Judge Wilson was 86 years of age. He is survived by a wife, two sons and one daughter. He served two terms as sheriff of Buffalo county and once, prior to that, was deputy sheriff of Henry county, Ill.

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The Old Age Sign  
Double Crossed

"Don't let gray hair make you look years older than you are. It is now an easy matter to tint gray, faded or bleached hair in a harmless way. The new preparation, 'Brownstone', is proving so popular that thousands of people of refinement and many leading hair-dressers are now using this wonderful product exclusively.

"Brownstone" meets every demand and fulfills every test required of it, and is so simple to use that no previous experience is necessary. Comes ready for use—no mixing and is entirely free from lead, sulphur, silver, zinc, mercury, aniline, coal-tar products or their derivatives. There is no danger of irritation or a poisoned scalp when you use "Brownstone," because it is guaranteed harmless.

Produces the most beautiful shades from light golden to the deepest brown or black. Will not rub or wash off and cannot be detected. Most all leading druggists everywhere now sell "Brownstone" in two sizes, 35c and \$1.15, and in two colors—one to produce "golden or medium brown," the other "dark brown or black."

Get a 35c bottle from your dealer today, or if you prefer a sample bottle with interesting book will be mailed on receipt of 10c to help pay postage and packing charges, if sent to the manufacturers.

Sold and guaranteed in Omaha by Sherman & McConnell Drug Co. and other leading dealers.

**FREE TRIAL BOTTLE COUPON**  
The Kenton Pharmaceutical Company,  
629 Copping Bldg., Covington, Ky.  
Please send me your trial bottle of BROWNSTONE Hair Stain. I enclose 10c (either in stamps) to help pay postage and packing.

Name.....  
Address.....  
Town.....State.....  
Do you wish golden, medium, dark brown or black?  
State which.....

## NECKTIES, 10c

Ties, Belts, Jabots, Suspenders, Garters, Hose, Fancy Handkerchiefs, Collars and Mufflers cleaned and pressed, 10c. Gloves, 15c.

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Webster 392.

nois. He acted as president of the Nebraska State Volunteer Firemen's association for three years and also served several terms on the city council here. He was a past commander, Knights Templar and at the time of his death officiated in his second term as police magistrate.

Lane Cancels Engagement  
To Speak at War Meeting

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane, today expressed in the following telegram to Prof. M. M. Fogg, director of the Bureau of Speakers and Publicity of the State Council of Defense, his engagement to speak at the Nebraska War conference mass meeting here Friday night:

"I regret very much that you have had to ask Mr. Bester to release me from my promise to speak in Lincoln, but my son who is a lieutenant in the aviation corps is sailing for France next week and Mr. Lane and I must see him off. I had hoped to be able to take part in these war conferences, and it is with a great deal of regret that I find I am not going to be able to do so."

Secretary Lane's place will be taken by President George E. Vincent of the Rockefeller Foundation, New York, formerly president of the University of Minnesota. He will speak with the Rt. Hon. Frederick E. Smith, Bart., attorney general of England.

Most Old People  
Are Constipated

The wear of years impairs the action of the bowels. As people grow older they restrict their activity, neglect to take sufficient exercise, and indulge a natural disposition to take things easy. The digestive organs become more sensitive to the demands made upon them and rebel more quickly.

It is of special importance to the health of elderly people that the bowels be kept normally active. A mild, yet effective, remedy for constipation, and one that is especially suited to the needs of old folks, women and children, is the combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin sold in drug stores under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It costs only fifty cents a bottle, and should be in every family medicine chest. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 456 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois.

DOCTOR GIVES RECIPE  
FOR GRAY HAIR

Well Known New York Physician Gives Recipe for a Home-Made Gray Hair Remedy.

A. L. Paulson, M. D., who has practiced medicine in New York City for many years, gave out the following recipe for home-made gray hair remedy: "Gray, streaked or faded hair can be immediately turned black, brown or light brown, whichever shade you desire, by the following simple remedy that you can make at home:

"Merely get a small box of Orlex powder at any drug store. It costs only 25 cents and no extras to buy. Dissolve it in one ounce of water and comb it through the hair. Full directions for use come in each box.

"You need not hesitate to use Orlex, as a \$100.00 gold bond comes in each box guaranteeing the user that Orlex does not contain silver, lead, zinc, sulphur, mercury, aniline, coal-tar products or their derivatives.

"It does not rub off, is not sticky or greasy and leaves the hair fluffy. It will make a gray-haired person look twenty years younger."—Adv.

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Absolutely Removes  
Indigestion. Druggists  
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When work exhausts your strength, when your nerves are irritable and restless, when ambition lags and you feel rundown, you need and need quickly the rich, creamy, nourishing food in

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to check your wasting powers, enliven your blood and build up your nerve force. SCOTT'S is helping thousands and will give you the strength you need.

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You Cannot Expect  
To Have a Clear  
Complexion

By Constantly Massaging It With So-called Skin Foods or Creams, Often Rancid or Gummy. Substitute Cuticura.

Contrast the purity, fragrance, comfort, and convenience of these super-creamy emollients with "beauty fads" so common, tiresome and expensive. A bath with Cuticura Soap and hot water on rising and retiring thoroughly cleanses and stimulates sluggish pores, giving the complexion a fresh healthy glow. If signs of pimples, redness or roughness be present smear them with the Ointment and let it remain five minutes before bathing. Nothing purer, sweeter or more effective for your skin and hair than Cuticura.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address postcard: "Cuticura, Dept. 22, Boston." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25c and 50c.

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For Weeks  
to Come  
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Each day our sales of Billiken Shoes mount higher, for each day hundreds of folks are discovering something about the Billiken Shoes their children wear that's different and better than other shoes—maybe the soft, pliable uppers; maybe the flexible soles, most as soft as the uppers, but still tough as the oak that helped tan them; maybe the exclusive lasts that help the feet grow properly and shapely—but why not learn all this for yourself and profit by the added comfort to your child and to yourself in the way they wear? Made of all kidskin, patent leather and dull leather with dull kid tops, in lace and button styles.

"Billiken" Shoes are sold here exclusively in Omaha and we took over this sole agency because we found, upon investigation, that they were the best Shoes for children that we could carry.

No nails or thread welts to annoy or pinch little feet—round toes and full width for comfort. Low heels and no heels and SOLID COMFORT FOR EVERY LITTLE ONE WHO WEARS THEM.

As the foot is shod in early years, so it is inclined for later life, and in order to insure comfort, do not permit your child to wear any but the best Shoes you can get—WE THINK THIS MEANS "BILLIKEN."

Priced according to style and sizes.



Main Floor, Rear

A Babywear Department  
Complete in Its Appointments

We are offering the best of all wear for Little Tots in this Third Floor Babywear Department, and all at the most modest prices. Mothers can come here with every confidence that their money will be expended to the very best advantage. Located on the Third Floor, away from the hurry and bustle of the store, mothers may come here and shop in quiet and at leisure, always assured of the best of service and satisfaction.

Here is just a mention of some of the items that are timely for Baby's comfort.

Fur Carriage Robes, for the comfort of the infant; prices are from \$3.95, \$5.00, \$5.95 up to \$10.00. Bonnets, Corduroy and silk, silk lined, very daintily trimmed with pleated ribbons, in all the various shades; prices ranging from \$1.00 to \$5.00. Infants' Quilted Robes, warm and comfortable, quilted of plain and colored silks and satins, ranging in price from \$3.95 to \$12.50. Baby Dresses of Pique and Rep, with dainty colored embroideries, also hand scalloped, ranging in price from \$1.69 to \$5.00. Infants' Bath Robes, from two to six years, prices ranging from \$1.00 up to \$1.95. Infants' White Enamel Furniture, beautiful cribs, robes and bassinets, with hand painted designs and daintily decorated with ribbon.

Third Floor

Veils  
Are Popular

THERE IS NO MISTAKING the present preference in the matter of Fashion in Veils. The Drape Veils have the call, almost to the exclusion of all others. We are showing and selling the following as among the best of the new styles.

Circular and Mesh Veils with scroll patterns and heavy Chenille edges. Everything in loose Drape Veils including the Red Cross Veil. Circular Veils, are \$1.75 to \$2.98. Mesh Drape Veils, are \$1.00 to \$2.98. Scroll patterns with Chenille edges \$1.00 to \$2.98. Red Cross Veils, are \$1.25 to \$3.95.

Main Floor

Knitting, Crochet-  
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Taught Here  
FREE OF CHARGE

Mrs. Schwartz will be glad to show you how to do any of these things in the most efficient way. We have just received a new shipment of light and dark Gray and Khaki Yarns for the army and navy knitting.

Third Floor, Art Embroidery.

Warm Mittens  
For Women and  
Children

Keep the little hands from being frost-bitten. At the low price we offer these, surely it would be well to purchase two or more pairs. Splendid for school wear.

Women's and Children's (Boys' and Girls') Good, Warm Mittens, in black, gray, brown and navy, specially priced, a pair 25c

Main Floor

## Notions and Sewing Needs

There is so much importance attached to the keeping of your Sewing Basket well filled, that no woman will want to miss the opportunity of purchasing the things she needs at such savings as this announcement offers.

O. N. T. Crochet Cotton, 3 balls ..... 25c  
Coat Hangers, each ..... 5c  
Rust-Proof Dress Clips, a card ..... 5c  
Rust-Proof Safety Pins, a card ..... 5c  
Rust-Proof Hooks and Eyes, a card ..... 5c  
Shell Hair Pins, 6 for ..... 5c  
Skirt Belting, a yard ..... 10c  
Darning Cotton, 2 spools for ..... 5c

San-Silk, 6 spools ..... 25c  
Knitting Cotton, a ball 5c  
Merrick's Thread, six spools for ..... 25c  
100-Yard Spools Sewing Silk, a spool ..... 5c  
Hose Supporters, a pair, for ..... 10c  
Shopping Bags, each ..... 15c  
Dust Caps, each ..... 10c  
3 for ..... 25c  
Wash Edging, 3 bolts 25c  
Large Bolts Bias Tape, 3 bolts for ..... 25c

Main Floor, Rear

The Great Drive  
IS ON

BUY  
War Savings  
Stamps  
And As Many As  
You Can

War Savings Stamps are "Baby Bonds" issued by the government of the United States in the form of stamps or stickers.

When one buys the first 25c stamp a card is given with room for 15 more stamps of this size, and when the card is full (16 stamps at 25c each will fill it), bring this \$4.00 worth of stamps to the Postoffice in this store and with an additional payment of 12 cents you will get in return a stamp that is redeemable on January 1, 1923, for \$5.00. This gives you 4% on the money you invest.

When you get the first \$5.00 stamp you are given a certificate card with your name written on it. It has spaces for 20 stamps, and when filled has a value of \$100, redeemable January 1, 1923. If you get it partly filled, each stamp has a value of \$5.00.

No one may purchase more than 1,000 worth of War Savings Stamps.

If you register at the postoffice when you purchase stamps, even if you lose the stamps, or they are burned, you will get your money when the time comes. Buy as many stamps as you can in this postoffice in this store.

Main Floor, Pompeian Room.

Knit Underwear  
Warm, Well Fitting,  
Comfortable

For women, boys and children, here are a few items that will give you a fairly good idea of the moderate prices that prevail in this Third Floor Underwear Department. Complete stocks and full range of sizes give you the opportunity to shop here with the surety of certain satisfaction. The cold weather we have had is just a sample