

HALL COUNTY BAR ASKS FAIR TRIAL ON PLOT CHARGES

Members Pledge United Support to Nation, and Offer Services to Prosecute Free in Sedition Cases.

Grand Island, Neb., June 19.—(Special.)—Pledging their individual and united support to the nation in every way possible and tendering to the Council of Defense and the county attorney their services free of charge in any sedition cases, the members of the Hall county bar, in a meeting here resolved in addition that it is one of the fundamental principles of the government that all men charged with the commission of a crime are entitled to a fair hearing before an impartial tribunal, and that no odium shall attach to any attorney when requested or appointed, if he acts as counsel for such accused person.

The resolution expressed the hope that the people will look at this matter in a fair way and will not condemn an attorney for defending a man accused, provided that no obstacles are thrown in the way of a fair hearing, that there be no unnecessary delay and the employment of no technicalities.

Two Men Held by Sheriff On Swindling Charge

Lincoln, June 19.—Two men, one of whom is alleged to have represented himself to be a "near relative of Provost Marshal General Crowder," were under arrest here today on suspicion of having attempted to obtain illegally \$50,000 from Jacob Wirtzle, wealthy farmer near Burr, Neb.

Ogallala Preparing Grounds For Big Show and Carnival

Ogallala, Neb., June 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The roundup committee is completing arrangements for a big show by the McMahon Carnival company. An extensive midway will be arranged on the grounds. Many of the concessions have been taken. The four-story hotel, which is being built by the Northwestern company of Omaha has been signed up. All club members will turn out Friday to do repair work on the grounds.

100-Degree Heat Damages Wheat At Grand Island

Grand Island, Neb., June 19.—(Special.)—The continued heat, which has now averaged over 100 degrees for seven days, accompanied by the larger part of the time by strong winds, has particularly affected the wheat crop throughout this section of the state. Members Hannon and Hauke of the Council of Defense, from the extreme northwestern portion of the county, were in the city and declared that if wheat could now make a half crop it would be doing well. Reports by observers traveling through Howard county, on the north, and Buffalo and Custer counties, on the west, declare that in these regions where the crops have had additional rains the situation is better, but in Hamilton county, to the east, the wheat is burning up rapidly.

Legislative Filings.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, June 19.—(Special.)—A. D. Scott, editor of the Edgar Sun and four or five other papers in that county, also of the Nebraska Printer, and secretary of the Nebraska State Press association, has filed for the democratic nomination for the state senate from the 19th district, composed of the counties of Clay and Adams.

Nebraska News Notes

Miss Hazel Morrow's arm was broken while four other occupants of a car were thrown into a ditch near Filley, Tuesday night.

B. G. Watkins of Nehawka has a can candidate for supervisor in Gage county.

Gage county crops are reported generally to be in fine condition. Much corn has been replanted. Wheat and oats along the Burlington between Beatrice and Kansas City are excellent.

B. G. Watkins of Nehawka has a cane which was cut a few feet from Lincoln's cabin. The cane has quite a history and is a very interesting relic. Mr. Watkins has presented it to the Red Cross to be sold.

Lewis Ganzel of Otoe county has held office on the school board of District No. 70 for the past 32 years.

One of the most loyal residents of Otoe county lives near Unadilla. He has his house painted white, the barn red and the corn crib blue.

Louisville will hold a big Fourth of July celebration and flag raising. Judge James T. Begley has been secured to deliver the address.

C. C. Cox of Murdock sold his farm of 80 acres for \$24,000, or \$300 per acre.

Wallace Whitson, a farmer of the Fontanelle vicinity was thrown from a wagon in a runaway, his leg being broken.

An engine, left standing on the Burlington tracks at Cedar Creek, Tuesday, ran wild, derailing the way-car. A young man boarded the engine at Louisville and succeeded in stopping it.

Nebraska Editors Begin Annual Social Session In Omaha This Evening

The annual social session of the Nebraska Press association opens this evening. Inasmuch as the scribes of Nebraska and their wives usually take their vacation at this period, Omaha has provided fully for their entertainment. Hotel Fontanelle is headquarters.

The festivities begin with a dinner by the supply houses of Omaha at the Rome hotel. The address of welcome will be delivered by E. A. Brogan, acting for C. C. George, president of the Omaha Chamber of Commerce, who has been called to Washington. The response will be made by C. B. Cass of Ravenna, Neb., president of the Nebraska Press association, who will introduce Gurdon W. Watters, food administrator of Nebraska, the speaker of the evening.

Filings Must Be Made On or Before July 20, Is Latest Opinion Given

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Lincoln, June 19.—(Special.)—What constitutes 30 days before the primary has again been put up to the legal department of the state.

Deputy Attorney General Rowe, in the absence of Mr. Reed, holds that as the primary this year will be held August 20, all filings must be made not later than up to and including July 20.

Rev. Birmingham Out for Congress as Prohibitionist

Lincoln, June 19.—(Special.)—Rev. T. M. C. Birmingham of Milford will be a candidate for the prohibition nomination for congress from the Fourth district. This year he has started out on the prohibition ticket and exhibits as a part of his platform a sermon made by him which Senator George W. Norris was successful in getting into the Congressional Record.

Union Pacific Railway To Take Off Motor Cars

Lincoln, June 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The Union Pacific will be permitted to take off 16 trains and motor cars now running on branch lines. The State Railway commission late this afternoon issued the order. The order will stand for one year.

Die Post May Suspend.

Beatrice, Neb., June 19.—(Special.)—Emil Schultz, editor of Die Nebraska Post of this city, who was recently notified by the Defense Council that he must print his paper in English after July 1, states that he may suspend the publication.

NATION TO TAKE PART IN STATE FAIR EXHIBITS

Nebraska and South Dakota Included in Circuit, After Appeal; Iowa Promised Anthracite Relief.

Washington Bureau of The Omaha Bee, 1311 G Street.
(From a Staff Correspondent.)
Washington, June 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The Nebraska delegation, at the suggestion of Judge Kinkaid, dean of the delegation, today urged upon Prof Lampon Scribner of the Department of Agriculture, expert on agricultural exhibits, the very great importance of including Nebraska and Iowa in a state fair circuit. So persistent were the members in behalf of the government making an exhibit at the Lincoln state fair this fall that a government board meeting was held and Nebraska and South Dakota were made into an additional circuit for government exhibition purposes.

Congressman Dan V. Stephens has sent his filing to the secretary of state of Nebraska for congress on the democratic ticket from the Third Nebraska district, his platform being to prosecute the war to a victorious conclusion.

Iowa Asks Coal Relief.

Gov. Harding, of Iowa, representatives from commercial bodies of the state and the entire delegation in congress had a long conference today with representative of the fuel administration, protesting against the recent order of the fuel administrator that Iowa could not have anthracite coal. After an all-morning combat, it was announced that Iowa would be permitted to have some anthracite coal at least. This was the first concession the Iowans have had since the coal situation became serious.

Senator Hitchcock today filed a protest with the fuel administration against the embargo on anthracite coal for Nebraska, insisting that no state should be cut off entirely from anthracite coal.

Northwestern Safety Board Holds Meeting at Fremont

Fremont, Neb., June 19.—(Special.)—The monthly meeting of the division safety committee of the Northwestern was held with 50 members in attendance. R. C. Richards, general agent of Chicago, made a talk on the importance of observing safety first rules. The members had luncheon at Hotel Pathfinder.

Plans for the registration of all male persons in Dodge county over the age of 16 years have been completed by Ray Nye, chairman of the Dodge County Council of Defense. The registration in Fremont will take place Friday. Polls will be open from 1 to 9 p. m. In the country districts the precinct chairmen of the defense council will have charge.

Stricken With Paralysis.

Plattsmouth, Neb., June 19.—(Special.)—Mrs. Anna Goos, for 50 years a resident of Plattsmouth, who was born in Germany 77 years ago, was stricken with paralysis in Milwaukee Monday.

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LOTHROP 24th and Lothrop DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS, in "HEADIN' SOUTH"

HAMILTON 40th and Hamilton THEBA BARA, in "ROSE OF BLOOD"

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Don't Miss Wake-Up America War Pictures June 19 and 20 AUDITORIUM Free Admission

BASE BALL OMAHA vs. DES MOINES June 18, 19, 20, 21. ROURKE PARK Friday, June 21, Ladies' Day Games Called 6:45.

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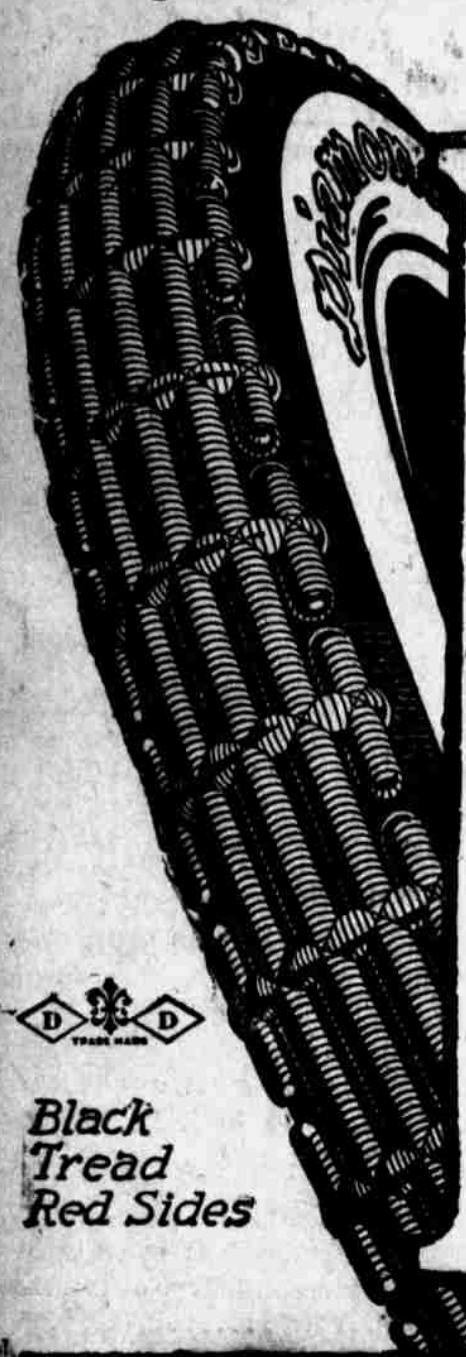
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