

Nebraska

OBJECT TO BRYAN IN LIEDERKRANZ HALL

Grand Island Society is in Arms Against Action Taken by Its Officers.

WILL VOTE ON POINT SUNDAY

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., March 31.—(Special.)—Will a protest against the action of the officers of the Liederkranz society in reserving its auditorium, the largest in the city, for the use of W. J. Bryan on next Wednesday, prevail, at a meeting of the membership to be held Sunday afternoon? This question is being discussed among the members since a protest has been made by one of the society's members, Mr. Heyde, who is also president and manager of the local brewing company, and who is joined by some others in the remonstrance. It is not believed that it will.

The society is an organization all of whose active members are citizens of German birth or descent, but which also has a large social membership of equally respectable business and professional men. Its auditorium seats 1,500 people, and was built some years ago with the idea of providing a place for all public gatherings. Liquid refreshments are served to its members only, just as in the case with such organizations as the Elks, Eagles, Moose, etc., and its club rooms are open only on evenings and Sundays. When Hon. W. H. Thompson, state chairman, inquired of the secretary for the reservation, stating its purpose, the secretary followed the usual line of making no restrictions for anything reputable. The hall has frequently been used for religious gatherings, being in no manner connected with the club rooms, though in the same building. When Mr. Heyde heard of it and protested to the secretary, it is stated that he declared he would appeal to the membership at its meeting Sunday afternoon to bar the use of the hall for such purposes, the latter being held inimical to some of the society's customs. The officers, it is said, hold that a broader and more liberal view has always been maintained and that they will not, without direction of the society's membership, alter their decision. Many other members seem to support the officers, and, even though upon a former occasion and a less public question the brewery interests were able to muster enough votes in the society to carry a point, it is not believed that their present point of view will find much sympathy.

News Notes of Lyons.

LYONS, Neb., March 31.—(Special.)—Mrs. Frank Newell was buried in the Lyons cemetery today, the Rev. James G. Clark preaching the funeral sermon at the Presbyterian church to a large audience. Mrs. Newell was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erick Anderson of this place and was 21 years of age, leaving a husband, having been married only a few months ago.

The board of education of this place has appointed Prof. N. V. Franklin as principal of the Lyons schools. He is a brother of Superintendent of Schools V. L. Franklin and is at present assistant principal of the Fairbury, Neb., school. The board also appointed Miss Winifred Waters as assistant principal.

Wet State at Callaway.

CALLAWAY, Neb., March 31.—(Special.)—A mass meeting was held a few nights ago and George H. LaFleur and Everett E. Lewis, both dry men, were nominated for constableness. Evidently the nominations were not satisfactory and a petition was circulated placing the names of D. P. Young and Fred Marzott on the ticket the wet candidates. The question of saloon or no saloon and pool halls or no pool halls will be voted upon separately. Sunday base ball was voted upon three years ago and carried by a

large majority and has not since been an issue. Callaway has been in the dry column for the last two years and the pool halls were voted out a year ago.

Richards Slate All Fixed Up at Huron

HURON, S. D., March 31.—The conference here of republicans, called by R. O. Richards of Huron, interested the following as candidates for nomination in the primaries: Governor—R. O. Richards, Huron; Lieutenant Governor—F. S. Barrett, Redfield; Secretary of State—Frank T. J. Jackson, Salem; Attorney General—H. P. Bromley, Redfield; Auditor—J. F. Handley, Sturgis; Treasurer—D. B. Wipe, Parkston; Commissioner of Schools and Public Lands—Amasa Hoffman, Leola; Superintendent Public Instruction—Miss Susie Bird, Belle Fourche.

Time, tide and Bee Want Ads wait for no man. An opportunity missed is an opportunity lost.

DIETZ ASSURED OF INDIANS' AID

Ak-Sar-Ben Governor in Conference with Cato Sells and T. L. Sloan.

PROMISED HELP BY BOTH MEN

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, March 31.—(Special Telegram.)—Gould Dietz, who returned to Washington today from New York with Mrs. Dietz, had an extended conference with Cato Sells, commissioner of Indian affairs, with a view of securing the co-operation of the Indian office with the forthcoming celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of admission of Nebraska into the union which Ak-Sar-Ben will celebrate in October.

Mr. Sells showed a very lively interest in the event and promised every possible aid in depicting Indian life and character as part of the historic features of the celebration.

But what Mr. Dietz considers more than fortunate was the meeting he had today with Thomas L. Sloan, an Omaha Indian temporarily resident in Washington who, as vice president of the Society of American Indians, promised every possible co-operation to make the event one of the most memorable in American history.

Mr. Sloan, as a native Nebraskan, agreed to lend his aid to the governors of Ak-Sar-Ben in bringing to Omaha during the week of October 2 a representative number of American Indians who will display their old and new ways of living in order that the present generation may have a visual demonstration of the changes that have been wrought in the Indian's life and character.

Mr. Dietz is greatly encouraged over this feature of the coming celebration and believes that will add immeasurably to the historical effect of the pageant.

Wears Part of Left Leg in His Nose

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 31.—(Special.)—Dr. C. S. Stafford of Kemmerer, Wyo., arrived here yesterday from Chicago, wearing a portion of his left leg

in his nose. While in Chicago he submitted to an operation whereby a piece of bone from his leg was grafted to the framework of his nose to replace destroyed tissue. The operation was an unqualified success.

Cold Tablets Fatal to Girl. GRINNELL, March 31.—(Special.)—Little Mythe Marie, the 5-year-old daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Mintie, six miles northeast of this city, died from eating some tablets for the cure of colds. Another little child in the same family was made very ill but is now out of danger.

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