

### Eight Colleges to Compete in Oratorical Meet

#### Championship of Nebraska to Be Decided at Contest at Creighton University March 2.

Final contest to settle the oratorical championship of Nebraska will be held Friday, March 2, at Creighton university, by the Nebraska College Oratorical association.

Eight contestants, from as many different colleges, the survivors of nearly 1,000 candidates, are entered. The winner will represent Nebraska at the western divisional contest of the Inter-State Oratorical association.

The western division is composed of Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri and Kansas.

To Pick Winners. At the divisional contest, the three best orators will be selected to compete against the three winners of the eastern division, including Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan and Wisconsin.

Schools to be represented in the local contest include Creighton university, Hastings college, Midland college, Nebraska Wesleyan university, Grand Island college, Cotner college, York college and Doane college.

Concludes 33d Year. This contest will conclude the 33d year of work of the Nebraska association, which was organized in 1889 under the direction of the Inter-State association.

Judges will include George A. Day, judge of the supreme court, Lincoln, Neb.; J. R. Perkins, pastor of the First Congregational church, Council Bluffs, Ia.; and J. R. Sweet, editor of the Nebraska City Daily Press.

### Speakers to Compete



Here are four candidates for state oratorical honors in the Nebraska College Oratorical association who will compete in a contest Friday night, March 2, at Creighton university. Reading from left to right, they are William Tabot of Hastings college, Turner J. Kunel of Doane college, Miss Bernice Wilson of York college, who will deliver an oration, "The Hebrew-American," and Francis Charvat of Creighton university, who will speak on the Ku Klux Klan.

### Brookhart Calls Felton "Bird Dog" of Rail Kennels

#### Iowa Senator Declares Great Western President's Main Function Is to Demand Higher Rates.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Samuel M. Felton, president of the Chicago & Great Western railroad, was characterized by Senator Brookhart, republican, Iowa, in a senate speech Friday as "the leading bird dog of the railroad kennel" whose chief function seems to be to demand "rates high enough to yield a return of his great reservoir of dirty water."

Senator Brookhart's speech was in answer to a recent letter by Mr. Felton in which he assailed statements made by the senator against the railroads.

"Out in Iowa, we, at times, have been infested with a species of stock promoter who sold his stock through diverse methods of false pretense," said Senator Brookhart.

"A favorite method was to donate a stock subscription to a leading bank or a citizen and on the strength of this subscription, secure subscriptions from others. In our state such banker or leading citizen has become designated and well known as a 'bird dog.'"

"At the present time the leading 'bird dog' in this kennel is Samuel M. Felton, president of the Chicago, Great Western railway. Mr. Felton is usually well qualified for this exalted position. He is president of the poorest and most waterlogged railroad in

### Spring Season Is to Bring Forth Beauteous Buds in London Society

London, Feb. 24.—English society is looking forward to a 1923 season of unusual gaiety.

The 1923 season, which opens in late spring, will bring forth some of the most beautiful debutantes London has seen for many a day.

Among these are: Lady Rachel Howard, Hon. Imogen Grenfell, Hon. Nancy Mitford, Miss Merand Guinness, Lady Patricia Herbert, Lady Jean Dalrymple.

Lady Rachel Howard is the sister of the young Duke of Norfolk, England's premier duke, who is still a schoolboy.

The Hon. Imogen Grenfell is the youngest daughter of Lord and Lady Desborough. She has long been a favorite among those intellectual people who have spent weekends at Taplow Court, the country home of her parents.

The United States. It has the best equipment and the finest facilities for the training of 'bird dogs' since his presidency the principal function of Mr. Felton has been to appear in rate cases as a leading witness, pointing out the inability of his road to earn anything and demanding rates high enough to yield a return upon his great reservoir of dirty water.

Incidentally, and true to his species and training, he has always insisted that these high rates should be granted to all other railroads, even though their profits arose to an unconscionable level."

Another Earth Shock. Washington, Feb. 24.—Another heavy earth shock, apparently cen-

tering in the same locality as the tremendous quake that shook the Pacific on February 3, was recorded early today on the seismographs of Georgetown university.

Cleveland, Feb. 24.—The seismograph at St. Ignace college observatory recorded "a moderate disturbance" starting at either 2:55 or 3:04 a. m. this morning, reaching greatest intensity at 3:11 a. m., and stopping at 4 a. m., Father Odenbach, head of the observatory said.

The shock was at a great distance possibly 6,000 to 7,000 miles, possibly between Asia Minor and Japan, Father Odenbach said.

American women in Peking, China, outnumber the men.

### Cattle Receipts Show Increase

#### January, 1923, Gains 40,958 Over Same Month Last Year in Omaha.

Increase in cattle receipts at the Omaha Union stockyards for January, 1923, was 40,958, according to

the monthly bulletin of the Stockyards National bank. Increase in calf receipts over the same period is reported as 3,083; increases in hogs, 89,802; increases in sheep, 43,502; increases in horses at mules, 1,067, and increase in total cars, 2,823. Top price so far this year for corn fed beef steers is \$11; for feeding steers, \$8.25; for cows and heifers, \$3.25; hogs, \$8.50; fat lambs, \$14.85; fat ewes, \$8.10, and wethers and yearlings, \$12.75.

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### Omaha Market Deluged by Hogs

#### New Record for Year Set by Receipts Here Saturday.

Hogs deluged the South Omaha market Saturday in the largest quantities so far this year. They sold around \$7.95.

H. C. Hofner, farmer near Bloomington, Neb., brought in 50 head in trucks. The animals average 303 pounds, and brought \$7.95 a hundred. They were high grade Poland Chinas. Mr. Hofner is a strong supporter of the hog's utility in using up farm crops. He has been feeding livestock for the Omaha market for 40 years and says, on the whole, he has found it profitable.

Hilmer Olson of Madison, Neb., also was on the market with a load of Poland China hogs, fed for five months on corn, and averaging 245 pounds. He reported there is plenty of corn in his vicinity for feeding purposes, although some of it was shipped out. He reported some hogs killed by cholera.

John Ernst of Treynor, Ia., was on the market with the heaviest load of cattle offered during the day, averaging 1,455 pounds, which sold at the day's top of \$9.40. He also had 17 head of lighter cattle, averaging 1,294 pounds, which sold for \$8.95.

J. S. Beecher of Creston, Ia., brought a load of year and a half old hogs. J. M. Higgins of Rogers, Neb., offered a load of short horn steers, which he bought on the local market last October as feeders. They averaged 1,338 pounds and sold for \$9 a hundred. They were fed on alfalfa and corn. Higgins also brought in a load of Poland China hogs, averaging 275 pounds, which sold for \$7.95.

Abe Reymah, Tekamah, who also brought a load of hogs, gave it as his opinion that hogs are the best money makers for the farmers.

### Captain Lanhier to Command 2,850-Mile Flight to San Juan

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 24.—With 10 of the 12 pilots who will leave here March 1 on their 2,850-mile "hop" for San Juan, Porto Rico, in attendance, a preliminary course of instruction under the direction of officers of the San Antonio air intermediate depot has started. The purpose of the trip, according to Capt. Thomas G. Lanhier, commander of the flight, is to prove that Panama canal can be defended successfully by air forces in the event of a war.

The army aviators will leave in six De Havilland planes, two pilots to a plane. Drawing for planes and partners took place today. Each pair of pilots will be expected to give particular attention to the ship assigned and to study every subject which can serve to obviate anticipated difficulties of the air voyage.

### Rohrer Heads His Agents in Two Night Rum Raids

Ur S. Rohrer, prohibition director, and his agents, Nickerson, Vogel and Hancock, raided two places Friday. They arrested Charles Cheshek and his wife at Eighteenth street and Chandler road, just south of the city limits in Sarpy county. Here they found three pints of whisky and 40 quarts of home brew.

At the home of W. R. Goodman, Eighteenth and Sidney streets, Sarpy county, they arrested Goodman and W. J. Kalasek, C. F. Kuhney and Harry Potal, these three stating they are residents of Plattsmouth.

### President of Baptist World Alliance Expires

Daytona, Fla., Feb. 24.—Dr. Robert Stuart MacArthur of New York, president of the Baptist World Alliance, died at his winter pastorate at Daytona Beach late last night of acute indigestion.

### Community Hall Burns

Callaway, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—The large community hall, known as Wildcat hall, located about 12 miles northeast of Comstock, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin.

### Stage Big Wolf Hunt

Norfolk, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Half a dozen wolves were killed northwest of here in an organized hunt participated in by 1,200 hunters.

### Wife Beaten to Death by Mate

#### Such Is Charge on Which Coast Real Estate Agent Is Jailed.

Santa Cruz, Cal., Feb. 24.—Mrs. R. J. Masters died here today from what physicians pronounced the effect of a beating Thursday night, apparently with an iron or steel rod. District Attorney Smith announced that her

husband, a real estate agent, who was held in jail yesterday, would be charged with murder.

Masters told the police that he and his wife were attacked in bed by two men, one masked, and that they held him powerless and beat his wife.

A son and daughter, questioned by the police, were reported to have said they heard moans and entered their parents' room to find their mother on the floor and their father wiping blood from a pillow. There are two other children, one a baby of 4 months.

The police said they had evidence that the couple had quarreled over the wife's charge that her husband had been attentive to other women.

### Tut, Tut, for King Tut

Let Lord Carnarvon Follow Me for a Few Lessons in High-Class Discovery, Says Sir Robert Samardick, the Eminent Whiskilogist.

Old King Tut was a merry old nut. He dog himself a cave. And called it his grave. But he couldn't have hid out on me. (From the great pocket anthropology of Sir Robert Samardick.)

A frown of unmistakable displeasure was writ across the noble brow of Sir Robert Samardick, the eminent whiskilogist, as he perused the

to the Zoological Institute in Washington," declared Sir Robert. "The relics will be stored away for the time being in the Dempsey museum at Eleventh and Dodge streets, until plans for their final disposition, probably in the museum at Leavenworth, can be made.

"My only regret," continued Sir



news of the day and found there that which was not to his liking.

"Tut, tut," he exclaimed in unrelenting content, "How come such a beating of the typographical tons over this King Tut guy? He wasn't trying to hide from anybody."

The famous whiskilogist snorted sardonically, tossed his paper to one side and summoned his cohorts to gather around him.

"Let us be off, grave diggers," he shouted. "We have work to do this day. To the kings and deuce spots along the Big Pueblo in the heart of the great American desert we shall go, there to see out the hidden precious treasures which may abound."

Four hours later triumphant shouts echoing through the corridors of the federal building announced the return of the great explorer's caravan. Sir Robert marching proudly at the head.

"Success is ours," exclaimed the eminent whiskilogist with many flourishes. "Witness our astounding discoveries taken from the sealed inner chambers."

Exhibit No. 1.—A genuine relic of the year 14 B. P. (before prohibition) enclosed in a glass container of the type in which the carcass of John Barleycorn was saturated before being placed in the tomb. The hieroglyphics . . . wrought up on the container with exquisite art. It was revealed by learned students of the B. P. period, indicate that the relic was of the "Hennessy dynasty." A very rare and precious specimen.

Exhibit No. 2.—A mummy wrapped in the gentle aroma of a perfume so potent it staggered those on the windward side. The mummy appeared to be in a perfect state of preservation and, according to Lord Robert, had no doubt been embalmed by the ancient method of "stewing," a process that to the world in the passing of the ages. Through the potency of the perfume the mummy was identified as a specimen of the "Pebbleford period."

"I shall immediately dispatch a report of these marvelous discoveries

Robert with a wistful sigh, "is that we were unable to recover the sarcophagus. But its giant hiller and great number of coils made it unwieldy, and then one of the boys to his enthusiasm carelessly dropped an ax on it. It would have made a very interesting exhibit."

Sir Robert sighed again, and then he went out to a nearby soda fountain for a malted milk, still tut, tutting King Tut.

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### Two Years to Pay—No Payments Until May, 1923

Although the campaign for \$250,000 with which to build a New Brownell Hall, a great girls' school for the middle west, will be launched February 26, no payments will be asked on the pledges until May, 1923---and then only one-fourth of the pledges. Eighteen months will be allowed for redeeming the other three-fourths of the pledge.

First Payment, Due May 1, 1923.	Third Payment, Due May 1, 1924.
Second Payment, Due Nov. 1, 1923.	Fourth Payment, Due Nov. 1, 1924.

### For Example—

A \$20 subscription means:	A \$50 subscription means:	A \$200 subscription means:
\$5 May 1, 1923.	\$12.50 May 1, 1923.	\$50 May 1, 1923.
\$5 Nov. 1, 1923.	\$12.50 Nov. 1, 1923.	\$50 Nov. 1, 1923.
\$5 May 1, 1924.	\$12.50 May 1, 1924.	\$50 May 1, 1924.
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A \$500 subscription means:	A \$1,000 subscription means:	
\$125 May 1, 1923.	\$250 May 1, 1923.	
\$125 Nov. 1, 1923.	\$250 Nov. 1, 1923.	
\$125 May 1, 1924.	\$250 May 1, 1924.	
\$125 Nov. 1, 1924.	\$250 Nov. 1, 1924.	

## Will Erect Building in Spring

Arrangements have already been made to finance the building of the New Brownell Hall on the strength of the pledges which will be made during the week of February 26th. Construction of the building will be started this spring. The structure will be ready for occupancy by the beginning of the school term in September.

## Brownell Hall Is a Great Public Project, Being Supported by Public Spirited Men and Women, Because—

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- The fact that the Great Girls' School of the Middle-west should be in Omaha.
- The economical advantage of a school that will start by bringing more than \$100,000.00 into Omaha annually.
- It will make for a greater city.
- It will be a powerful character builder, teaching the Bible as well as economic courses.
- The Middlewest will have a Girls' Academy, the equal of any other girls' school in America—Omaha is the place for it.

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### Campaign Starts Next Monday—Help Build Omaha