

Former Fremont Banker Begins Term at Lincoln

Frank B. Knapp Drops Appeal From Embezzlement Charge and Gives Self Up.

Fremont, Neb., March 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Frank B. Knapp, former president of the Fidelity Trust company, dropped his appeal to the supreme court yesterday afternoon and entered the state penitentiary at Lincoln to begin a term of one to seven years for embezzlement.

The original sentence handed down by Judge Burton ordered Knapp to the state penitentiary for a term of from three to five years. He was found guilty of embezzling \$3,585 placed in his care by Stephen Carpenter, 80, farmer living south of Fremont.

When Judge Burton pronounced the sentence, he informed Attorney Mordock, Knapp's lawyer, that if restitution was made, he would subtract two years from the minimum and add it to the maximum. As a result, the sentence was changed.

Indications during the last week pointed toward the withdrawal of Knapp's appeal to the supreme court, but nothing definite had been done until he actually gave himself up to the officials. He telephoned his decision from Lincoln to Judge Burton, who immediately ordered the dismissal of the appeal.

Deputy Sheriff W. L. Johnson journeyed to Lincoln yesterday afternoon and met Knapp at the corner of Tenth and O streets, prepared to begin his sentence. They boarded a street car for the penitentiary and in a few moments the big steel gates clanged behind the former president of the local trust company.

Other cases are pending in district court against Knapp, while the report made by T. L. Mathews, receiver for the defunct Fidelity Trust company, contained much evidence alleging unlimited speculation with funds belonging to clients of the institution.

Iowa Hog Raiser Gets Top Price for Porkers

A load of well fed Hampshire hogs averaging around 234 pounds of his own raising was brought to the local market yesterday by Chris Pitman, feeder and shipper of Hancock, Ia. Mr. Pitman received the top price of \$10.85 for his shipment.

Fremont to Vote on Munny Swimming Pool

Fremont, Neb., March 7.—(Special Telegram.)—After haggling back and forth for the last two years between the city council and various welfare organizations over the construction of a municipal swimming pool, city councilmen have decided to give the people of Fremont a chance to settle the question themselves at the election, April 4.

An ordinance has been passed that orders the issuing of \$25,000 bonds for the construction of a swimming pool in the city park. It will be 200 feet long and 120 feet wide, with a depth of one and one-half feet to 12 feet.

Rotary, Kiwanis, Central Labor union and other organizations have been clearing for a swimming pool. On the other side were conservative citizens who claimed that this is not the proper time to burden the citizens with additional taxes.

If the residents sanction the construction of a munny swimming pool, the present site of the city skating rink will be filled in and converted into free camping grounds for tourists. The camping grounds are directly opposite the proposed swimming pool.

Missouri Farmer Buys Load of Nebraska Cattle

Alfred Dunham, farmer and livestock raiser of Tarkio, Mo., was a visitor at the local stockyards yesterday looking over the market and while here bought a carload of thin steers, averaging 700 pounds, which he will put in feed lots.

Mr. Dunham said most of the heavy feeders bought here last fall had been shipped out of the Tarkio district and there was nothing left but a few cattle bought this winter and a few calves.

"I have quite a lot of pasture land," said Mr. Dunham, "and I don't believe in letting it lie idle, so I am taking a chance on buying feeders with the hope the market conditions will improve. Corn prices around Tarkio are working up gradually and corn is now 50 cents a bushel."

Co-Operative Elevator Firm Being Organized

Geneva, Neb., March 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Two meetings of farmers have been held here to organize a co-operative elevator company, with Geneva as the location.

At the second gathering of Fillmore county farmers a constitution and by-laws were adopted, the capitalization fixed at \$50,000, with a paid-up capital of \$11,000. Shares are being sold at \$50.

John H. Morgan, temporary secretary, has matters in charge until the meeting for permanent organization, Saturday, March 18.

City of Fremont Is Aroused Over Firebug's Work

Officials Convinced \$10,000 Theater Blaze Due to Incendiarism—Suspect Is Under Surveillance.

Fremont, Neb., March 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Citizens of Fremont are worked up over the reappearance of a firebug whose latest activities resulted in nearly \$10,000 loss to the Empress theater building.

Officials have been ordered to keep a close watch on suspects. An investigation by police and Fire Chief Harry S. Morse has convinced them that the recent fire was the result of incendiarism.

Chief Morse was the first to reach the rear of the burning building when he discovered a grating over a cellar opening had been removed. Instead of being chained to the bottom of the opening, Chief Morse states that the covering was lying to one side, giving entrance directly into the cellar and the base of the flames.

Various fires of the past year have been traced to the work of a firebug. The year 1921 was the most costly in fire damage to the city of Fremont in its entire history.

One suspect is under surveillance, but officials are unable to secure sufficient evidence for a conviction. The theater damage was fully covered by insurance. Probably the heaviest loser was L. R. Crable, drummer in the Empress orchestra, who lost \$2,000 worth of instruments.

He spent the last 18 years in collecting his musical inventions and is said to have had the largest drummer's outfit in the state.

Westerville Lodge Holds Banquet on Anniversary

Broken Bow, March 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Members of the I. O. O. F. of Westerville celebrated the 18th anniversary with a banquet and program. The feature of the entertainment was the presentation of an emblematic ring to Supervisor Robert Mills, who is the oldest in membership in the order in Custer county.

Beatrice School Teachers Re-Elected at Present Pay

Beatrice, Neb., March 7.—(Special Telegram.)—At a meeting of the board of education, teachers for the Beatrice schools were elected at present salaries for 1922-23. In grade schools the schedule runs from \$1,000 to \$1,500 per year and for the high school, \$1,300 to \$1,800. Fifteen new teachers are to be employed for the grades.

Custer County Farm Body Revises List of Premiums

Broken Bow, Neb., March 7.—(Special Telegram.)—The Custer County Agricultural society board of directors met to revise the premium list and make provisions for addition stall and pen room for stock. L. W. Wilson was elected treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of T. J. Varnoy, who became president. E. R. Purcell was elected to fill a vacancy on the board.

First Solon Files

Lincoln, March 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Congressman Robert E. Evans of Dakota City filed today for the republican nomination from the Third district. He is the first of present congressmen to file for re-election.



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We Will Be Ready Thursday

A large force of clerks has worked night and day to invoice and remove this stock to The Brandeis Store. We are now busy arranging and laying out the stock for the big sale. We will be ready Thursday—you be ready, too, and you'll get the biggest bargains you ever hoped for.

Fashionable Weaves in Spring Silks

- There is inspiration for lovely new things to wear in every fold of these glorious new spring silks. The sport shades are particularly marvelous and, right now when they are all fresh and new, is the very best time to make your selections.
- May Queen** A heavy silk crepe with cross stripe in contrasting shade, such as navy ground with white stripe, tan with navy, white with black and tan with cream. Appropriate and beautiful for a skirt or suit. 36-inch width, 6.50 per yard.
 - Silk Pearl** Heavy Canton crepe with self-tone cross stripe. Very new and exclusive. Solid shades of navy, pearl gray, black and white. 36-inch width, per yard, 6.50
 - Silk Eponge** That new ratine-like material in plain shades or plaids such as tangerine plaided in white, French blue with white, green with white. Especially desirable for sport skirts and suits. 36-inch width, per yard, 4.95
 - Baronet Satin** This high luster satin of artificial silk is even better this season than last. For sport skirts or suits, in black, navy, brown, pink and white. 40-inch width, 2.95 per yard.
 - Glimaree** A wiry art silk for skirting that comes in navy blue and silver interwoven, which gives a very silvery effect. 36-inch width, per yard, 4.25
 - Fancy Crepe de Chine** Blocked with satin stripe of contrasting shade in a wide range of light and dark shades. Attractive for blouses or dresses. 40-inch width, per yard, 3.75
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- Main Floor—Center

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"Ye Olde Tyme" Slippers—Black kid, two-strap slipper, turned soles. Sizes 3 to 8. 4.00 values, 3.45

"Daniel Green" Black Satin Boudoir Slipper—Sizes 3 to 8. 3.00 values, 2.45

"Daniel Green" Black Kid Boudoir Slipper—Sizes 3 to 8. 2.75 values, 2.25

"Daniel Green" Black Kid, One-Strap Slipper—Turned soles. Sizes 3 to 8. 3.50 values, 2.95

"Martha Washington" Black Kid Two-Strap Slipper—Sizes 3 to 9. 6.50 value, at 4.95

We carry the largest and most complete line of roomy, comfortable slippers for house wear. Listed are several lots specially priced for Wednesday.

Third Floor—East