

### MANY BIRDS SOLD AT POULTRY SHOW

High Class Feathered Fowls Change Hands for Good Round Sums of Money.

#### EXHIBIT IS TO BE OPEN SUNDAY

This Poultry show is some show, with the accent on "some."

"I never saw so many birds change hands in my life," said Secretary Baehr. "And they're the prize stock, too. I believe that \$25 is not too high to place the average price at which these birds have sold."

George W. Almsworth of Fremont, who has been a poultry show fan for years and attends the shows in Chicago, St. Louis, Des Moines, Peoria, Kansas City, Topeka and Lincoln, said:

"I haven't seen any better quality birds at any show than here. Even in the Coliseum at Chicago and in the St. Louis Coliseum they didn't have as fine a cooping arrangement. This place is simply ideal and Omaha is destined to become the great poultry center of the Missouri valley."

"Some of the best yards with the finest strains of poultry are located in the territory right around Omaha."

Secretary Baehr of the show is busier than a one-armed man with the birds. He has been working like a beaver ever since the show opened. Friday night he went home at 10 o'clock, but not to sleep. He locked himself in his room and worked steadily until breakfast time. Then he worked until nearly noon and by that time had the list of awards in shape for the typewriter.

The health of the fowls is excellent. There has been no disease among them with the exception of "chickens" who succumbed to roup on Thanksgiving day. Nearly all of them are "coop broken," which is to say that they are tame and stand up like soldiers at attention when folks look at them. Most of them will even "stand" for having their feathery bodies stroked by admirers.

"Billy Sunday" is only a second rater. Reference is not to the celebrated evangelist, but to a big white Wyandotte rooster at the show which roosts in that name. He crows almost continuously. This didn't help him, however, and he merely took a second prize. The show will be open all day today.

### MAIN SERBIAN ARMY RETREATING TOWARD GREECE

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Galecta. It is expected, however, that this movement will be pushed energetically for the political effect on Roumania.

His Bulgarian May Change Sides. PARIS, Nov. 27.—Newspapers of Bulgaria, says the correspondent at Belgrade of the Petit Parisien, are declaring that the Bulgarian army, having conquered Serbian Macedonia, Bulgaria should be satisfied with its triumph, and seeing that Thrace is being retained by the Turks should not add to the fears of the Serbians.

In fact the correspondent quotes the Bulgarian newspapers as saying there are now seven Turkish divisions at Sofia, northeast of Dedinatoh, one of the divisions at Mustapha Pasha, one division at Varna and one each at Burgas and Constantinople.

The Bulgarian newspapers, the correspondent says, are strongly insisting that the question of Thrace has not been definitely settled and that with Germany's support Turkey in Europe should be replaced within the limits in which it was confined in 1911. The correspondent adds:

"If the misunderstanding on this subject continues and in view of the recent speech made by Premier Radouloff of Bulgaria, in which he declared that Thrace should be Bulgarian, the prophecy of ex-Premier Venizelos of Greece may yet be realized and the Bulgarians in the end may be found fighting on the side of those they formerly attacked."

Allies Landing at Saloniki. PARIS, Nov. 26.—Press dispatches from Athens say that the French and British forces landed at Saloniki have now attained important positions. The Patrie of Athens gives their number at 18,000. These forces are abundantly supplied with arms and ammunition. Some 40,000 or 45,000 more men are said to be on the way to Saloniki, at which point 4,000 troops are debarking each day.

#### HYMENEAL

Beal-Brugger. COLUMBUS, Neb., Nov. 27.—(Special.)—Miss Helen Brugger and Mr. Daniel M. Beal, of Moline, Ill., were married this evening at 8 o'clock at the bride's home. Rev. Thomas Griffiths, pastor of the Federated church, administered the work. Immediately after the wedding a reception followed, in which the following persons participated: Miss Althea Beal, a sister of the groom from Moline, Ill.; Dr. and Mrs. Beal of Moline, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Horton Van Der Voort of Moline, Ill.; Mrs. Ernest Stenger, two daughters and son of St. Joseph, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Middlekauff, of Douglas, Kan.; Miss Elizabeth Mitchell of Omaha, and several members of the faculty of Brownell Hall of Omaha and other guests. The bride is a daughter of M. Brugger, president of the Columbus State bank at Columbus, and is held in high esteem by all who know her.

Arndt-Brugg. Miss Margaret Byers of Lambert, Minn., and Mr. Edward F. Arndt of Benson were married Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock, by Rev. Charles W. Savidge, at his residence. They were accompanied by Mr. J. and Miss Annetta Arndt, brother and sister of the groom. This is the third member of the family that Rev. Mr. Savidge has married.

Schaffer-Chambers. Miss Goldie Chambers and Mr. Lionel C. Schaffer, both of Florence, were married Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock, by Rev. Charles W. Savidge. They were accompanied by Mrs. Loretta Smith, mother of the bride.

Department Orders. WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Isaac D. Keppert was appointed postmaster at Norris, Medford county, South Dakota, vice Paul H. Putnam, resigned.

Civil service examination will be held on January 8 for postmaster at Bingham, Dix and Cowles, Neb.

George A. Leonard of Fort Dodge, Ia., has been appointed a laboratory assistant in bureau of standards at Pittsburgh, Pa.

The postoffice department has accepted the proposal of the Neill National bank to remove its postoffice at Neill, Neb., for the postoffice at Neill, Neb., for term of ten years from December 1.

### Nebraska Debators Meet Kansas in a Double-Header Debate



TOP PICTURE IS NEBRASKA DEBATING TEAM AGAINST KANSAS AT LINCOLN. E. E. CARR, LAW, '18, BEAVER CITY; J. L. POLK, LAW, '18, LOUISVILLE; A. R. SWENSON, '17, OAKLAND; B. C. ZIMMERMAN, LAW, '18, LINCOLN.

NEBRASKA GROUP IN THE NEBRASKA DEBATING TEAM TO APPEAR AGAINST KANSAS AT LAWRENCE (LEFT TO RIGHT): R. B. WARING, LAW, '18, GENEVA; C. E. SCOFFIELD, '17, LINCOLN; H. J. SCHWAB, '18, LAW, '18, MCCOOK; G. C. CHAMBERS, LAW, '18, SIDNEY.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 26.—(Special.)—Nebraska and Kansas universities will meet December 19 in the first intercollegiate debate between the two schools since 1904. With the breaking up of the Central Debating league—Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska and Wisconsin—by the withdrawal of Wisconsin, Nebraska concluded to accept the invitation of Kansas for annual contests.

Two debates will be held—one at Lincoln and one at Lawrence—on "Resolved, That the United States should immediately and substantially increase its armament (armament being taken to mean both force and equipment)."

Nebraska's affirmative team, which will meet the Kansans at Lincoln, will be E. C. Zimmerman, law, '18, formerly of Humboldt, now of Lincoln; Everett E. Carr, law, '17, Beaver City; Axel R. Swenson, '17, Oakland, and J. R. Polk, law, '18, Louisville.

The Nebraskans who will maintain the negative at Lawrence are Charles E. Schofield, '17, of Lincoln; Guy C. Chambers, law, '18, Sidney; H. J. Schwab, '18, law, '18, McCook, and R. B. Waring, law, '18, Geneva.

The business management of the debates has been taken in hand by the Inponents society, the honorary senior organization. Darrel T. Lane, law, '18, of Ravenna, is business manager.

#### FIND SUITCASE OF MAN MISSING THREE YEARS

MASON CITY, Ia., Nov. 27.—(Special.)—Where is Henry Dumpman. His suitcase has been found in a vacant house on the farm of Dick Coltan, near Osage, where Dumpman was last employed. In the grip were two certificates of deposit amounting to \$1,000. This money is now on deposit at the First National bank at Osage and the Citizens National bank at Charles City. But that is not throwing any light on the whereabouts of Dumpman. It was back in November, 1912, when he left Osage. He went to Waterloo to visit his cousin, Mrs. Lizzie Burk, but only remained there a short time, when he left, stating that he was going to Chicago to get a job in the stockyards. He had money on his person, but how much is not known. That was the last heard from him. Police in all cities have been asked to assist in locating him. If he is alive the money will undoubtedly go to his heirs if it is claimed.

#### NAVY POET MARRIES NIECE OF CARDINAL

LONDON, Nov. 27.—Patrick MacGill, known as the "Navy Poet," was married in London today to Miss Margaret Gibbons, a grandniece of Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore. The bridegroom is on leave from the front, having been wounded. After a brief honeymoon he will rejoin his regiment, the London Irish Rifles. Prior to his enlistment Mr. MacGill was one of the librarians at Windsor Castle.

Apartments, flats, houses and cottages can be rented quickly and cheaply by a Bee "For Rent."

#### RELIABLE REMEDY RESTORES KIDNEYS

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. Dr. Kilmer used it for years in his private practice. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do.

Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it will help you. No other remedy can successfully take its place. Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention The Omaha Sunday Bee-Advertisement.

1890 1915 DIAMONDS The actual cost of doing business of one firm is 30%, of another 20%—one is located in the high-rent district, the other in one that is not. Who do you think would be liable to give the better values? We have always claimed to give maximum values at minimum prices. On restricted priced articles we can do no better than others, but they are very limited in number compared with the number of pieces we have to offer. Twenty-five years in same store should be proof positive as regarding our reliability. Prenter 15th & DODGE

### MRS. VAMPOLA SHOT BY JEALOUS WOMAN

Mrs. Anton Marfisi Kills Acquaintance Who She Believes, Was Friendly with Husband.

#### TO EXAMINE MENTAL CONDITION

Mrs. Josephine Vampola, shot yesterday by Mrs. Anton Marfisi, died at 1:30 o'clock at the South Side hospital from the effects of the pistol wounds. Mrs. Anton Marfisi, the slayer, is held at the South Side police station pending examination into her mental condition.

Enraged by jealousy, Mrs. Marfisi shot Mrs. Vampola at the latter's home, 2116 U street, South Side, at 9:35 o'clock yesterday morning.

According to the story given the police by Mrs. Marfisi, she believed Mrs. Vampola had been communicating with her husband for some time. She had reached a point where she could bear it no longer, she said. Yesterday she took a .38-caliber revolver and, going into the backyard of the Vampola home, awaited Mrs. Vampola's appearance. The latter at 9:35 o'clock was coming out of the house for a bucket of water when she was met by Mrs. Marfisi, who shot her twice, one bullet taking effect just above the heart in the left breast.

Twenty minutes after the shooting occurred Chauffeur Danbaum and Conductor Jackman of the South Side patrol crew had the wounded woman in the hospital and Mrs. Marfisi at the South Side police station. Dr. Beck operated immediately on Mrs. Vampola and removed the bullet. Mrs. Vampola did not regain consciousness.

#### Probable Murder of Six People Shown

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Nov. 27.—The probable murder of six people was disclosed tonight when the bodies of four men and two women were found in a tavern a few miles from this city. The deaths evidently had taken place several days ago.

### Steamship Burned in Chesapeake Bay; One Passenger Dead

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 27.—The steamship City of Baltimore and the Florida, from Baltimore, both arrived here this morning with a number of people rescued from the steamer Tivoli, burned last night in Chesapeake bay, below Annapolis.

It is feared some lives were lost, but among those arrived today, none know anything definite.

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 27.—One person is dead and four are missing of the eighty-eight people known to have been on board the steamer Tivoli.

Mrs. Eva Bowden, a passenger who was ill, died on a life raft. The missing are two children of Captain Howard, commander of the Tivoli, and two of the crew. It is thought they may have been taken aboard a rescue tug and removed to Cape Charles.

The cause of the fire could not be learned.

#### ANOTHER FALLS CITY HELLO GIRL SECRETLY MARRIED

FALLS CITY, Neb., Nov. 27.—(Special.)—Miss Ethel Walbridge and Miss Grace Finley, operators at the local telephone office, took a vacation trip in October to Valparaiso, Neb. Soon after their return it was announced that Miss Finley had been married while away to Mr. Troy Whiting. It now develops that Miss Walbridge was also married while on that trip, to Mr. Earl Mitchell, at David City, Neb., on October 20, 1915, by Rev. C. E. Davis, pastor of the Christian church.

The news has just leaked out, as Mr. Mitchell arrived Wednesday to take his bride back to his home at Valparaiso, where they will go to housekeeping. Mrs. Mitchell was a long-distance operator at the telephone office, where she had been employed for the last five years. She is the daughter of E. C. Walbridge, roadmaster of the Burlington at this point.

During the last four months five operators have married out of the telephone office, and it is making a hardship on the company to keep enough experienced operators to handle the switchboard, which requires fourteen operators to work it at all hours.

### OMAHA BUILDING BREAKS RECORD

City Building Department Estimates Operations This Year Will Aggregate \$5,000,000.

#### MILLION GAIN OVER YEAR AGO

The city building department conservatively estimates this year's building operations will aggregate \$5,000,000, nearly \$1,000,000 more than last year. This will be the best building year for Omaha since 1911. The years 1909 and 1910 were exceptionally prosperous for a building standpoint.

On Friday the building department issued permits for thirty-seven dwellings. C. W. Martin has been granted permits for twenty-six dwellings in Minnie Luna addition on the north side. Mr. Martin has taken out permits for seventy-five homes this year, ranging in cost from \$2,500 to \$5,000.

There are several large building projects in prospect for next spring, notably the Ford hospital, Masonic temple and First National bank. Building operations at the present time are unusually active, with a dozen substantial structures in course of erection.

#### MOTORCYCLE FOUND WHEN MEN ARE ARRESTED ON FARM

The arrest of Joseph Lehman and Charles Mullanigan by the police of David City, and Minneapolis on a charge of automobile stealing has brought to light another theft. Three weeks ago the garage at the home of James Van Avery, 1739 South Twenty-sixth street, was broken open and a motorcycle and supplies were taken. No trace was found of the thieves until Sheriff Ike West of David City acting on advice from Minneapolis police, found Lehman working nearby on a farm and arrested him. Minneapolis police were notified, and a motorcycle in his possession was identified as the one stolen from Van Avery.

A "For Sale" ad will turn second-hand furniture into cash.

### Bag of Diamonds Taken from Man in New York Street

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Benjamin Fores, a diamond dealer of Los Angeles, reported to the police today that he had been robbed of a bag containing \$7,000 worth of diamonds on Broadway, near Wall street. Fores said the bag was snatched from him when he was suddenly separated from two friends. Fores' outcries attracted a crowd and the police, but the thieves meantime had made good their escape.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 27.—The name of Benjamin Fores, who reported today to the New York police that he had been robbed of a bag of diamonds, does not appear in either the city or the telephone directories here.

### Blackstone Work Advances Rapidly During November

During November work on the Blackstone hotel has been progressing rapidly. The record for the month was the pouring of a concrete floor every five days, making a total of six besides the roof of the eighth floor, which will be poured on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

The rear wall of the building is going up rapidly now, and the walls on the other three sides will be taken up as rapidly as terra cotta arrives, which should be the latter part of the first week in December.

The metal lath is being put on rapidly and the surfacing of concrete floors in the building will probably be started this week.

The plumbers are on the job and have gotten their work well under way.

#### ENGINE OF TRAIN GOES THROUGH BRIDGE DRAW

QUINCY, Ill., Nov. 27.—The engine of a passenger train bound from St. Louis to St. Paul plunged through the open draw on the Lower Mississippi Bay bridge tonight. It is reported that the engineer and fireman were drowned.

Handkerchiefs—Who Can Complete Their Gift List Without Them? Plain Linen, 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Initials, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. All line hand-embroidered styles from 15c and 30c upwards. Madras Embroidered Handkerchiefs, very attractive and exclusive designs, 35c to \$1.75. French embroidered designs, 50c to \$15.00.

The Fur Shop—Second Floor. "You Buy Here With Assurance" HUDSON SEAL TAUPE FOX TAUPE WOLF MINK, MARTEN JAP MINK The prices are the lowest compatible with the highest quality.

The Store of the Christmas Spirit Officially the Christmas Shopping Season is opened today by this store, and just as it is, and always has been, a store of superior goods and service at a moderate cost all the year round, consequently so at Christmas time. Early shopping is the most pleasant. THOMPSON, BELDEN & CO. Dainty New Aprons Our Christmas line is ready, a beautiful assortment, distinctive new styles; while the variety is complete why not make your selection? The range of prices is great enough to please every woman. Third Floor. Purchases. Charged Monday and Tuesday Appear on Next Month's Statement. Crepe de Chine A Special Value Particularly fine for foundations and underwear. 36 inches wide. Colors: Light Blue, Pink, Apricot, Ivory. Monday 95c A YARD

The Store for Shirtwaists Presents AN ATTRACTIVE DISPLAY OF CHRISTMAS GIFTS From at Home and Abroad. NEGLIGES, EMBROIDERED KIMONOS, PETTICOATS, BLOUSES, BATH ROBES, PULLMAN ROBES. It is an attractive place. A few minutes spent here will undoubtedly help you solve a Christmas problem. DISPLAY READY MONDAY

Yes! Gloves, Too A gift that never goes unappreciated. Easy to select by the Glove Certificate plan. Trefousse, the best French Kid and the foremost American makes in styles and colors and prices that will satisfy everyone. Glove Section—South Aisle—Main Floor.

Every Woman Appreciates Silk Stockings You Choose Here From the Best Known Makes You can be certain that silk hosiery coming from this store is reliable, durable, and worth every cent asked. Members buy of us in increasing numbers every year. They are not taken advantage of, and know it. This is Truly HOSIERY Headquarters Particularly During the Christmas Season

Ribbons of Quality --Exclusive Novelties Christmas stocks, and new and beautiful—yards and yards of attractive ribbons of every color and pattern. Novelties of exclusive character—made here in the store by Mrs. David. Novelties for Babies Two, three and four-piece Comb and Brush Sets—Talcum, Soap and Puff Boxes, Baby Record Books, hand decorated; Bathtubs and Teaching Rings, Carriage Signs, Bath Flosters, Water Bottles, Dress Hangers and scores more. Third Floor.

Special Pricings of Suits and Coats Suits: \$15.00, \$24.75 and \$35.00 Coats: \$10.75, \$18.75 and \$25.00 These pricings are real money savers. The showing is complete; styles for all occasions. Georgette Crepes Just Arrived Russ Green, Navy, African Brown, Black, Belgique Blue Taupe, Rose—and all the best evening shades. A good weight and texture. Christmas Umbrellas For His or Her Gift Silks and silk mixtures, black and colors; New handles that are distinctive.

Gifts a Man Would Buy for Himself Can you conceive of a better choice than a shirt or two of the new fashion, with a box of collars of a new style? A cravat, real linen handkerchiefs and other equally appropriate and sensible furnishings. Cravats—Look through the different shops as you will, you'll find nothing more satisfying than the splendid cravats we have selected just for Christmas selling. Not a freak among them, not a pattern, the best dressed man in town would not be proud to wear. Safety first—and you won't be sorry. Modish Gloves—Suede or glace, tan or gray, lined or unlined, in the best known makes. Handkerchiefs—Plain or initialed, every one of fine imported Irish linen, hems of all widths, initials in various styles. A Knitted Reefer—With fringed ends will be joyfully received and now the variety is large and pleasing. Silk Pyjamas and Silk Hosiery—Always appeal to men. Bath and Lounging Robes. Fancy Suspenders in Boxes.

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