

Bryan, as vice moderator, first indi rect mention of the Fosdick case and an appeal that the church align it self, in favor of the international court of justice vied with each other as matters of interest at today's ses sion of the 136th general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America.

The Bryan appointment added an other name to the list of ultra-funda-

mentalists awarded important places by Dr. Clarence E. MacArtney, elect ed moderator yesterday. All major committees, including that of bills and overtures, are headed by avowed fundamentalists.

Dr. MacArtney made the Fosdick allusion. In commenting upon the ing held in a Baptist church, he said that "inasmuch as some of the Pres byterian churches are entertainig Baptists, it is only right that the Baptists should entertain us." Dr Harry Emerson Fosdick, charged with alleged heresies, is an ordained Baptist minister occupying the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church, New

"We hope." Dr. MacArtney added. "that we will not give the Baptists as much trouble as some members of The Local Laf contest being prompted that denomination have given us."

LAUDER TO SEEK PARLIAMENT SEAT laughter.

London, May 23 .- The latest ambition of Sir Harry Lauder, famous Scottish comedian, is to become a nember of parliament.

"I have several times been asked to become a candidate," said Sir Harry, "but while I have a strong desire to enter parliament, I have not had the freedom necessary to vote to the duties. But when I have completed my farewell tour next autumn I shall, in all probability, stand for election for the house of commons if the opportunity present



the trial, that he could prove by prac- and court adjourned.

Aber's case came up on appea tical test his ability to materialize spirits before the jury's eyes. The from the municipal court, where he court consented to the test. A' cabi- had been convicted under a fraud net was set up in the grand jury charge, on complaint of several per-The lights were dimmed, al- sons, who had testified that they sat though Aber complained that they in at one of his seances, grabbed a were not sufficiently dimmed, and a supposed sipirit, switched on the coterie of Aber's fellow spiritists were lights and found they were holding

on hand to aid him and provide at Aber himself.

Mystery Veils Life Oppressive Slaving of Boy Without Laughs fact that the present assembly is be- Majority Patronizing Theaters Detectives Baffled in Hunt Showing Local Laf for Murderer-Ransom

Reel. Where to see Local Lafs today:

Omaha Saturday Central City, Neb. McCook, Neb. North Bend, Neb. ictoria theater othrop theater Empress theater Electric theater If you haven't attended the movie

toward his home and passed a gray theaters where the Local Laf reel is car standing at the curb a half block being shown, you are in the minority. away, Irving Hartman, 11, said. The Hartman boy said when he glanced dates on the state ticket, individually by The Omaha Bee on the screens of various movie theaters is causing

considerable interest. Everyone enthe boy was not in sight. joys a hearty laugh now and then. Instructor Williams said he first Life would be oppressive without went home and later, with a pupil,

Enter the Local Laf contest at called at the Franks home and about publican leaders' denouncing you and Woodrough. You faithfully promised once. The prize jokes and the names 9, in company with the boy's father of their authors appear on the movie and a friend, Williams said, they went screens. You may be one of the to the school and made a search.

At 10:30 Wednesday night a man lucky ones. Send in as many jokes as you wish. Have them original and who said his name was Johnson telelimit them to 30 words each. Get phoned that the boy was being held into the spirit of the game and you for ransom and that further instruc- the candidates on the state ticket, would be received. These arwill enjoy it

From the jokes that do not win the rived yesterday morning in a special cash prizes the Local Laf editor delivery letter almost at the hour the selects three each day for this nude body of the boy was found by a workman on his way to work.

Ransom Demanded

Theory Scouted.

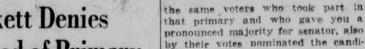
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re pupils, left the institution short-

baseball game, Richard P. Williams,

the athletic director said. He started

column. Today's are: Litle Jack, who had been in a fight, was knocked down by a neighbor boy. He was asked hy his father what he did after he was knocked down. "I don't know, daddy, but I just conidn't get up."-Herman H. Eyherg. McClelland. The letter demanded a \$10.00 ansom and ordered that the money be of old bills of \$50 and \$20 den



dates on the state ticket. There is, herefore, no reason for the calling of a second primary election. "You will have the support of the epublicans in this state who believe that the choice of the voters ex-

to School Girls

Jail Husband, 73, and

Wife, 79.

ullified.

gesting a recall election

Referring to Senator Norris' statement that "self-alleged republican eaders" had demanded his (Norris) withdrawal from the ticket. Chair-

tee."

permit me to state:

ommitteewomen.

you.

"It's wither sell liquor, starve man Sackett declared "this was in no to the poorhouse." declared Mrs. state ticket, nor by the state commit. Mary Westergaard, 79, who appeared the convening of congress last Deat the federal building with her 73. cember, President Coolidge sent their The chairman pledged the suprear-old hushand, Charles, to put up port of all state ticket candidates \$1,000 bond for their second violaand the organization to the senator.

ion of the prohibition laws. Supporting His Candidacy. The Westergaards are the oldest of. The text of Mr. Sackett's letter folording to federal records.

"Your letter to me of the 18th inst., given to the press at Washington for persecutes me." said Mrs. Wester his fight to the floor. publication, has just been received, gaard. "I know he is an honest and and in answer to your request that I. fearless man, but someone has it in as chairman of the republican state for me and that's why Samardick

committee in Nebraska, call a state- arrests us. wide primary, to be held in the manonly good beer and clean whisky, bers of the committe. ner provided by law for the holding Only a good class of men and women of the regular primary, and that at such primary your recall as the re- patronize me," she said,

Mrs. Westergaard told Samardick publican candidate for senator be she couldn't understand why her husly after 5 o'clock after umpiring a submitted to the qualified electors, band was arrested olated the law, "If anyone goes to

"I see no reason for the calling of ail it must be me." she said. such primary nor is there any provision of the statutes of Nebraska proheard that the aged couple accuse viding therefor. None of the candlhim of persecution.

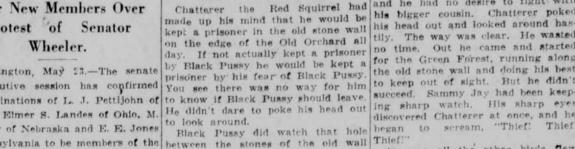
you both h "I am going to put in Robert's direction a moment later or collectively, have at any time in- hind the bars," said Samardick, pointthe automobile was moving away, but timated or suggested that you with- ing his fingers at the couple. "You draw from the ticket. On the con- care nothing for police, who allowed trary, they are openly supporting you to go free several, times, care The same is true with the re- nothing for the federal court or Judge

him that you would stop selling the "The letters which you state you stuff." Samardick said the Westergaards have received from 'self-alleged re-

publican leaders, denouncing you and have a reputation for selling to high demanding your withdrawal from the school boys and girls. Westergaard for years was an en ticket, were in no wise prompted by

ploye of the city. He and his wife nor by the republican state commit. live at 1035 South Twenty-third

Letters Express Personal Opinion. York Welcomes Trains. These letters, no doubt, were in York, Neb., May 23 .- After being ended as an expression of the personal opinion of the ones writing ithout morning train service on th them and cannot be construed to Burlington railroad since last fall. epresent the sentiment of the party's York people are rejoiced to hear that trains Nos. 37 and 38 are to be pu ganization in this state. "At the primary election in April, back about June 15,



the four recess appointments and upon an. end

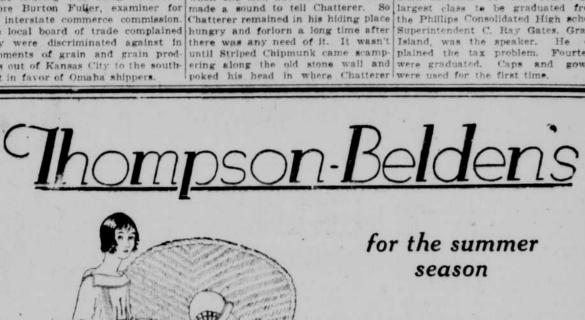
ames to the senate. ome farm organizations and the fight against them fenders ever arrested in Omaha, ac- Howell, republican, Nebraska, who ofter the senate banking committe "I don't see why Robert Samardick had reported them favorably, brought

During two days, the Nebraska senator waged his battle on the floor criticising the board and its methods its statements being answered b "I run a good clean place and sell both republican and democratic mem The senate went into executive session on the uestion and after a session of two and one-half hours confirmed the nominations. The vote was not an nounced

Samardick became angry when he HEARING ON GRAIN

Kansas City, Mo., May 23 .- The grain rate hearing before the inter-Farmer Brown's house. So when she commerce commission on the saw Farmer Brown's Boy going to state omplaint of the Kansas City Board the house to get his dinner. Black of Trade, stood temporarily adjourned Pussy stretched, yawned silently and then without a sound left the old odav

Attorneys were given until July 22 stone wall and went up to the house file briefs with the commission. The birds in the Old Orchard knew when she left, but not one of them The hearing was being conducte efore Burton Fuller, examiner for made a sound to tell Chatterer. So commission. Chatterer remained in his hiding place the Phillips Consolidated High school ne interstate The local board of trade complained hungry and forlorn a long time after Superintendent C. Ray Gates, Grand hey were discriminated against in there was any need of it. It wasn't Island, was the speaker, He ex. shipments of grain and grain prod- until Striped Chipmunk came scamp- plained the tax problem. Fourteen acts out of Kansas City to the south- ering along the old stone wall and were graduated. Caps and gowns ast in favor of Omaha shippers.





see there was no way for him to keep out of sight. But he didn't to know if Black Pussy should leave, succeed. Sammy Jay had been keep He didn't dare to poke his head out ing sharp watch. discovered Chatterer at once, and he o look around. Black Pussy did watch that hole began between the stones of the old wall Thief! At once all the for several hours. She did it because she had nothing else to do. She did over and took up the cry. It because she had a great deal of ran as fast as patience. But even patience comes to stiff and sore sometimes. It was dinner had received from Mrs. Flicker, and time at Farmer Brown's house. By

Burgess Bedtime

Stories

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

Few there are who e'er will speak To one who proves himself a sneak. —Old Mother Nature.

Chatterer Sneaks Home

though he did, his best he couldn keep out of sight of the watching him. Instead of along boldly as is his usual way, he cept dodging in and out of openings mong the stones in the old stone wall. He was sneaking back to th Green Forest, Yes, sir, he

scream.

was hiding that Chatterer knew that

"Huh." exclaimed Striped Chip-

"It's no business of yours!" retorted Chatterer shortly, for he was

in a bad temper. Then he started

His little cousin, Striped Chipmunk,

scampered away hastily. He saw

what a had temper Chatterer was in

and he had no desire to fight with

The way was clear. He wasted

"What are you hiding in

Chatterer poked

His sharp eyes

"Thief!

the way was clear.

munk.

here for?"

o come out

sneaking back. All the way back he was followed y a screaming, jeering crowd of For once in his life he him pirds. self was silent. He wanted nothing so much as to get out of sight. Al his impudence had vanished wasn't even a shred of it left. new that they knew what had hay ened to him. He was ashamed. ashamed of what he had but he was ashamed

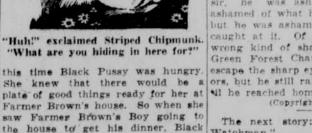
wrong kind of shame. Once in the Forest Chatterer managed to Green time Black Pussy was hungry, escape the sharp eyes of his torment. knew that there would be a ors, but he still ran like a sneak un-

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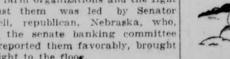
The next story: "The Dishonest Watchman.

14 Graduate at Phillips.

Phillips, Neb., May 23 .- At gradu largest class to be graduated from



RATES IN RECESS



Corev to Loan **Body Confirmed**

Nomination of

pressed at the primary shall not be Senate Approves Selection of Four New Members Over

Protest of Senator

prisoner by his fear of Black Pussy, the old stone wall and doing his ber Washington, May 23 .- The senate