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BRYAN AFTER THE CREDIT Over Honors for Getting Dollar Gas.

MANY VIEWS ON THIS QUESTION

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, April 26.—(Special.)—The city election fight in Lincoln continues to grow interesting. While it is generally conceded that City Attorney Foster is due the credit for bringing about the agreement for \$1 gas with the gas company, Charles W. Bryan is claiming that glory and every effort is being made to make votes for Brother Charlie on that proposition. Opponents of Mr. Bryan charge that W. M. Morning, who was the special counsel for the city in the gas litigation, knew that \$1 gas had been agreed upon, or was likely to be agreed on, and tipped the proposition off to Mr. Bryan, his personal friend, and that Mr. Bryan took the matter in hand and issued his famous manifesto demanding that \$1 gas be given to the people. Now a letter is being sent out by a bunch of patriots who, for some reason, are backing Mr. Bryan, in which they claim all the glory for \$1 gas for Mr. Bryan and a lot of other things for which it is claimed by some he is just as much entitled to. The letter is signed by Chester H. Aldrich, Elliott Lowe, George A. Adams, E. D. Beach, J. S. Ewart and E. G. Maggi. It is claimed that Mr. Bryan, if elected mayor, will force the gas company to pay back to gas consumers all they have paid in past years over and above the \$1 now to be charged.

JUSTICE ANDREWS of the New York supreme court, who is hearing the libel suit started against Theodore Roosevelt.



JUSTICE ANDREWS

CRAWFORD DEDICATES ITS NEW CITY HALL

CRAWFORD, Neb., April 26.—(Special.)—The new city hall was thrown open to the public here Saturday evening and many of the citizens took advantage of the opportunity to inspect the new building. The building is thoroughly modern in every detail, being provided with numerous lavatories, drinking fountains, shower baths for the firemen, etc. The building is Crawford's pride, providing rooms for mayor, city clerk and other officials, besides firemen, public library and Chamber of Commerce. The building cost \$15,000. The people's party gave a banquet Friday night in honor of the newly elected city officers, namely, Arsh L. Hugerson, mayor; C. L. Leitloff and Warren E. Barnum, councilmen, some 150 of Crawford's citizens being in attendance. It was called a "get-together" banquet for a bigger and better Crawford and was a pronounced success. The third annual session of the Nebraska district meeting of northwest Nebraska district No. 13, comprising the lodges of Harrison, Chadron, Gordon, Rushville and Crawford, was held in this city Thursday. The new officers elected are: President, Mildred Lyon, Gordon; vice president, Carrie Henderson, Rushville; warden, Iona Naylor, Chadron; secretary, Myrtle Longcar, Chadron; treasurer, Mary Fenske, Harrison.

GRAND ISLAND MAY MAKE MINIMUM LIGHT RATE

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., April 26.—(Special.)—That the city as a municipality will go out of the electric wiring business is a possibility. Such a step was recommended by Mayor Ryan in a message and verbal remarks in connection with the same. This would leave the wiring to be done by private parties or the private company, as the future might decide. Another recommendation is an increase in the rate to small consumers, by the imposing of a minimum monthly payment. Both propositions are now before the council. In the matter of the wiring it is alleged that it is difficult to keep an accurate accounting. On the whole, however, Mayor Ryan has recently reported the municipal ownership of the utility as very profitable, making many extensions and betterments out of the receipts of the plant and without direct taxation. Both his recommendations are before the council for action.

RICH FARMER KILLED WHEN AUTO OVERTURNS

TECUMSEH, Neb., April 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Julius Hansen, a well-to-do farmer living five miles southeast of Cook, this county, was instantly killed, and George Badburg, had three ribs broken and George Schone his collar bone and one rib broken this evening, when an automobile turned over. Badburg was driving the car a mile north of Cook when the accident happened. Hansen was 65 years of age and is survived by a widow and eight children.

Three Wedding in Chadron

CHADRON, Neb., April 26.—(Special.)—Mr. Ward A. Diehl and Miss Amelia K. Bare, also Mr. Leo J. Gray and Miss Harriet Elizabeth Hoffman, were married at the First Methodist church. The fathers of the brides gave them away, and the usual bridesmaids and best men were all two fold. Mr. Paul C. Hoffman and Miss Ruth G. Burns were married at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. F. M. Sturdevant of the first Baptist church. All three couples will reside in Chadron.

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Something New—Not a Dye—Acts on Roots—Makes Gray Hair Glossy, Soft, Dark. If your hair is gray, streaked with gray, prematurely gray, faded or falling, simply apply Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer to hair and scalp, a few times, rubbing it in gently with the finger tips; nothing else required. This simple treatment makes your gray hair dark, soft, fluffy, thick, giving the abundance which makes the hair so attractive. Q-Ban is not sticky or messy; harmless. Also stops dandruff, falling hair or itching scalp. Guaranteed to darken gray hair or no charge. Try it. Don't stay gray when Q-Ban will so easily darken your gray hair. Big 75c bottle only 50c at Sherman & McConnell Drug Co., Owl Drug Co., Harvard or Loyal Pharmacy, Omaha, Neb. Out-of-town folks supplied by mail.

Case Where Money May Be Paid With No Appropriation

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, April 26.—(Special.)—It has been discovered that the legislature made no appropriation for the payment of the salary of the state librarian. Herebefore an appropriation of \$1,500 has been made, which went to Harry Lindsay, who holds that position in addition to that of clerk of the supreme court. However, Mr. Lindsay is not worrying over the attempt of the economy finance committee to lop off the \$1,500, for the office is one provided in the constitution and an opinion of the supreme court in 1902, when Lee Herdman was clerk of the court, declares that no appropriation is necessary, as the salary is a constitutional one and will have to come from the general fund the same as any state office.

Wray Sticks to Party T. R. Made Famous

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, April 26.—(Special.)—Judge Arthur G. Wray, single taxer, socialist and bullmoose leader of Nebraska, proposes to mutate the boy who "stood on the burning deck whence all but him had fled," and will stick to the progressive party notwithstanding many of its principal leaders and most of its followers are "falling into line for the G. O. P." Judge Wray has written a letter to William Allen White of Emporia, Kan., commending him on his determination not to go back to the republican party if it meant going back to "Barnes and Penrose." The judge says, "It appears to me that the republican party is lapsing back pretty hopelessly into a reactionary status."

Knapp Will Case To Supreme Court

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, April 26.—(Special.)—Lutheria Ludden of Williamsburg, Mass., and Helen Anderson of Shelburn, in the same state have appealed to the supreme court of Nebraska from a judgment of the Douglas county district court in a case involving the legality of a will made by Jane C. Knapp of Douglas county. The jury in the case found that the will made by Mrs. Knapp leaving the property to Mrs. Cowles, a foster daughter, was valid and the two women from Massachusetts, cousins of the deceased in an effort to break the will have appealed to the supreme court.

Body of Neihart Exhumed; Rumor of Murder False

DUNBAR, Neb., April 26.—(Special.)—While with a party of four, dynamiting fish in a creek, August 23, 1914, near Holton, Kan., Earl Neihart, a former resident of Dunbar, was killed, physicians stating that the cause of his death was the concussion from an explosion while he was still in the water. Lately a rumor has been current around Holton, Kan., that he had been murdered, by having his skull fractured with some instrument, and the body placed in the water. On Sunday, his father, Alex Neihart, of Omaha, and his brother, M. W. Neihart, of Nebraska City, came to Dunbar, and had the body exhumed, and a post-mortem examination made by Dr. W. D. Gibson of Dunbar, and Dr. E. A. Smith of Holton. They found no fracture of the skull and reported that the death had undoubtedly been caused by accident.

Miss Anna Kranz of Cairo Commits Suicide

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., April 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Miss Anna Kranz, aged 35, disappeared from the home of her parents, three miles west of Cairo, last night, and this morning her dead body was found in a nearby creek. It is believed she committed suicide by drowning while temporarily deranged. She had acted peculiarly at times, though not in a manner indicating the contemplation of such a step or to require close watching.

Makes 61 Feet 1 1/2 In. 16. "I suffered with kidney ailment for two years," writes Mrs. M. A. Bridges, Robinson, Miss., "and commenced taking Foley Kidney Pills about ten months ago. I am now able to do all my work without fatigue. I am now 61 years of age and feel like a 18-year-old girl." Foley Kidney Pills strengthen and invigorate weak, tired and deranged kidneys; relieve backache, weak back, rheumatism and bladder trouble. They are tonic in action. Sold everywhere.—Advertisement.

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Harlan County Case Involving Judgment Up to Higher Court

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, April 26.—(Special.)—The Burlington railroad has appealed to the supreme court from a judgment secured in the district court of Harlan county by Frank Morris for injuries received by being struck by a locomotive while crossing the track of the Burlington about three miles west of Oxford. It is alleged by Morris that he was riding in an automobile driven by Thomas Askay and was struck by the train, hurled about fifty feet, his arm broken, shoulder crushed and other injuries received. He sued for \$10,000 and was awarded \$3,000. It was shown that the track curved at about 300 feet west of the crossing and that a row of trees hid the approaching train from view until within about thirty feet of the track. It is alleged that no whistle was blown or bell rung as a warning by the engineer. The road set up the defense that both men had been drinking and that they were exceeding the speed limit, going at twenty-five miles an hour. The railroad attempted to secure the passage of an automobile bill in the last legislature covering crossing accidents. The roads assert that if automobiles, and those especially driven by careless drivers, were required to stop 100 feet from a railroad crossing, the occupants would never see a train approaching and would be safe from accident. After passing the bill to a third reading it was brought back for specific amendment and killed.

Nebraska Convicts May Make Chairs

LINCOLN, April 26.—(Special Telegram.)—The State Board of Control may buy the equipment of the Handicraft Furniture company at the penitentiary and go into the business of manufacturing chairs. The contract with that company will soon expire and they have made the Board of Control an offer of the plant. The company manufactures chairs and tables of reed and fiber, and as the legislature passed an appropriation of \$100,000 for the purpose of establishing some sort of business that would keep the convicts at work the board is seriously considering the offer of the company. Today Commissioners Kennedy and Geddes went over the plant to make a thorough investigation.

Youth Instantly Killed When Falls Before Disc

DESHLER, Neb., April 26.—(Special.)—Bernard, the 11-year-old son of W. F. Drahman, living near this place, was thrown in front of a disc and instantly killed while returning from work with his father Saturday evening. The funeral was held at the Presbyterian church in Deshler today.

Notes from Gage County

BEATRICE, Neb., April 26.—(Special.)—Mrs. George Shock, an old resident of Blue Springs, died Saturday evening at her home there, aged 80 years. Prof. E. Conley and Herman Weiss, both of this city, have purchased the Fairbury Business college of Prof. M. H. Barringer, and will assume charge June 1. E. J. Cater, formerly manager of the Searle & Chapin Lumber company here and later holding the same position at Filley, died yesterday at a local hospital, aged 56 years. He left an estate valued at \$3,000, which, according to the will, is bequeathed to the Masonic home at Plattsmouth.

Superior Case Continued

SUPERIOR, Neb., April 26.—(Special Telegram.)—When the city council met this morning to hear the remonstrances against the saloon men Attorney McNony of Red Cloud, who is acting as attorney for the saloon men, asked for a continuance. Attorneys Anderson of Lincoln and Agee of Superior are conducting the case for the "dry." The council met Tuesday, May 4, as the date for the hearing. It is rumored that the council will attempt to pass a new license ordinance.

Vote for Edward Simon for city commissioner

The man who procured the passage of the mothers' pension law should be elected city commissioner—that's Edward Simon.—Advertisement.

New Fire Inspector

LINCOLN, April 26.—(Special.)—Otto Merrell of Ord, formerly county clerk of Valley county, has been appointed a fire inspector under Fire Commissioner Kildgell. This makes four inspectors now in the service of the state in that department, the same numbers as were appointed two years ago.

SKIN TROUBLE ALL OVER BODY

Itched Terribly, Could Not Sleep at Night, Clothing Aggravated Trouble, Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment Healed.

1363 Fulton St., Chicago, Ill.—"I noticed peculiar spots breaking out all over my body which itched terribly. They were red and later white and scaly. The eruption burned and itched so that I could not sleep at night. My clothing aggravated the trouble and made me itch more. "I took a treatment but got no relief. I read the Cuticura advertisement in the paper and wrote for a free sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used them as per directions and had my first night's rest in two months. Then I bought one box of Cuticura Ointment and had only used half of it with the Cuticura Soap when I was healed. I have no disfiguring scars left." (Signed) Frederick Saal, August 8, 1914. Keep your skin clear, scalp clean and free from dandruff, and hair live and glossy. Cuticura Soap, with an occasional use of Cuticura Ointment will do it. Sample Each Free by Mail With 22-p. Skin Book on request. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T. Boston." Sold throughout the world.

Now is the Accepted Time, Russia and France Warn Italy

ROME, April 26.—(Via Paris)—An energetic campaign is being conducted in the Italian press on behalf of the allies. Every day there appear telegrams from Petrograd warning Italy that if it does not soon intervene it will lose everything. It is said the allies have decided to give nothing in case they are victorious to a neutral power, which in the words of Jules Cambon, the French diplomat, "rushes to succor the victor." The newspapers also publish long reprobations from the French press, stating that Italy's participation in the war is imminent. Dispatches from London say the Italian ambassador there, Marquis Imperiali, is about to sign with Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign minister, an agreement containing clauses which provide that Italy shall side with the allies. Although dispatches from Berlin and Vienna on this subject are more guarded on account of the censorship of the press of those cities, efforts are being made to offset this campaign. Representatives here of the Berlin and Vienna newspapers are most active, and seek to convey the impression that every necessary measure will be taken to prevent Italy from abandoning its neutrality. It is affirmed that in the end Austria will be convinced of the necessity of making suitable territorial concessions, even if Germany is compelled to compensate it by ceding territory in Bavaria or Silesia. On this theory there are being prepared many imaginative lists of districts to be exchanged between Austria and Italy and between Germany and Austria. The truth of the matter is, however, that there is little basis for these various reports. It can only be said that the negotiations are still proceeding and they are surrounded with the deepest secrecy.

Hastings Family Ill from Poisoning

HASTINGS, Neb., April 26.—(Special Telegram.)—S. J. McCracken, former secretary of the O'Young Men's Christian association, his wife and two children suddenly became unconscious from poisoning yesterday, presumably either from bread or butter. The 4-year-old daughter first lost consciousness. While carrying her to a bed Mr. McCracken collapsed, receiving a serious wound on the head in falling. Mrs. McCracken and the other child were later stricken. After several hours' work a doctor restored the family and today they are nearly recovered.

Fairbury News Notes

FAIRBURY, Neb., April 26.—(Special.)—Owing to th heavy rain that prevailed Sunday, the exhibition game of base ball between the Fairbury State league team and Wilber nine was postponed. Time table No. 33 went into effect on the Nebraska division Sunday, and a number of changes were made in the arrival and departure of trains. The Jersey passenger train leaves Lincoln for the west forty minutes earlier and the eastbound train is forty-five minutes later. The St. Joseph passenger train 306 follows No. 6, the Denver Express, out of Fairbury at noon instead of preceding it, as formerly. Trains Nos. 77 and 28 run through from Belleville, Kan., to Denver instead of consolidating with Nos. 5 and 6. These changes are pleasing to railroad men. The union evangelical services which have been in session at Fairbury's new tabernacle since March 23, closed Sunday night. Rev. Oscar Lowry, evangelist, secured nearly 600 conversions. Rev. Mr. Lowry and party leave this week for

Woman Fatally Burned

BEATRICE, Neb., April 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. John Obering living ten miles northwest of Beatrice was probably fatally burned this afternoon in an explosion at her home while cleaning clothing with gasoline. She was rescued by her husband who also severely burned about the hands. The Obering home caught fire, but the flames were extinguished before doing much damage.

Dr. Bell's Fine Tar Honey

Get a 25c bottle today. Keep it for your cough and cold. Good for children, adult and aged. All druggists.—Advertisement.

Ship With American Delegates to Peace Meet is Held Up

LONDON, April 26.—The steamer Noordam, with forty American women delegates to The Hague Peace congress among its passengers, is anchored in the Downs, unable to obtain permission to proceed up the channel to Rotterdam. James Addams has sent an appeal to United States Ambassador Page, urging him to enlist the aid of the American government to secure the release of the marooned delegates and enable them to

arrive at The Hague in time for the conference, which opens Wednesday.

Answering the appeal of Miss Addams, Mr. Page said it would be impossible for the embassy to aid the delegates to reach The Hague. All shipping to Dutch ports has been stopped, he explained, and it was not even possible for the members of the embassy to make the trip.

JAMES MAHER, HEAD OF COLUMBUS KNIGHTS, DEAD

CHICAGO, April 26.—James Maher, national supreme director of the Knights of Columbus, died at his home here yesterday. He was born in Wilmington, Del., in 1858. He is survived by a widow and three children.

Advertisement for STAR CHEWING TOBACCO. Includes illustration of two men smoking and a pack of STAR tobacco. Text: "It's Always STAR When Good Fellows Get Together". "Men Who Chew Are Men Who DO". "In this country are thousands of miles of railroad tracks, hundreds of railroad bridges, and thousands of trains rushing from place to place." "The men who chew tobacco built these bridges, laid these tracks and drive these fast-moving trains. In every part of the railroad service we find these thoughtful, quick-acting, manly men, making thinking more accurate, labor lighter and pastime more pleasant by chewing STAR tobacco." "STAR is their favorite for worktime and playtime. They find complete tobacco comfort and full tobacco enjoyment in the thick, mellow STAR plug." "You'll like STAR, too—you'll like the honest weight—the superior chewing quality. You'll find the last bite as good as the first and each new plug a new delight." "So many 'chewers and doers' chew STAR that one hundred and twenty-five million ten cent pieces are sold each year—enough to follow the railroad from New York to New Orleans, then to San Francisco and enough left over to stretch to Tacoma, Washington." "16 oz. Plugs 10c Pieces". "Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co."

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