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DEMOCRATS HUNT IN VAIN FOR MOSES

Unable, Look Where They Will, to Discover State Leader at This Trying Time.

SPLIT IS BECOMING WIDER

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Won't some good democrat please step forward and offer himself upon the altar of politics for the good of the democratic party and give himself as a sacrifice for the nomination for governor?

This is the cry going on every hand where democrats gather and was the theme for discussion among some of the faithful who gathered here today. The man who has the courage to step forward must be a perfect man. It will not do for him to have any flaws in his makeup. He must be a wet man with wet proclivities; he must be for Hitchcock and also for Mr. Bryan; he must be for peace and also for preparedness, for only such a man can hope to receive the united vote of a badly demoralized though once powerful party.

Bryan Opposed Hall. It was thought a few weeks ago that Dr. P. L. Hall could qualify under those requirements, but two things stood in the way. One was that the doctor utterly refused to toe the line and the other was that Mr. Bryan announced that he could not receive the Bryan support.

George Hall Barred. Some one this morning who has watched with considerable interest the way in which State Treasurer George Hall has stood up for the law and the constitution suggested that perhaps Hall might be the political Moses to save the party, but he was promptly informed with considerable joy by a democrat who has not been in sympathy with the treasurer's "stubbornness" that the statutes prohibited the state treasurer from being a candidate for governor during his term of office as treasurer.

Attorney General Willis E. Reed has been quoted as saying that were it not for the "abominable statutes" he would be just the man to fit into the situation and lead the party in an attempt to duplicate the stunt of the "Noble Six Hundred" of history.

No, Not Mayor Bryan! So there you are. Suggestions that the nomination might go by default are met with gloomy shakes of heads and the thing appears to be shaping itself either into that or toward the nomination of Mayor Charles Bryan.

Of course there is still Edgar Howard and J. S. Canaday of Minden left, but neither of these looks good to the democrat who takes a little for his stomach's sake. Both of these men are just as dry as Mayor Bryan and nothing looks good to most of the fellows who are now in the saddle if it is attached to the water wagon.

The situation from a democratic standpoint is very serious and getting more so all the time.

FRED E. BODIE BUYS INTO TECUMSEH BANK

TECUMSEH, Neb., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—J. O. Graf has sold his interests in the Citizens National Bank of Tecumseh to Fred E. Bodie. Mr. Bodie has assumed the management of the bank. He now owns a controlling interest. For more than three years Mr. Graf has been at the head of the institution, being in the banking business at Graf before that time. He desires to have more time to devote to personal interests, hence the sale. His family will continue to reside in Tecumseh.

JOHN WINK INJURED; ARM CAUGHT IN SHELLER

KEARNEY, Neb., Jan. 7.—(Special Telegram.)—John Wink, son of State Senator Peter Wink, was badly injured today, when his left arm was caught in the wheels of a corn sheller he was operating and his hand was badly lacerated. One finger was amputated, while two others were crushed. He was rushed to a local hospital and an operation was performed. He refused to take an anesthetic. The accident occurred at the Wink farm northeast of the city.

GAGE COUNTY NOTES

BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—The funeral of the late W. W. Black, the banker who passed away in this city Thursday morning, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Presbyterian church, conducted by Rev. N. P. Patterson. He will be assisted by Dr. L. L. Young of Lincoln and Dr. B. F. Galtier of this city.

A number of smallpox patients under quarantine at Wynmore will be released this week, and if no new cases develop schools, theaters, billiard and pool halls will open Monday. Authorities hope to have the scourge well in hand within the next week.

Announcement was received here Thursday of the death of Ezra Griggs, formerly of this city and son of the late N. K. Griggs, which occurred at Tacoma, Wash., Wednesday. Mr. Griggs was 39 years of age. The body will be taken to Lincoln for burial.

Notes from Fairbury. FAIRBURY, Neb., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Owing to the extremely cold weather that has prevailed in this county Wednesday and Thursday, the attendance at the tenth annual poultry show has been light. A number of exhibitors also failed to show up by reason of the weather.

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FRED MILLER BOUND OVER BY FEDERAL JURY

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Fred Miller, the Omaha restaurant man charged with conspiracy in connection with the robbery of the postoffice at Bradshaw, was bound over to the federal grand jury at a preliminary hearing today and his bond fixed at \$5,000, which so far he has been unable to furnish and he was taken back to the Lancaster county jail.

His attorneys made application to have him removed to the Omaha jail, where he would be close to his family, and where his family physician could attend him, as he has been in the hospital from the effects of three shots fired at him by the marshal of Bradshaw at the time of his arrest.

Cruelty Ground for Divorce. KEARNEY, Neb., Jan. 7.—(Special Telegram.)—Alleging that her husband, whom she married here in 1912, has been doing her to work as a domestic when she was not accustomed to the hardship, Mrs. Fred Byers today asked for a divorce in the district court. Her husband she alleges took her to Montana and later to Idaho, after their marriage and while there money sent from her parents to live on was spent by the defendant in riotous living. The husband is now in the west. No children were born.

Two Deaths at York. YORK, Neb., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Joseph Runnells died at his home, corner Eighth street and Platte avenue. He was 72 years old. He came to Nebraska in 1823 and has been a resident of York county for fourteen years. The body was taken to Luskton, where he resided for several years, for interment.

Oscola Trims Cozad. COZAD, Neb., Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Oscola High school defeated Cozad High school in a basketball game Wednesday night, 30 to 5. Cozad won the championship of York Platte valley last year, but failed to show the speed of the visiting team.

They Try to Place Blame for Neutral Trade Disturbance

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Responsibility, as between Great Britain and Germany, for the disturbance of neutral trade on the sea, was the subject of another spirited debate in the senate today during consideration of Senator Walsh's resolution to investigate the freight embargo at eastern ports.

When Senator Newlands was stating that the tying up of German ships was partly responsible, Senator O'Gorman interjected that he considered in that connection that 200 neutral vessels had been taken from commerce because of British orders in council, rightly designated by the State department to be in violation of all international law.

British Submarine Sunk Off Holland; All of Crew Saved. LONDON, Jan. 7.—The sinking of a British submarine off the coast of Holland was officially announced this morning. The crew was saved.

HOSPITAL PROVIDED FOR WOUNDED ARMY DOGS. BERLIN, Jan. 7.—(By Wireless to Sayville.)—The dogs of the army hospital service have had a hospital provided for them in Paris and already a number of dog patients have been treated there for wounds and various ailments. The hospital was built by convalescent soldiers. So far during the war the dogs of the service have rescued at least 3,000 wounded soldiers who otherwise would have perished.

GET IT FIRST—NOT LAST. When a cold grips your system it is convincing proof that your condition is weakened—remember that. It is risky indeed to simply trust your strength to throw it off, because neglected colds have brought more serious sickness than any other one thing, while weakening cathartics and stimulating syrups are often depressing and dangerous.

The one best treatment for any cold—the one so often relied on when others fail, is the powerful blood-nourishment in Scott's Emulsion, which feeds the very sources of bodily strength to suppress the present cold and generate strength to thwart further sickness. Get Scott's first, not last—and insist on the genuine—always free from alcohol and injurious drugs.

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SETTLE SUBJECT TO PENALTY

County Treasurers of Nebraska Make Remittances with This Proviso.

AUDITOR HAS IT INCLUDED

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 7.—(Special.)—Penalties for failure to remit taxes collected and due the state by county treasurers, will not be collected until after the supreme court has handed down its opinion in the suit brought by State Treasurer George Hall, to compel County Treasurer Ure of Douglas county to make monthly payments.

Annual settlements by county treasurers, which are now coming into the office of the state treasurer are received only with the provision endorsed thereon "subject to penalty." Some treasurers are inserting that themselves and where it is not inserted by the county treasurer and state auditor, whose duty it is to collect the 10 per cent penalty interest that notice.

York county came in this morning with a remittance of \$7,752. It has been several months since the York treasurer remitted and if the courts' rule against Ure, it will mean that the York treasurer will have to remit the penalty before his settlement will be received.

Safe in Internal Revenue Office at St. Paul is Robbed. ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 7.—From \$600 to \$5,000 in cash and internal revenue stamps which may total \$1,000,000 in value were stolen from the office of the collector of internal revenue in the old post-office building last night when the vault door was blown. The robbery was discovered today by D. C. Ryan, a janitor.

Immediately upon discovery of the robbery, E. J. Lynch, revenue collector, began an investigation and the local police departments of St. Paul and Minneapolis joined with federal agents in the hunt for the robbers.

Collector Lynch stated that the robbers had carefully taken negotiable stamps and had left unnegotiable stamps. Each point checked by the federal agents and police in their investigation indicates that the robbery not only was carefully planned and executed, but that it was committed by individuals well informed.

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Only our regular stock, manufactured in our own factory for the season. At Liberal Reductions. Stop and Look. You'll Be Convinced.

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- SHIRTS: \$1.50 B. K. Shirts...95c, \$2.00 B. K. Shirts...\$1.45, \$1.50 Manhattans...\$1.15, \$2.00 Manhattans...\$1.55, \$2.50 and \$3 Manhattans...\$1.95, \$3.50 and \$4 Manhattans...\$2.85, \$5.00 and \$6 Manhattans...\$3.85

- NECKWEAR: 50c kind, 35c; 3 for...\$1.00, \$1.00 kind, 65c; 2 for...\$1.25, \$1.50 kind, 95c; 2 for...\$1.75, \$2.00 kind, \$1.35; 2 for...\$2.50

- PAJAMAS: \$1.50 Madras and Flannel...\$1.15, \$2.00 Madras and Flannel...\$1.45

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GEO. T. WILSON, Mgr.

OPPORTUNITIES IN POULTRY

Missouri Expert Says Every Farm Should Have at Least Three Hundred Hens.

FANCY BIRDS ARE LUXURY

COLUMBIA, Mo., Jan. 7.—Opportunities in the poultry business today lie, not in the production of fancy birds, nor in the raising of poultry which is fed grain at market prices, but rather in the production of birds raised largely on waste grain, which has no market value. W. A. Lippincott, professor of poultry husbandry at the Kansas State Agricultural college, asserted in an address at the College of Agriculture of the University of Missouri here today.

In his address he urged community breeding and the establishment of more cold storage plants, pointing out that they serve to equalize prices. "Probably not much more than 15 per cent of the eggs produced in this country find their way into cold storage, yet this number is sufficient to have marked effect upon the prevailing price levels during the season of production and non-production," he said.

"Half the egg crop is produced in March, April, May and June. If it were not for the packer and his refrigerator,

contemptuously referred to as a cold storage, the farmer would have to be content with a price between 2 cents and 3 cents a dozen for eggs during the season when they are plentiful, and the consumer would have to pay \$3 to \$5 a dozen if he wanted eggs during the season when they are scarce."

Fancy Poultry is Luxury

Prof. Lippincott emphasized an assertion that exhibition poultry must be classed among the luxuries. He pointed out that in times of financial depression the first lines of business to feel the stringency are those who have to do with the luxuries, and said that in such times the public purchases poultry and eggs at good prices, long after exhibition birds have ceased to be saleable at any price.

"The much advertised rooster that sells for upwards of \$30 in the show room has about as much relation to the furnishing of society with eggs and poultry as the race horse has to plowing," he said. "A few men make money rearing and exhibiting poultry, but in both cases the very many fail to make expenses."

"Commercially, the poultry industry of today has largely paralleled the history of the development of the modern common carriers, and advanced with improvement of refrigerator cars. It was not until means were afforded for transporting products from the farm to the distant cities that production, beyond the demand of home needs, became an ob-

ject and poultry a source of considerable income.

Essentially Home Industry

"Even in its present high state of development, when the national valuation of the annual product is mounting toward \$1,000,000,000," he continued, "it has essentially remained a home industry, providing, however, a considerable surplus which is handled commercially."

"Taking the country over, there are 254 fowls to the square mile of improved land. I have been unable to get hold of the exact figures for Missouri, but I presume that this is not far from the correct figure for this state. Japan, I find, supports 327 fowls to the square mile without ill results, which allows less than eight-tenths of an acre per fowl. There is no reason, as far as I am able to see, why we should not go considerably beyond this with safety, and have a farm flock of at least 300 hens on any farm of 150 acres or more."

Profit Dollar Per Hen

"Furthermore, from figures taken from western states, I see no reason why these 300 hens should not supply the home needs and make a net profit above feed cost, but not including labor, of \$30. This profit may be enhanced by the general introduction of the quality payment system in the purchase of poultry and eggs. Another great opportunity for a large profit in poultry is going to come with the growth of the rural community. I refer to the introduction of community breeding. I hope we shall live to see the time when here and there over

Missouri, Kansas and the other western states, we shall find localities in which people have realized that they are a community in interest as well as location, and have gotten together to such a degree that they are all raising one breed and variety of chickens."

DUPONT POWDER MILL AT STOY, ILL., BLOWN UP

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 7.—Telephone advice from Stoy, Ill., this afternoon were that the plant of the Dupont Powder company there had been destroyed by an explosion. Persons in Stoy were hurt by flying glass and a panic was caused in the school at Robinson, Ill., but no one was seriously hurt. Two men had just left the plant.

Do You Suffer From Backache?

When your kidneys are weak and torpid they do not properly perform their functions; your back aches and you do not feel like doing much of anything. You are likely to be dependent and to borrow trouble, just as if you hadn't enough already. Don't be a victim any longer. Hood's Sarsaparilla gives strength and tone to the kidneys and builds up the whole system. Get it today.—Advertisement.

Advertisement for Nebraska Clothing Co. featuring a 'Smashing All Records' sale of suits and overcoats. Includes a photo of a man in a suit and a list of items and prices. Text: 'The "I Will" Man is Here'. 'Suits and Overcoats Half Price Sale'. 'Including Rochester, N. Y., finest hand-tailored garments—The World's Best.' 'Figure the Wonderful Saving Opportunities for Yourself'. 'SPECIAL NOTICE: No C. O. D.'s, no charges, no approvals, no exchanges, no refunds.'