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Another Respite Granted Slayings in Nebraska Prison. Lincoln, June 3.—(Special)—Anson V. Cole and Vincent Grammer have been respite by Governor McKelvie, the date of the electrocution of the two men now being extended to Friday, July 9.

Special Luncheon. The Paxton hotel. Main cafe.—Adv.

FILMLAND LOVE IS ALL WRONG, 21 GRADS ARE TOLD

Home Building and Rearing of Children Urged By Bishop at Commencement.

Diplomas were presented to 21 graduates of the University of Omaha at the commencement exercises held last night.

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"It is difficult to believe that the senate will give serious consideration to a report so out of harmony with the best thought of our time, and so full of the possibilities of dire consequence to our people and our nation as well as to a neighbor republic with which we are at peace."

The report calls for American aid to Mexico providing Mexico agrees to the terms of the report. This is an American proposition. It is a Prussian proposition. It must be set aside by the popular opinion and fair judgment of our people."

State Chamber of Commerce Organized at Hastings Meet

Hastings, Neb., June 3.—(Special Telegram)—In the adoption of a new constitution, the State Association of Commercial clubs, which closed its annual convention here, was converted into the Nebraska Chamber of Commerce. It will affiliate with the national chamber and invites the active participation of all community and commercial bodies in the state. In the new form it is expected to operate more effectively for business welfare. Frank Beels of Norfolk was elected commissioner.

Confer on Free Bridge Plans

Mayor Zurmuehlen of Council Bluffs Mayor Smith of Omaha conferred Wednesday on the plans for the free bridge over the Missouri river between the two cities. Mayor Zurmuehlen stated he would not announce the personnel of the Bluffs committee of seven until the Bluffs real estate men return from the convention in Kansas City. The banquet for the two committees appointed by the two mayors, at which definite plans will be laid, will probably be held next Tuesday night in Omaha.

LACK OF HOUSES RETARDS GROWTH, LARSON DECLARES

Commissioner of Chamber Tells Concord Club Building Program Is Needed.

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Nebraska Marine Is Wounded During Riot; Injuries Not Serious

Chicago, June 3.—Rear Admiral Frederick B. Bassett, commandant at the United States naval training station at Great Lakes, Ill., forbade enlisted men to visit Waukegan, Ill. He took this action because of race rioting between marines, sailors, civilians and negroes which has broken out there twice this week.

Only enlisted men having bona fide homes in Waukegan are excepted. Elmer M. Huckfeldt, a marine, of Holstein, Neb., who was shot Wednesday night, was at the station hospital having a charge of buckshot taken out of him. Rear Admiral Bassett said his wounds were slight. Who fired the shot, he said, was not known.

289 Members of Naval Academy Given Diplomas

Annapolis, Md., June 3.—Upon the spirit and will of its officers to cast off "slavery to tradition" and venture into the realm of things new and untried depends the future strength and efficiency of the American Navy. Secretary Daniels told the graduating class of midshipmen at the naval academy here today in presenting diplomas to its 289 members.

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COUNTRY BANKS MUST FINANCE BRIDGE REPAIRS

Contractors Notify County Boards Aid Must Be Given—Meetings Will Be Held This Week.

O'Neill, Neb., June 3.—(Special)—Country banks in central and western counties of the state in which bridges were lost or wrecked by this spring's heavy floods will have to finance the big bridge companies re-erecting the bridges and repairing the damages, if the waterways are to be rebridged this year.

The bridge contractors have announced that they can not get the necessary financial assistance from the big banks and that unless the counties will see to it that the contractors' needs are taken care of by the local banks no bridges can be built or repaired.

The banks of each county having on deposit county funds are the ones to be called upon to do the financing and meetings between the bankers, the county boards and the bridge concerns are to be held in several counties this week.

The Holt county bankers are to be asked to do their financing on county work at not more than 8 per cent, it being pointed out to them that at present they only are paying 2 per cent for county money.

Amend Enemy Trading Act

Washington, June 3.—The house passed an amendment to the trading with the enemy act to facilitate the return by the alien property custodian of money and property transferred or seized by him during the war. The amendment has been requested by Attorney General Palmer and Secretary Colby.

Palmer Defended, Congress Blamed For Sugar Prices

Minority Report of Committee Says Attorney General Did Right Thing. Washington, June 3.—Action of Attorney General Palmer in sanctioning a "fair price" for Louisiana sugar was defended today in a report of minority members of the house sugar investigating committee. Representatives Whaley, South Carolina, and Summers, Texas, who signed the report, took issue with the contention of the majority committee members that Mr. Palmer had used his power as chief prosecuting officer of the government for the purpose of fixing maximum prices of sugar in Louisiana and in so doing "acted" wholly without authority and in violation of his own construction of his official duty.

The minority report charged that congress, after investigations had disclosed an acute world shortage of sugar, had failed to pass any remedial or constructive legislation and that such lack of action coupled with publicity given through "many speeches in congress" on the situation, "had a very pronounced effect on the sugar market and the continuous rise in sugar prices."

In defense of the attorney general and District Attorney Henry Mooney of Louisiana, who cooperated with him, the minority held that their action in determining a fair price to guide them in bringing of prosecutions "accomplished results which could have been accomplished in no other way in that the cane grower, who was exempt from the provisions of the Lever food control act, was brought within the provisions of the arrangement made by the attorney general.

"It not only was proper for the attorney general to do this," the report continued, "but it was his duty, both to the Louisiana producer and to the consuming public."

An English motorcycle side car is featured by a separate wind shield for each of its two seats.

WANT COLOMBIAN PACT REPORTED BACK TO SENATE

Subcommittee Decides That Amendment to Protect American Oil and Mining Interests Unnecessary.

Washington, June 3.—Recommendation that the long pending treaty with Colombia, growing out of the partitioning of Panama, be reported back to the senate for final action was made to the foreign relations committee today by the subcommittee appointed to draft an amendment designed to protect American oil and mining interests from the operation of presidential decrees, regarded by some senators as confiscatory.

The subcommittee of which Senator Fall, republican, New Mexico, is chairman said an amendment was unnecessary because the supreme court of Colombia had declared invalid not only the presidential decrees but legislation along similar lines which had been presented in the Colombian congress. It called attention that this decree was similar to that issued in Mexico, against which the United States has protested, but expressed full confidence that the people and government of Colombia were sincere in their expressions of desire to protect American rights and interests within the republic.

The document provides for the payment of \$25,000,000 to Colombia by the United States and when it was taken up in the senate last summer it was understood that Colombia had agreed to the changes.

Adopt Army Bill Report. Washington, June 3.—The house adopted the conference report on the army appropriation bill by a vote of 127 to 11. The bill carries \$395,000,000.

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- \$135 to \$150.00 Coats, \$104.50
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