

# COUNTIES STILL FILE KICKS ON NEW LAND TAXES

### Delegation From Holt County Prepares for Fight in Court If Board Rejects Plea.

Lincoln, Aug. 6.—(Special.)—A fighting delegation from Holt county showed up at the hearing held by the state board of equalization on proposed increases of farm land assessments over the returns made by county assessors and board in thirty-five counties. Holt county filed two formal protests, one on behalf of five citizens and taxpayers and the other for the county supervisor's board.

Holt county prepared to carry the fight into the courts in case the state board goes ahead and orders the 20 per cent increase on farm lands there. Attorney J. A. Donohoe, of O'Neill, took some evidence to be used as a basis of an appeal to the courts in event of a decision against the county.

Protesting delegations made up mostly of county commissioners or treasurers, were here from Dixon, Boone, Brown, Saunders, Custer and Lincoln counties to "kick" on proposed increases in the land assessments in those counties.

### Actress Who Killed Self Identified as Chicago Jewel Thief

Grand Island, Neb., Aug. 6.—Jeanette Fisher, alias Mamie Dixon, the young woman of 20 who committed suicide in the county jail here following her conviction and sentence for forgery, was identified by Mrs. Harris of Chicago as maid formerly in her employ, who, she alleges, stole jewels valued at \$10,000 while in her employ. Mrs. Harris, accompanied by a private detective, said she had been searching for the young woman for three months. While employed in the Harris home at Chicago she gave the name of Strauch. She disappeared while Mrs. Harris was in another room, and the jewelry which Mrs. Harris had just taken off was missing at the same time.

### Mother and Girl Burn to Death When Fire Destroys Home

York, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special.)—Mrs. Louise Wagner and 16-year-old daughter, Meta, are dead as the result of a fire which destroyed their home three miles north of Gresham last night. The girl was burned to death in the house. Her mother died several hours later from burns. Explosion of a kerosene oil stove caused the fire. The property loss is estimated at \$3,000.

### Shackled Negro, Held for Theft, Escapes Hospital

Grand Island, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—Taking advantage of a short period when the nurses were absent from his ward, Charles Taylor, negro, who was shot a few days ago by Officer Clark while resisting arrest and attempting to escape, sneaked out of the hospital Friday, and his disappearance was not discovered until half an hour later. Police and sheriff's forces instituted a hunt, and he was captured about two hours later in the home of a negro at the other end of the city. He had been leg-ironed, but the iron had disappeared. It is believed by the police that he had the aid of some friend.

### First Bale of Cotton Sells At Auction for \$1.30 Pound

Savannah, Ga., Aug. 6.—The first bale of cotton for the 1920-21 season was sold at auction here. It brought a record price of \$1.30 a pound after spirited bidding. The bale graded strict middling and weighed 310 pounds.

### New Tractor Invention.

Plattsmouth, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special.)—H. D. Clarke, auto mechanic, of this city, has perfected an improved type of four-wheel tractor which is to be manufactured by the Ohio Tractor company, recently organized for that purpose. The concern has purchased the large modern plant of the Columbus (Ohio) Tractor company, where the new tractors will be manufactured.

### Crops Assured by Rain.

O'Neill, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special.) Heavy rains fell in various sections of Holt county Wednesday, coming just in time to greatly help the immense corn crop which was in need of moisture. From five inches of rainfall in northern Holt county to two and three inches in other sections now practically assures the crop, which will be the largest in years.

### Arrest "Bad" Man.

Grand Island, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—Pete Tomez, Mexican, was arrested by officers Friday after a short skirmish for brandishing a revolver and terrorizing railroad employees residing in shacks near the Union Pacific shops.

### Keeps Hair In Curl On Hot or Windy Days

Here's a hair curling secret that is decidedly "worth while." Just apply a little liquid silmerine to the hair, using a clean tooth brush for the purpose, drawing this down the hair from crown to tips. In three hours you will have as beautiful curls and waves as you could wish for. The waxes which look so natural no one will guess it is artificially secured. And it will last ever so long regardless of heat, wind or dampness. You can obtain liquid silmerine at any drug store and a few ounces will last a long time. It is neither sticky nor greasy and is pleasant to use. It is doubly useful because of also serving as a beneficial dressing, keeping the hair soft, silky and lustrous.

### "PUSSYFOOT" WILL FIGHT DEMON RUM AGAIN IN ENGLAND

### Believes Drys Will Eventually Triumph—India Is Next On Slate.

Fremont, Neb., Aug. 5.—(Special.)—William E. "Pussyfoot" Johnson, who lost an eye in London last spring when he was fighting for prohibition, will return to England next month to renew the battle. He made the announcement in Fremont today, when he came to this city to join relatives who are holding their first reunion of the descendants of Albert and William Johnson.

From England Mr. Johnson will go to India before coming back to the United States. He believes in the ultimate triumph of the drys. "A great change in feeling toward the liquor question has become evident in Europe within the last year," he asserted. "Lloyd George told me that if the United States were to go to India before coming back to the United States, England would be dry in 10 years. The English are interested in the economic, rather than the moral phase of the question."

"There are 250 prohibition societies in India. When self-government is provided by Britain becomes effective next year I expect to see India go into the dry column."

Mr. Johnson would not take a stand as between Harding and Cox. "Neither is wholly good, nor wholly bad," he stated. "We like Cox's record for law enforcement. On the other hand, whenever Harding has had an opportunity to vote on the question he has voted right. That is his record on the prohibition amendment and the Volstead law. Then he spoiled his vote by explaining it."

### Railroads Rushing Hundreds of Freight Cars Into Northwest

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 6.—Trainloads of empty freight cars are being rushed to Pacific northwest points by northern rail lines to clean up congestion of eastbound lumber traffic before the advance in freight rates becomes effective. Railroad officials here said today.

Business already offered could probably be handled, it was announced, but it was declared doubtful whether new orders within the next three weeks can be entirely cleaned up.

More than 250 empties a day are being received by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul line at Milwaukee, S. D., and these cars are being rushed west as fast as they can be hauled, officials of the road here announced. Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Oregon-Washington Railroad and Navigation company headquarters stated similar conditions obtain on their road.

A Californian is the inventor of an attachment for automobile engines that enables cylinders to be rebored without skilled labor.

Foreign Exchange, American State Bank, 18th and Farnam Sts.—Adv.

### Authorities Start "Wobbly" Cleanup In Spokane District

Spokane, Aug. 6.—Ten men, said to be delegates from I. W. W. locals of Washington, Idaho and Oregon, were arrested by county, federal and city officers who dispersed a gathering of alleged members of the organization at a point seven miles north-east of this city. They were placed in the county jail here.

The officers who conducted the arrests declared that their action is "the beginning of a wholesale campaign to arrest members of the I. W. W. here during the next three or four days."

The men were congregated near the highway in a shallow gully behind a large signboard. They were seated in a ring on the ground and offered no resistance to arrest. Officers were left on guard to arrest any other members who might appear later.

Under a court injunction members of the I. W. W. are prohibited from meeting in this county.

### Cherry County Man Killed In Hay Mowing Accident

York, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—Ivan Hitchcock, living near Wood Lake, Neb., was accidentally killed while operating a mowing machine Thursday, according to a telegram received by his brother, Olin Hitchcock. He is survived by a wife and one child. His parents live in York.

### RATE BOOST MAY KEEP G. A. R. VETS FROM BIG CAMPS

### Nebraska Heroes, 2,000 Strong, Plan to Go, But Ponder Carfare.

Recent announcement by the railroads that freight and passenger rates will be increased, may mean that several thousand Civil War veterans will be unable to attend the annual National Encampment at Indianapolis in September, according to F. W. Simpson, Civil War veteran, who is secretary of the Douglas County Relief commission, McCague building.

Captain Simpson believes if the railroads refuse to give the veterans a regular flat rate of 1 cent a mile, as last year, more than 150 Omaha veterans will be unable to attend the encampment.

About 4,000 Civil War veterans live in Nebraska, according to Captain Simpson, and while not all the old soldiers will be able to attend, about 2,000 are planning on going providing the railroads stick to the flat rate.

National officers of the G. A. R. will confer with high railroad officials soon to find out if the railroads will give the old soldiers many of them who will attend the convention this year for the last time—the old passenger rate.

### County Offers Reward for Conviction of Assaulter

West Point, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special.)—In addition to the reward of \$300 offered by the father of Alois Heiman, who was the victim of an assault west of the city about a month ago, a further reward of \$300 has been offered by the board of supervisors of Cuming county for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the criminal.

### Burglars Attempt Theft.

Edgar, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special.)—An attempt was made Monday night by two burglars to enter Waller & Hart's dry goods store. They cut through the screen door and removed the glass of the main door when C. E. Cook, who was sleeping in one of the rooms above the restaurant, heard the noise and turned on an electric light, frightening the burglars.

### Hold Picnic at Diller.

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special.)—The annual fraternal picnic of the Modern Woodmen, Ancient Order United Workmen and Woodmen of the World, assisted by the business men of Diller, will be held at that place August 12.

### Former State Senator to Preside at Chautauqua

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special.)—Adam McMullen, formerly state senator from Gage county, and candidate for governor at the last primaries, has been elected chairman of the G. O. P. program at chautauqua next Monday. After the program the county central committee will hold a meeting at the court house to elect a successor to Kirk Griggs, candidate for the legislature.

### Elected C. of C. Secretary.

Scottsbluff, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—Harry S. Stark, former banker, prominent business man and secretary of the Scottsbluff Rotary club, was elected secretary of the Scottsbluff Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Stark has been resident of the community for several years and is fully acquainted with its needs.

### Wheat Prices Advance

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special.)—Following the drop of 55 cent last week in the price of wheat, the market went skyward here yesterday, the top being \$2.19 per bushel.

### Bee Want Ads Bring Results.

Two of the most pronounced bargains, quality considered, we believe, in any of these interesting sale groups.

### White Wash Skirts

In Gaberdines and Surf Satin, splendid qualities, attractively tailored, selling values to \$5.95, Saturday, each \$2.00

### Laces, 25c Yard

Dainty edging and insertions of Platt Val lace, suitable for both outer and undergarments. In widths from 3 to 5 inches. Shadow laces, too, in a variety of pretty patterns.

# The Store of Thomas Kilpatrick & Co. Established in 1870.

## THE TIME TO BUY

Is unquestionably when the seller wants to sell. There has been no time in years when we have been quite so keen to sell summer goods. Old H. C. L. becomes a mere shadow at this

# August Clearing Sale

### Women's and Misses' Section

### Thomas Kilpatrick & Co.

## Distinctive Dresses in a Clearance!

1 only, Brown Georgette Dress, size 18 (copy of imported model), exquisite beading. Originally \$137.50, now \$87.50

1 only, Perrywinkle Taffeta Dancing Frocks (size 18), metallic foliage trim. Originally \$67.50, now \$39.50

1 only, Semi-Dancing Frock (size 18), of Crepe de Chine, color apricot (pearl bead trim). Originally \$125.00, now \$79.50

1 only, Sport Model of Navy Meteor (size 18), with cherry duvety embroidered overblouse. Originally \$125.00, now \$57.50

ALSO other individual model dresses and gowns for every occasion—practically all sizes—greatly reduced.

### Wool Sweaters

A few ripple open front, models, also Coat Sweaters and Slip-overs in a variety of smart weaves. Practically all colors, including navy and black. Values \$5.95 to \$14.75. Sale prices, \$3.95 and \$7.95

### Blouses

Georgette Suit Blouses, both beaded and embroidered models, also new Overblouses in "high" colors as well as lovely French voiles. Formerly priced to \$24.75. Sale price, \$9.75

### Suits

Tricotine, Tricolette, Serge and Wool Jersey Suits, formerly priced to \$89.50. To close out at \$39.50

### Wool Coats

Greatly reduced to \$24.00 and \$38.00

### Dresses

1 rack 50 Dresses, including Sport models, Georgettes, Taffetas, etc. Formerly priced to \$39.75, for quick clearance, \$15.00

Dresses regrouped, 1 lot Figured Voile and Gingham Dresses. Formerly priced to \$14.75, for quick clearance, \$5.00

### Silk Sweaters

AND TRICOLETTE SPORT COATS—Smart styles in white, navy, black and pastel shades. Formerly priced to \$49.50, sale price, \$24.75

### Silk Skirts

Baronet, Kumsi Kumsa and combinations, mainly in Sport Shades. Formerly to \$25.00, sale price, \$10.00

### Children's and Juniors' Dept.

### Thomas Kilpatrick & Co.

### Sale of Women's Hosiery

The staple Silk Stocking in black, white, gray and browns. This is the stocking most people wear when they wear a silk stocking. Not in years has any such price as this been made. Saturday—

## \$2 a pair

Better Come Early

### Silks

Here is a radical clean-up of Wash Satins, Crepe de Chine, Chiffon, Taffeta, Messaline, Fancy Lining Silks, Radium Foulard, Shirting Silks. Silks by the yard for all purposes. Priced up to \$4.00. Grouped for Saturday selling, the yard, \$2.45

### Wool Dress Goods

Serges, Panamas, Poplins, Fancy Stripes, Silk and Wool Mixtures, 44 to 54-inch fabrics, strictly seasonable and priced up to \$2.75. Grouped for Saturday, at, yard, \$1.95

### Wash Dress Goods

Main Floor

Popular Figured Voiles reduced: \$1.50 quantities, \$5¢

\$2.00 quantities, \$1.35

\$2.00 Swiss Organdy, \$1.50

ON FLOOR BELOW, a great group of Figured Voiles in light and medium shades, 36 and 40-inch widths, sold at 75c yard, at 39¢

### Undergarments

SILK ENVELOPES of Crepe de Chine, values to \$4.95, sale price, \$2.98

Envelopes of Crepe de Chine and Wash Satin, values to \$5.95, sale price, \$3.98

MUSLIN ENVELOPES and GOWNS, both tailored and lace trimmed garments of good grade nainsook, values to \$1.95, sale price, \$1.39

Envelopes, Petticoats and Gowns of fine nainsook, both lace and embroidery trimmed, values to \$2.75, sale price \$1.99

### Toilet Goods Section

Woodbury's Facial Soap, 19¢

50c Listerine, 39¢

Wright's Silver Cream, 19¢

Pears Soap, 14¢

Non Spm, 39¢

Mavis Talcum, 19¢

Resinol Soap, 25¢

Pond's Vanishing Cream, 19¢

Pepsodent Tooth Paste, 39¢

Hind's Almond Cream, 39¢

# Orkin Bros. SIXTEENTH STREET

## Announce for Saturday Final Clean-Up Sale of Summer Hats

Your Unrestricted Choice of Over 300 Models at

# \$2.45

IN WHITE AND PINK

Formerly Up to \$15

MATERIALS: Satin, Taffeta, Georgette, Ribbon and Combinations

These dainty Hats are the Season's Favorites in all the latest styles—Off-the-Face Models, Roll Brims, Pleated Effects, Soft Crowns, Tam Effects with Straw Trimming, Wool Embroidery and Tassels, and many Novelty Trimmings and Effects.

MILLINERY SECTION—SECOND FLOOR

### For the Kiddies and Older Children

### Silk Coats

1 Pongee Coat (4 years), formerly \$13.50, Sale price, \$8.75

1 Crepe de Chine Coat (2 years), formerly \$20.00, Sale price, \$16.50

1 Rose Silk Coat (3 years), formerly \$39.50, Sale price, \$19.75

### Silk Skirts

6 Silk Skirts, formerly to \$18.50. Sale price Saturday, \$7.50

7 Silk Skirts, Fan-ta-si, Georgette, Combinations, etc. Formerly to \$33.50, \$10 to \$19.75

12 Wool Plaid Skirts, formerly to \$25.00, now \$10.00 to \$14.50

### Children's Hats

1 lot Hats for girls and boys (1 to 12 years), to close out at 39¢

1 lot Milan and Lingerle Hats (1 to 5 years), to close out at 98¢

1 lot White and Colored Milans, formerly to \$7.50, now \$2.98

1 lot White and Dark Milans, formerly to \$15.00, now \$4.50

### Dresses—all ages

1 Evening Dress (size 18), formerly \$44.50, now \$29.50

35 White Organdie and Voile Dresses (6 to 16 years), formerly to \$16.50, now \$5.00

47 Figured Voiles, Organdies, Tissue Gingham, etc., formerly to \$22.50, now \$7.50 to \$10

12 Taffeta, Satin and Georgette Dresses, formerly to \$35.00, now \$12.75 to \$19.75

42 Organdies, Dotted Swiss, Satins, Georgettes, etc. Formerly to \$49.50, now \$19.75

1 only, Tan Tricotine Dress (copy Hixon model, size 17), formerly \$79.50, now \$59.50

1 only, Navy Tricotine Dress (size 16), formerly to \$79.50, now \$59.50

15 Dresses of Taffeta, Pussy Willow and Georgette (sizes 16-18), formerly to \$89.50, now \$35.00

### Smocks

Beautiful crepes, pastel shades, yarn and silk embroidery.

Lot 1—Values to \$ 7.50, now \$3.95

Lot 2—Values to \$18.50, now \$7.95

Lot 3—Values to \$29.50, now \$12.00

### Men's Department

### Thomas Kilpatrick & Co.

## Men's Furnishings of the Better Grade

Offered at prices that would pay you to BUY NOW FOR NEXT SEASON.

\$15.00 Fine Silk Shirts, white and fancy broad-cloth and crepes, at \$8.85

\$15.00 Union Suits, broken lines, knit and nainsook, at 95¢

\$2.50 Union Suits, finest quality nainsook, at \$1.59

\$3.50 Summer Pajamas, splendid grades of fancy madras, at \$2.19

The better grades on sale at \$3.35 each.

\$1.00 Grade Silk Fibre Sox at 50¢

All Neckwear in stock, excepting black, will be sold at 33 1/3 less than their regular price. Knit and cut silks galore.

### Continuing Our Sale of Corsets

(About 500 in the Lot)

La Camille, Redfern, La Tosca, Madame Irene, Warner, Ringo, Bell, Camco and other good makes. Fashionable models adapted to all figures, broken lots—not a complete range of size in any one model—yet all figures may be fitted in one or more of these groups—

LOT 1—Values to \$4.00, sale price \$1.98

LOT 2—Values to \$6.50, sale price \$2.98

LOT 3—Values to \$10.00, sale price \$4.98

LOT 4—Values to \$13.50, sale price \$7.98

### House Dresses and Aprons

8 only, White Crossbar Dimity Utility Dress (soiled), to close out at \$2.98

1 small lot Figured Voile Dresses, values to \$5.98, to close out at \$2.98

1 lot Gingham and Figured Voile Dresses, values to \$3.00, to close out at \$4.98

Special Values in both Bungalow and Fancy Aprons

### Hairbow Ribbons

Saturday an August offering in plain and moire taffeta ribbons, 7 inches wide, that have sold to \$2.00 the yard, on sale at 79c

### At \$5.00 Special Price Silk Petticoats

A fortunate purchase permits us to offer high grade Petticoats of Taffeta, Jersey and Messaline in a splendid assortment of colors—strat shades, changeable effects, combination colors, blue and green, taupe and rose, royal blue and rose, burnt orange, etc.

## All at the One \$5.00 Special Price