RESULT IN THE STATE INTERNATIONAL

SHOWING OF RETURNS OF MUNIC. IPAL ELECTIONS IN THE STATE

MAYORS OF TOWNS IN STATE

Returns Show Many "Dry" Gains-Some "Dry" Towns Shift to "Wet" Column

Western Newspaper Union News Service

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Emerson
Farwell
Fairbury
Grand Island,
Hartington
Hastings •Hebron
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'ast year.
† Indicates no contest.

The following were chosen for mayor at Tuesday's election in Nebraska towns:
Alnsworth, Cass Moore.
Alliance, P. E. Roming.
Albion, S. P. Paine.
Alma, J. G. Thompson.
Arapahoe, Charles A. Patterson
Ashland, Thomas Daily,
Atkinson, John Nelson
Aurora, J. M. Woodward
Auburn, W. P. Freeman.
Benson, C. L. Mather.
Beaver City, J. W. Kelly.
Biair, F. W. White.
Bloomington, C. E. Moffat.
Broken Bow, W. W. Walters.
Chadron, A. G. Fisher.
Central City, L. C. Staats.
Columbus, M. M. Rothleitner.
Crawford, Arah L. Hungerford.
Creighton, H. J. Steinhausen.
Crete, Ed W. Parker
Clay Center, J. E. Wheeler.
David City, J. R. Evans.
Edgar, A. J. Lepper.
Florence, F. S. Tucker.
Fremont, George F. Murrel.
Fairfield, William Enrich.
Fairbury, Elbert W. Mason.
Friend, C. E. Bowlby.
Falls City, R. A. Heacock.
Fairmont, L. R. McAlpin.
Gothenburg, D. A. Carroll.
Grand Island, Charles G. Ryan.
Hartington, Anton Walz.
Harvard, George H. Thomas.
Hastings, William Madgett.
Havelock, J. J. Cloos.
Hebron, T. H. Carter.
Holdrege, John Bragg.
Humboldt, Brunn.
Kearney, C. W. Kibler.
Lexington, James Byrns.

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Madtson, W. H. Field.

McCook, C. E. Lawritson.

Milford, W. G. Harold.

Minden, W. R. Watt.

North Bend, R. C. Brownell.

Norfolk, John Friday.

North Platte, E. H. Evans.

Neligh, R. H. Rice,

Oakland, A. Hammarstrom.

Ord, John C. Work.

Orleans, C. T. Simpson.

Pierce, Daniel Duff.

Plattsmouth, Emmons J. Rice Orleans, C. T. Simpson.
Pierce, Daniel Duff.
Plattsmouth, Emmons J. Richey.
Ponca, G. L. Wood.
Randolph, O. O. Reid.
Rushville, C. Phillippe.
Red Cloud, Robert Damerael.
Scottsbluff, Frederick Alexander.
Seward. George Merriam.
St. Paul, H. J. Paul.
Schuyler, Otto Zuelow.
Superior, W. S. Young.
Tekamah, S. A. Wasson.
Tecumseh, H. S. Villars.
University Piace, J. L. Claffin.
Weeping Water, F. H. Gorder.
West Point, Martin E. Kerl.
Wymore, Adam McMullen.
Wayne, D. H. Cunningham.
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Wayne, William J. Lehr.
York, William Colton.

Farm Brings \$220 an Acre

Fremont.-The I. C. Banghart farm north of North Bend sold for \$220 an acre, setting a new high mark for farm land in that vicinity. Arthur Stopp is the new owner. Mr. Banghart died last fall and Mrs. Banghart has moved to North Bend. The land has a fine set of farm buildings.

Beatrice.-Rural mail carriers report considerable improvement in the roads on their routes. For the first time in a month the carriers operating from the Beatrice postoffice are now able to drive their entire routes. Farmers in this vicinity have been busy the past few days dragging the roads and putting them in condition for travel.

While excavating for the new school house at Campbell, workmen unearthed portions of the skeleton of a mastodon.

Campaign Against Gophers

Beatrice.-Farm Demonstrator Liebers has arranged to start on a campaign against the pocket gophers in Gage county during the month of April. He is sending out circulars to all scholars and every farmer in Gage county to co-operate in the work. He estimates that this pest causes a damage of at least \$100,000 every year in Gage county.

Dairymen at Beatrice have taken steps to organize a cow-testing association.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

(Ty E. O. SELLERS, Acting Director of Sunday School Course, The Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, Ill.)

LESSON FOR APRIL 18

THE SHEPHERD'S PSALM.

LESSON TEXT-Psaim 23. GOLDEN TEXT-The Lord is my Shepherd.-Ps. 23:1.

This is the most famous of the shepherd king's writings. Probably written in his later life, he borrows his figure from the experience of his youth. The relation of the lamb to David is a type to him of his relations to God. Israel's greatest poet had ample time for meditation in the days of his youth as he followed the occupation of shepherd. His playing on the harp is famous and he made the first official use of music in the worship of Jehovah (see I Chron. 15: 15-24). The word "Psalm" is from the Greek, and first meant a stringed instrument. The Hebrew title of this book is "Praises." Of the 150 psalms David is expressly credited with 73.

To fully study this, the sweetest of all psalms, we must consider it verse

(1) "My Shepherd." The lamb is David. The Shepherd is Jehovah. The time is man's natural time on earth. The rest is in the future. This Shepherd so provides that the lamb "shall not want." It is his business to care for his sheep. We are the sheep. Jesus is the Shepherd, and his sheep obey his voice (John 10:4, 5). We shall not want for food, for drink, for grace, for quietness, for companionship, for guidance and for welcome back to the fold at the end of the day or in the time of storm.

(2) "He leadeth me." "The Lord is my Shepherd because (a) he bought me; (b) he feeds me; (c) he leads me." -Robertson. To fully comprehend the deep significance of this psalm we must try to know the land of Palestine and the habits of eastern shepherds; how they feed their flocks, know them by name, and keep constant vigil against the danger of flood and wild beasts. The Lord is an individual shepherd, interested in the one as well as the whole, and as such attends to each individual's need. He provides a place for us to "lie down in pastures of tender grass;" he also causes us to walk beside "waters of quietness." He makes us to lie down at times and he knows where to lead, providing at the same time both food and drink.

(3) "He restoreth my soul." The Shepherd revives our faintness. If the lamb is too weak, he carries it "in his bosom" until it is revived. Many are the ways he revives us. A word, a sentence, a paragraph, or an experience will ofttimes restore the sick, weary, sorrowful or sin-buffeted child of God. He also leads-remember he does not drive-and his paths are paths of pleasantness and of peace. His paths are "right tracks," not the delusive ones of sin. We cannot walk in these paths without his leadership, without his strengthening rest, without the invigorating food and drink which is provided for us by the

Good Shepherd. (4) "Yea though I walk." Just as every need has been and will be provided for (Phil. 4:19) even so will every fear be banished. The flock has passed beyond the "tender grass" and 'waters of quietness" into new and strange experiences, into the "valley of deepest darkness," not alone the experience of physical death but all of life's experiences that are shrouded by thick, impenetrable darkness, for the Christian does not always walk in paths of light. Sometimes we scarcely see the Shepherd, but we may always hear his voice. Dark valleys may lie between two excellent pasturage grounds even as Bunyan suggests in Pilgrim's Progress. Death is a shadow, not a substance, for the sting of sin has been removed (I Cor. 15:54-57). Why not fear? "For thou art with me" and he is stronger than any possible enemy. There are dangers which we cannot cope with, but as he is with us "we are able."

(5) "My cup runneth over." Here the figure changes. Jehovah is now the bountiful host. What a repast he has spread! David as a shepherd and as a fugitive from Saul knew the pinch of hunger and the satisfaction of eating in peace, in the very presence of his enemies, man and beast. They that are Christ's have enemies (John 15:19; II Tim. 3:12), but as our Host he has spread a banquet in their very presence while the world goes on feeding upon the husks. He also anoints our heads with the "oil of gladness," the Holy Spirit (Acts 10:38; I John 2:20, 27 R. V.). For the ancient feast this anointing was an essential preparation.

(6) "I shall dwell . . . forever." Goodness and mercy pursue the psalmist in marked contrast with the calamity and the angel of judgment which follow the wicked (Ps. 35:6; 140:11). There is a perpetuity of blessing as well as the penalty of sin. The psalmist leaves the feast for his dwelling house which shall abide "to length of days." This is to be interpreted in its fullness only by the New Testa-

ment (John 14:1-3; I Thess. 4:16, 17). Everlasting fellowship, communion and companionship with the Chief Shepherd, the "great Shepherd of the sheep."

DEFEATS THE BILL

REVERSE SENTIMENT IN HOUSE KILLS INSURANCE BILL.

BOARD TO EXAMINE INSANE

Sterilization Bill is Approved by House -Compensation Law Working Out

Western Newspaper Union News Service. Through a surprising reversal of sentiment among members of the house, the fire insurance rate bill, S. F. No. 46, was defeated less than twenty-four hours after it had been passed to third reading by a majority of 2 to 1 in its favor. The bill mustered only 45 votes when it came up for third reading, while the opposition mustered 50.

Supporters of the bill died hard, and Mr. Mockett, who had charge of it on the floor, refused to give up the fight until two roll calls of the house had been orderd and successively raised. Desperate efforts were



DENNIS CRONIN

of House of Representatives from Fifty-third district. Mr. Cronin is editor of the O'Neill Tribune.

put forth to change votes from the negative to the affirmative side. Several times Speaker Jackson was called upon to enforce the rule that the members must be in their own seats when third reading of bills is in progress. This prevented a systematic canvass on the floor.

Report of settlement of sixty-four accidents under the compensation law were received in the bureau of labor one day last week. Deputy Commissioner of Labor Coffey said thereon: "While accidents of any kind are to

be regretted, but they happen, and they bear down more heavily upon the workers of the state than any other class of people for the reason that they ill can afford the loss of time and the resultant loss of earning

"If the wisdom of the legislature in passing the compensation law needed justification more than it has already received these sixty-four accident reports, together with the report of the adjustment and the settlement of the same, fully and completely justifies. Under the former method of adjusting these work accidents there would have been sixty-four lawsuits, and there would have been sixty-four employes and their dependents waiting on an average of about three years to learn whether there should be any sort of compensation for the work accident. And there would probably have been sixty-four employes looking for other employment, after they had been repaired and able to return to work again.

Sterilization Bill Passes.

The senate sterilization bill was recommended for passage in the house Thursday morning after a spirited fight had been put up against the bill by Nichols of Madison and others, aided by Lanigan, Cronin and others of a religious faith which is generally believed to oppose the measure on religious grounds.

The measure provides that the board of control shall name five physicians from the medical staff of the state institutions as a board of examiners, three of which are to come from the state hospitals for the insane, a vote of three of this board to constitute a majority.

Secretary of State Pool has chosen automobile tags to be used under the provisions of the new automobile law which has passed both houses and has been signed by the governor. The tags are metal plates. Those to be used on automobiles will have a white background with black figures and letters four inches high. Those for motorcycles will have a yellow background with black letters and will be half the size of those used on automobiles. The tags will not be received by the secretary of state for several days yet.

Secretary of State Pool received \$2,289.18 in fees and penalties during the month of March. The largest item was \$1,470.55 for filing articles of incorporation, the next largest \$441.10 for corporation permits issued. Licenses were issued for 421 new motor cars and renewals for 1.385 cars. This money under the present law stays with the county treasurers.

The governor has signed the chiropractic bill. The measure recognizes this class of healers. The law will become effective July &

SICK GIRL'S CRIES **REUNITE PARENTS**

Father, After Signing Pledge, Secures Dismissal of Cases, Including Divorce Suit.

Aurora, Ind.-When Edith, the three year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Wehmeler, became seriously ill and cried for her papa, the mother, Mrs. Edith Schwab Wehmeler, notified her husband, from whom she had been separated, and a reconciliation took place beside the bed of the sick child. The Wehmelers separated after a quarrel, Mrs. Wehmeier caused her husband's arrest on the charge of assault and battery, desertion and failure to provide, and then filed a petition for divorce.

Wehmeler was fined \$50 and costs on the assault charge and was bound



A Reconcilation Took Place Beside the Bed of the Sick Child.

over to the Dearborn county circuit court on the wife and child desertion charge. While held in the county jail he professed religion and signed a pledge never to drink intoxicating liquors again and friends obtained his release on bond. When the cases against him were called he locked arms with his wife and went before Judge Warren N. Hauck, explained his troubles, and the judge consented to the motion of Willard E. Dean, prosecuting attorney, to dismiss the cases. After paying the costs in the divorce suit Mr. and Mrs. Wehmeler left the courtroom together.

HAS A WATCH IN HER HEAD

Five-Year-Old Girl Has Remarkable Case of Tinnitus-Cause Not Discovered.

Philadelphia, Pa.-What physiclans describe as a rare and remarkable case of tinnitus was exhibited here at a meeting of the section of otology and laryngology of the College of Physicians.

The case was that of a five-year-old girl in whose head a sound resembling the ticking of a watch can be distinctly head. The ticking sound has been going on in the child's head for two months, according to the physician who brought her to the meeting. By placing their ears close to the side of her head those present could plainly hear the sound, but none of the specialists was able to determine the cause of the trouble.

The child, who appeared unusually bright, said that she hears the ticking all the time, but is not troubled by it.

PHONE A BURGLAR ALARM

Yeggmen Knock It Over During Robbery and Central Calls Police.

Philadelphia.-The alertness of a telephone operator in the North Keystone exchange here prevented the completion of a burglary and led to the arrest of one of two yeggmen.

The girl was Vera McMenamin of Germantown. Someone moving around in the office of C. O. Strauss & Sons knocked over a desk telephone at one o'clock in the morning. She responded to the call and heard:

"Go ahead, Frank! We can get it yet. Break ft!"

She also heard the pounding of met al on metal. She called the Ridge Avenue police station, told Sergeant Hess of the mysterious voice, and gave him the location of the telephone.

OPERATE ON "PRETTY POLL"

Two Surgeons and Trained Nurse Are Catted in for Accomplished Bird.

Springfield, Mo.-Attended by trained nurses, "Polly," a parrot belonging to Mrs. A. L. Bailey, was operated on by two physicians for the removal of a diseased gland. "Polly" entered strong objections to being put under the influence of an anesthetic and it was not administered. The operation required an hour and a half, after which the bird was bundled up

by Mrs. Bailey and taken home. Talking over the telephone, singing and whistling are some of "Polly's" accomplishments. "Polly" is fifty years old.

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the farm, remember t. "here have a common
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Governor Strong of Alaska reports that the white population of the ter- reports two divorces to each 12 marritory is estimated at 39,000, an increase of 3,000 over last year's estimate. The area is 590,884 square miles, and the density of the total population per square mile at the last federal census was one inhabitant to ten square miles of area.

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Most of Us Are.

"Young man, are you the victim

"Of habits, sir-other people's."-Boston Evening Transcript.

No War Tax on Homestead Land in Canada

The report that a war tax is to be placed on Homestead lands in Western Canada having been given considerable circulation in the United States, this is to advise all enquiers that no such tax has been placed, nor is there any intention to place a war tax of any nature on such lands. (Signed) W. D. Scott, Sapt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, March 15th, 1015.

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