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ALDRICH MAY NAME BOARD

Belief Exists Governor Intends to Make Appointment.

SENATE LIKELY TO BLOCK GAME

Charles Bryan Will Soon Take Hand in Patronage Controversy, He Indicates by Interview on Question.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Nov. 16.—(Special.)—The belief that Governor Aldrich is planning to name the new board of control of state buildings in the last minutes of his administration was strengthened today when it became known that Dr. N. T. Johnson, one of the governor's bull moose lieutenants, is securing a large number of signatures to a recommendation for his appointment to the board.

So far the governor has refused to deny the report that he is planning to retain his grip on the state machine through the new board of control for use two years hence. That Dr. Johnson, with his record as a bull moose organizer in Franklin county, would not attempt to land the appointment under Governor-elect Morehead seems apparent.

Accordingly, at the state house it was pointed out that his activity means that he has some assurance from Governor Aldrich to gather as many recommendations as possible and get himself in line for an appointment.

A few months ago he was a candidate for appointment on the board of health secretaries. This was abandoned with the defeat of Governor Aldrich, as there will not be a vacancy on this board until next July.

But one thing now threatens to block Governor Aldrich's scheme to appoint the Board of Control, and thereby dictate the appointments in fourteen state institutions. That thing is the provision in the amendment that before the governor's appointment becomes absolute it must be approved by two-thirds of the state senate. With the senate lineup eighteen democratic and fourteen republican, this seems impossible.

Cherry County Case.

Woodruff Ball's title to 107 acres of land in Cherry county claimed by the state of Nebraska, as school lands belonging to the public domain is upheld by Referee J. J. Sullivan in the now famous "beer bottle corner" case. The court will pass on the report of the referee at a later date.

The contest dates back to a governmental survey in 1882. Ball claimed, corroborated by several of his neighbors that the surveyor had located on a certain mound of earth marked by a beer bottle.

The state argued that the location had been elsewhere and that the "beer bottle corner" was no relevancy to the suit.

The court a year ago after a long trial decided in favor of the state, but granted a new trial upon a showing of newly discovered evidence. Judge Sullivan was appointed referee to hear the evidence.

The referee says that the new evidence indicates that the state's theory of the location is wrong and that the weight of proof tends to show that the Ball corner was the one made by surveyor McElroy in 1882. He gives as his opinion that the supreme court's holding was without foundation. The final decision in the case will be important, as it will affect land titles in Cherry, Thomas, Grant and Hooker counties.

Brother Charley Takes Part.

That William J. Bryan will enter into the Hitchcock-"lowa plan" federal patronage controversy in Nebraska, through the medium of "Brother" Charley, was indicated by C. W. Bryan here today.

Mr. Bryan refused to be quoted, but he did point out what he believed was an attempt by Senator Hitchcock to "get Chairman Thompson in ball" through the publishing of the correspondence between the chairman and the senator.

"I will have something to say in a few days," Mr. Bryan said. "Let it brew a while and then I'll get in."

T. S. Allen, Mr. Bryan's brother-in-law, yesterday said that the national congressional delegation who were figuring on distributing the office "pie" were a little premature. He indicated that President Wilson would make the Nebraska appointments and that the president would take his directions from the Bryan wing of Nebraska democracy rather than the "reactionary" wing.

Progressive Democrat Expense.

Showing a balance of \$283 out of total receipts of \$7,969.20, the committee of the Progressive Democratic league filed a post-election expense statement at the county clerk's office here today.

The statement shows that T. S. Allen's campaign league received contributions amounting to \$7,686.20. The largest part came from the democratic national com-

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mittes, about \$3,000 having been sent to the Allen organization by the party's national treasury. Part of the money is said to have gone to various county committees, while a large sum was spent for office expenses, mailing, advertising and postage.

Dundee Bonds Registered.

A series of paying bonds, \$2,500 in amount, voted by the village of Dundee, near Omaha, has been registered in the state auditor's office. They are to run fifteen years and to draw 5 1/2 per cent interest. Payment will be optional after five years.

Guard Officers Resign.

Two officers of the Nebraska National Guard have resigned their commissions and their positions will be vacant after January 1. They are Captain Earl Barum and First Lieutenant C. H. Vost of Company H, stationed at Aurora.

Searle Wins Office.

"I'm for Taft," candidate E. M. Searle, Jr., of Ogalala, candidate for the legislature during the recent campaign. Instead of costing him his election as his close friends predicted it would, Searle was elected representative by 36 votes in his district, although Mr. Taft ran far behind in the same precincts.

Commissioners Stay Home.

It is not expected that any of the members of the Nebraska railway commission will attend the meeting of the National Association of State Railway Commissioners to be held in Washington, November 19. Last year the three members attended. Commissioner Hill wanted to go this year, but with Commissioners Winnet and Clarke deciding against the junket, Hill determined to stay home also.

May Get Special Rates.

There is a prospect that the railroads will grant special state fair rates next fall, according to W. H. Mellor of the Nebraska fair association, who is just returned from attending a meeting of the Western Passenger association at Chicago.

At the meeting, Mr. Mellor with other western fair association representatives, requested that a special passenger tariff be inaugurated during the state fair. Since returning Mr. Mellor has received from Secretary McLeod of the passenger association, a request for a statement as to the number of admissions at Nebraska fairs of the last few years.

This will show that while in 1911 there was a 25 per cent admission gain, this year there was but 2 per cent. This exists in spite of greater expenditures for exhibits and is believed to exist because of the special rate proposition.

Up until this year the railroads gave a 14-cent fare for return tickets. Last year the regular 2-cents-per-mile tariff was in effect. The Iowa state fair is said to have suffered materially by the rate problem.

Two Hoaglands in Senate.

Friends of the two Hoaglands, uncle and nephew, who will sit side by side in the state senate, fear that they will get their identities mixed up with the people. W. V. Hoagland of Lincoln county and H. V. Hoagland of Lancaster are the pair. President of the Senate McKelvie says that he cannot designate them "Uncle" Hoagland and "Nephew" Hoagland because, although the Lancaster county Hoagland is older, he looks younger than his senatorial relative.

WOODMEN INJUNCTION CASE HEARD IN DECEMBER

HASTINGS, Neb., Nov. 15.—(Special Telegram.)—As a result of objections by head officials, trial of the injunction suit of insurgent members against the Modern Woodmen of America, set some weeks ago for November 18, was delayed possibly until December. Within the last few days the head officials have objected to proceeding with the case at the time stipulated for the reason that Judge Dungan is a member of the order of Woodmen and therefore disqualified to try the case. Judge Dungan has since been trying to get two other district judges to come here next week to act in his stead. He expects, however, to secure a substitute by December 2, so the case probably will be tried on that day. The insurgent Woodmen are desirous of getting the case heard as soon as possible, as it is an action to enjoin enforcement of new rates ordered for January 1. The suit pending here is quite similar to others started by the insurgent Woodmen in Iowa and Illinois. The Iowa case was decided in favor of the insurgents, but the Illinois case is still pending.

MR. AND MRS. FACKLER DISMISS ALL SUITS

PAPILLION, Neb., Nov. 15.—Two stipulations were filed with the clerk of the district court this week in the cases of Fackler against Fackler, both parties now residents of Springfield, dismissing the suits commenced by Mrs. Fackler. The first action was an application for a writ of habeas corpus to secure custody of her 12-year-old son from John Fackler, his father, who kidnapped the lad from his mother near St. Louis a few months ago. The second stipulation dismissed the suit for separate maintenance commenced by Mrs. Fackler against her husband a few weeks later. It is rumored that the couple are again living together in Springfield.

SINGLE TAX IDEA FAVORED IN FRANKLIN COUNTY

BLOOMINGTON, Neb., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—A number of the men in this county are advocating a change in our present system of taxation. They claim that landowners who improve their land are practically fined for putting on improvements and advise a readjustment of the system so that it will put a heavier burden on unimproved land and encourage the farmers to make improvements. It is believed the coming legislature will consider this change.

RUSH FOR PIE COUNTER BEGINS IN SUTHERLAND

SUTHERLAND, Neb., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—Already numerous democrats are doing a little prospecting relative to the appointment of a postmaster to fill the place of the present officeholder when he shall step down and out. The salary is \$1,000 a year, and although the work necessitates the services of two people, that sum looks attractive to those hankering for the job. It is figured that the scrap will develop into something interesting.

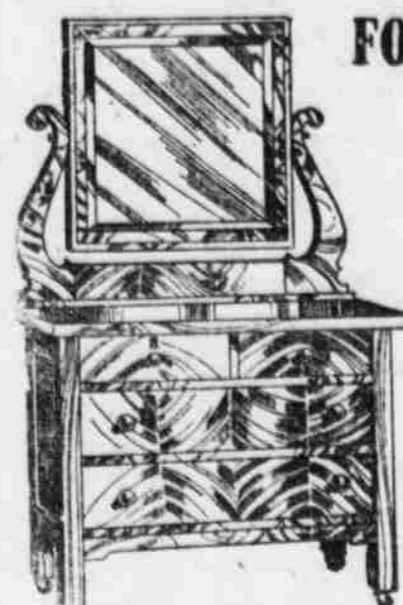
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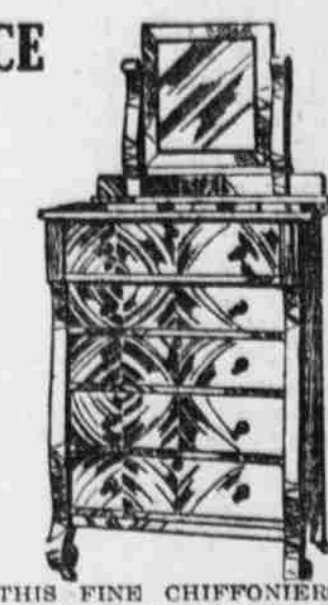
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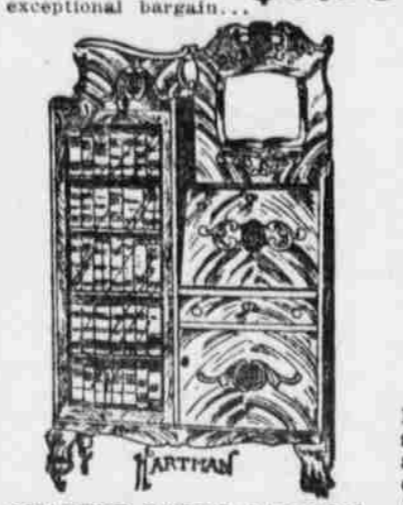
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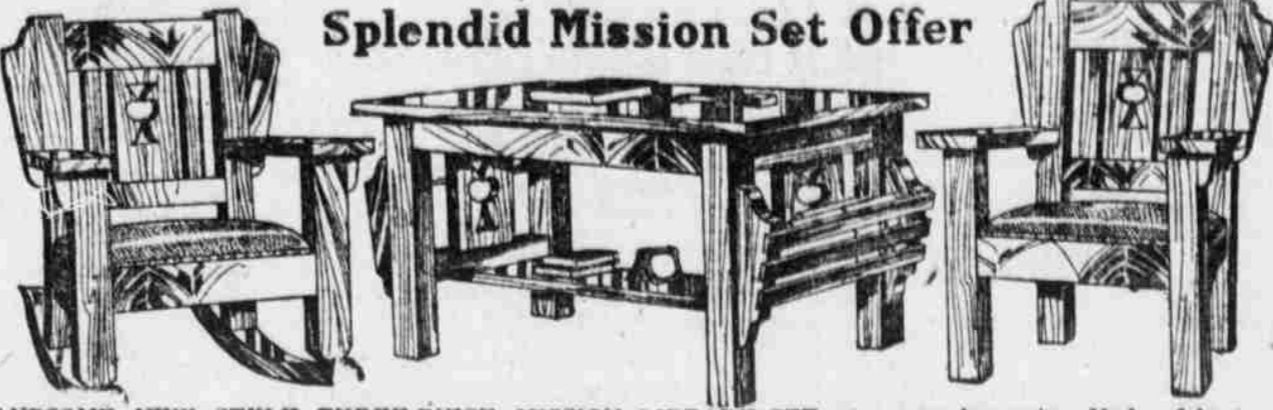
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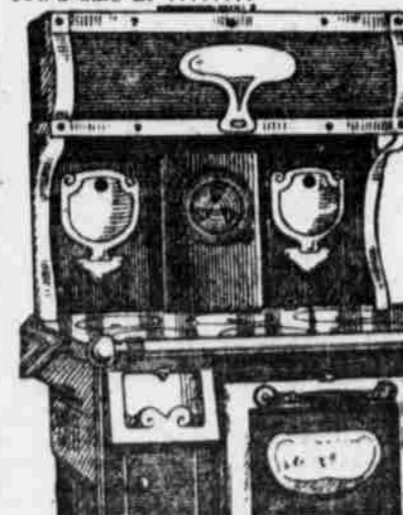
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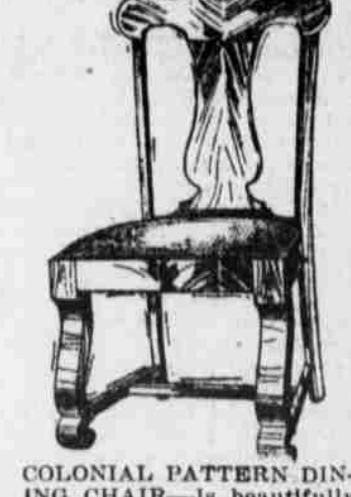
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HARTMAN'S 1414-16-18 DOUGLAS STREET

LEONARD ABTS PLEADS GUILTY TO ARSON CHARGE. FREMONT, Neb., Nov. 15.—(Special.)—The case of state against Leonard Abts, charged with setting fire to a house on West Second street last April, for the purpose of defrauding the insurance company, came to a sudden ending yesterday, when the defendant pleaded guilty. The trial began yesterday morning. The evidence showed that a piano and various other articles of personal property, which the defendant claimed he had when he took out \$1,400 worth of insurance were not there when the fire broke out. The furniture was saturated with gasoline and kerosene and shavings found in the drawers of a dressing case. There were sixty-two witnesses subpoenaed by the state, and defendant was represented by three lawyers. William Ward was convicted of the larceny of a pocket book containing \$2 from Adolph Studt of Dodge on the day that a circus was here last August. There were several other criminal cases on the docket, but the defendants were out on bail and the cases went over to the regular term and the jury was discharged. Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

Entire State Shows Interest in Roads. O. C. Turner, secretary of the Nebraska State Automobile association, has recently returned from an extended trip throughout the central part of the state and reports that he has attended a number of meetings held by the various county automobile associations throughout the state. Much enthusiasm was displayed at these various meetings, and plans were made for further promotion of the good roads cause. A gratifying increase in the membership of the vari-

ous county associations indicates that the cause of this association is one of lasting interest and that automobile owners and good roads boosters are determined to continue in the work of promoting the building of better roads and improving the highways of the state. Particular gratifying was the interest shown at a recent meeting of the Clay County Automobile association held in Fairfield, fifty-six new members joining the association as the result of the membership campaign of the local boosters in co-operation with the assistance of the state secretary. Key to the Situation—Dee Advertising.

Twelve Horses Burned to Death in McCook. MCCOOK, Neb., Nov. 15.—(Special Telegram.)—The Commercial barn was destroyed by fire this morning about 7 o'clock. The building was valued at \$3,000 and insured for \$1,000. J. E. Kelley is owner and Milo Pate lessee. Twelve head of horses were burned, five of them valuable animals, owned by other parties, and seven owned by the lessee. Loss on animals is \$2,000. Three men were in the barn at the time, but escaped, carrying their clothes with them.