

THE FALLS CITY TRIBUNE

W. S. LEYDA FOR MAYOR

CITIZENS CAUCUS HELD WEDNESDAY EVENING

Meeting Was Well Attended—Leyda Was Nominated Over Henry C. Smith

Wednesday night one of the most exciting and best attended city caucuses for many years in this city, was held at the court house. The court room was filled to overflowing and many good speeches were made. The Committee on Resolutions brought in the following report:

Resolutions.
First—We endorse the administration of the past two years of Mayor Keeling and express our appreciation of his work as mayor of Falls City. He was a painstaking official and gave much time to the city and accomplished much good.

Sec.—We endorse the position that those who are nominated here tonight be pledged not to make any official effort to disturb the present policy of the city as to the liquor question.

Third—We are in favor of a complete and ample sewerage system and request that the incoming city council take the necessary steps to secure the same.

Fourth—We are in favor of the extension of the paving as far as possible and believe that proper ordinances should be adopted in order to secure the same in a business like way.

Fifth—We believe that school houses should be built in proper localities to provide for all the children of the town and especially in the Third Ward.

Sixth—We believe that proper steps should be taken to secure an ample and pure supply of water for the city.

Seventh—We believe that water mains should be extended to the east and southeast portion of the city and where needed.

Eighth—We believe that a new city jail should be provided.

L. P. Wirth nominated W. S. Leyda for mayor and T. J. Gist nominated H. C. Smith. Leyda received 156 votes and Smith 101, giving Leyda a majority of 55 votes over Smith.

John Wiltse was nominated for city clerk by acclamation.

G. M. Barret and Frank Schaible were nominated for city treasurer and as the balloting seemed favorable to Schaible, Barret arose and moved that he be nominated unanimously.

Ned Towle was nominated for city engineer by acclamation.

For the school board Brecht, Lichty and V.A. Cameron were nominated. The votes stood, Brecht, 131; Cameron 102 and Lichty 100.

Holland and Weaver were nominated councilman for the first ward, D. D. Reavis in the second ward and Mart in Gehling in the third ward.

Committee on vacancies was appointed, it being the duty of this committee to appoint a city lawyer, also. The committee consisted of E. S. Towle, J. H. Miles and J. E. Leyda

HIGH SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

SCHOOL ITEMS OF INTEREST TO OUR READERS

Items Gathered Daily By The Regular Tribune Correspondent

The Freshman class welcome Miss Ethel Cope back to school again.

Wonder why the pupils in the laboratory missed the opening exercises.

If the Sophomore president doesn't appoint a program committee some of the other members of the class are going to take it in hand.

Mrs. Glenn has her program in fair condition. The program consists of a trio, double quartet and a play and drill. All numbers are very entertaining. It will be given at the Christian church some time next week.

Ladies Day at Elks' Room

Yesterday was ladies day at the Elk rooms. A large number of ladies were present and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent. Duplicate whist was the game of the afternoon.

Notice of School Bond Election

Notice is hereby given to the legally qualified electors of the school district of Falls City, No. 56, in Richardson County, State of Nebraska, that an election will be held in said school district in Falls City, Nebraska on Tuesday the 4th day of April, A. D., 1911, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said district, for their adoption or rejection, the following proposition, to-wit:

Shall the school board of Falls City, Nebraska, be authorized to issue bonds of said school district to the amount of forty thousand dollars, (\$4,000.00) or as much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of purchasing a site for a new school building, and for the erection thereon of a school house, and for the furnishing of the necessary apparatus and furniture for the equipment of the same; said bonds to become due at the expiration of the period of twenty years from the date of their issue, but to be payable at any time after the expiration of ten years after the date, at the option of said school district, and such bonds are to bear five and one-half, (5½) interest per annum, interest payable annually; and to levy an annual tax on the taxable property in said school district, not to exceed five mills for the payment of the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund to be used in paying off such bonds when the same shall become due.

Said election shall be by ballot upon which shall be printed or written the following proposition:

For the issuance of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00) in bonds to be used in purchasing a site for a school house, erection of a school house thereon, and for the furnishing of the same, and for the levy of annual tax.

Against the issuance of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00) in bonds to be used in purchasing a site for a school house, erection of a school house thereon, and for the furnishing of the same and for the levy of annual tax.

The proposition submitted shall be followed by an appropriate square within which the voter may indicate his wish to vote.

The voting places shall be at the same places and same hours at which the regular city election shall be held on said day, which are as follows:

The First Ward polling place shall be in the Fire room of the Library Building.

The Second Ward at the office of the County Clerk in the court house.

The Third Ward at the National Hotel in said city.

The polls will open at 9 o'clock a. m. and close at 7 o'clock p. m. on the above date. A separate ballot and ballot box shall be furnished for said election, the clerks and judges of the regular city election shall act as judges and clerks of the school bond election.

By order of the board of education this 14th day of March A. D. 1911. JOHN LICHTY, President FRED BRECHT, Secretary.

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York Home Destroyed By Fire

York, March 16—At about one a. m. the house of Logan Munson in North York, together with the household goods was consumed by fire which originated from a defective flue. The loss is about \$1,500 partially covered by insurance.

A Baby Boy

Fred Hilyard is now the happy father of a little son, born Wednesday. Mother and baby are doing nicely. Mr. Hilyard will come back to earth after a while but just at present he imagines he is in an air ship.

Overland Cars

The Overland Automobile parade took place yesterday and lined up in front of the court house, where Ward Knight took their pictures.

McDougal has sold all but one of his machines and expects to sell it today. Those who have purchased machines are, Fred Schultz, A. J. Weaver, W. Reedwood and Will Kenton and Mr. Taylor.

Mrs. Ed Jones went to Omaha today to spend a few days with her brother and other relatives.

THE TRIBUNE CIRCULATION CONTEST

The Contestant Who Has the Largest Number of Votes at the Close of the Contest Will Be Awarded a Six-Hundred and Fifty Dollar Automobile

The Church, Lodge, School or Organization Having the Largest Number of Votes Will Be Awarded a Three Hundred and Fifty Dollar Piano.

A Fifty Dollar Gold Watch and a Thirty Seven and a Half Dollar Diamond Ring Will Be Awarded to the Leaders of the Different Districts.

CAPITAL PRIZE---RUNABOUT AUTOMOBILE FOR THE CONTESTANT

Who Stands Highest at the End of the Contest

A \$350.00 Piano to One of These

M. W. A. Lodge, Verdon.....	221,700
Zion Church.....	139,950
Christian Sunday School class, No. 9.....	119,900
Maple Grove Church.....	118,500

DISTRICT NO. 1

At Least One Gold Watch and One Diamond Ring Will Go to This District

Helen Baldwin, Falls City.....	139,750
Charles Whitaker, Falls City.....	114,900
C. E. Holland, Falls City.....	36,950
Ida Neitzel, Preston.....	10,500

DISTRICT NO. 2

At Least One Gold Watch and One Diamond Ring Will Go to This District

Rev. A. Essley, Ohio.....	90,500
W. M. Tyner, Salem.....	51,700

DISTRICT NO. 3

At Least One Gold Watch and One Diamond Ring Will Go to This District

C. C. Sailors Verdon.....	153,750
Alice Price, Dawson.....	51,700

DISTRICT NO. 4

At Least One Gold Watch and One Diamond Ring Will Go to This District

H. E. Wittwer, Nemaha.....	139,950
Claude M. Linn Jr., Humboldt.....	54,000
J. O. Shroyer, Humboldt.....	8,350

Goes To Excelsior Springs

Mrs. Bert Baker leaves for Excelsior Springs tomorrow to spend a week with her husband. Mrs. Jenne is very happy over the prospect of taking care of the baby.

The Case Was Dismissed

The case of Guy Snehers vs. Linnie Snehers for divorce was dismissed in the district court this morning. The Snehers decided that they would try once more and reconciliation was effected.

Livery Barn Burned

Oscola, March 16—At 6 p. m. yesterday the livery barn owned by the Shank Bros., was destroyed by fire. All of the horses were saved but three; two of them being shot because they were unable to be taken from the barn. Eight buggies were burned and about \$350 worth of feed. The total loss will amount to \$2,500 and was insured for \$1,500.

Doctor Injured

Valentine, March 16—Word was just received here that Dr. Noyes, U. S. Vet, who lives here, was seriously hurt in a runaway near Springview, Neb. His team became frightened and ran away, throwing the doctor out into a wire fence, cutting and bruising him badly.

Injured in Fall From Horse

Geneva, March 16—While driving cattle to the stock yards yesterday, Lincoln Chesnut, a farmer living six miles northwest of town, was thrown from his horse and seriously hurt.

Runaway at Surprise

Surprise, March 16—A team belonging to Gudgeal became frightened at an automobile here today and ran away. The buggy was upset and Mrs. Gudgeal thrown out. She was only slightly bruised. The buggy was smashed.

Shot By Girl Cousin.

Kearney, March 16—Arthur Hopkin the twelve year old nephew of Leander Clark, a prominent real estate man of Kearney, was shot through the shoulder this afternoon by his cousin, Miss Roxey Clark, the bullet penetrating his lungs a few inches from the heart. With several others they were rollicking around in the house when Miss Clark ran into a room and playfully told her cousin not to follow. He opened the door, saw that she held a revolver and turned to flee. As he turned the girl pulled the trigger and the young man fell. He was given medical aid at once but his chances for recovery are small. The bullet in his lungs has not been located.

Mr Gould Publishes Account Of His Methods

New York, Mar. 16—Frank Jay Gould, advised by his friends, has determined to lay bare the actual personal experiences of the last few weeks in his lone hand fight against the most powerful financial influence in America.

The fight which Mr. Gould has opened has the entire sympathy and support of other young and wealthy financiers.

Mr. Gould gave his initial statement regarding the action of the Standard Oil company. It follows:

"The public has read often in the last two or three years in the newspapers and the magazines of the methods used by the Standard Oil in great business transactions involving the public welfare. But never, until the present, have I known of my personal knowledge that such a system did exist. A few days ago, before the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Missouri Pacific Railway company, a representative of the Standard Oil came to me and made direct use of these unprincipled methods toward me as a threat. It did not succeed because I refused to join with them in any deal.

"Within a few days I shall do what I consider is my duty to the public, the investors, the citizens of this republic. That is, I shall publish an accurate account of the exact methods used by this representative of the Standard Oil toward me."

COX WAS NOT IN CONTEMPT

But Nevertheless the Judge Said His Utterances Were "Insolent and False."

Cincinnati, Mar. 16.—Judge Frank Gorman of the court of common pleas dismissed the contempt charges against George B. Cox, banker and political leader, but in doing so made a sensational statement. He declared the utterances of Cox, which were published after the latter's indictment for perjury, were "insolent and false."

In dismissing the charges Judge Gorman followed the finding of a majority of the committee of three attorneys appointed to investigate the circumstances of the interview.

Two of these men held that neither Cox nor the newspaper that published his remarks regarding the grand jury and the court was in contempt. The other member of the committee virtually absolved the newspaper, but held that it was the province of the court to determine whether Cox should be held on the contempt charge.

Indicted for Jury Fixing.

Wichita, Mar. 16.—Indictments were returned by the federal grand jury charging Lewis Evans of Dighton and George W. Smith of Syracuse with attempts to bribe members of the federal grand jury, which last September indicted L. S. Naftzger, former president of the Fourth National bank of Wichita, in connection with the celebrated stamp cases now on trial.

Shoot Across the Line.

Calixco, Cal., Mar. 16.—Firing from the American side of the international line, Mexican customs officials at Algodones sent a volley into the insurgents, the latter replying by firing across the line into the American town of Andrade. No one was wounded, so far as is known.

Russian Troops Moving.

Pekin, Mar. 16.—The Russo-Chinese situation has again become alarming. Russian troops, including cavalry and artillery, were moved in the direction of Kuldja, Eastern Turkestan. The officers were notified that an invasion of China was contemplated.

Many Would Enlist.

New York, Mar. 16.—Statistics gathered at the army and navy recruiting stations in New York City and suburban towns show that thousands of young men have suddenly developed an eagerness to join Uncle Sam's service.

More French Troops to Morocco.

Paris, Mar. 16.—M. Berteaux, minister of war, ordered two battalions of infantry and two sections of mountain artillery into Morocco to reinforce the French army there, which is putting down the insurrection of tribesmen.

Burning More Bridges.

El Paso, Tex., Mar. 16.—Mail advices are that the rebels burned two more bridges Sunday on the Mexican National road. The town of Topia, where the Standard Oil has heavy holdings, is surrounded by insurgents.

Gets Alienation Damages.

Topeka, Mar. 16.—Claude N. Ware, an express messenger, was awarded \$35,000 damages in the district court against S. G. Worden of Chicago, for the alienation of his wife's affections.

WEDDING AT VERDON

MISS BESSIE E. STUMP AND IRA C. YOUNG

The Happy Couple Will Make Their Home Near Colorado Springs, Col.

Promptly at high noon yesterday as the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march filled the beautifully decorated home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stump, Mr. Ira C. Young of Long Island, Kansas led Miss Bessie E. Stump of Verdon, Nebraska to the altar where an impressive wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. R. Cooper Bailey of the First Presbyterian church of Falls City. The parlor was beautifully decorated with streamers of white, carnations, rosebuds and smilax and the usual bouquet was carried by the bride.

The presents were numerous and costly, and among other things were several pieces of hand painted china, cut glass, silver, set of dishes, a sewing machine and other articles both useful as well as ornamental. Besides the things given at the home of the bride, there is another fine collection of presents at Long Island, the home of the groom.

The bride was arrayed in a beautiful gray silk dress, tastefully trimmed.

In the dining room a large table had been bountifully spread with the good things of life and to this room the bridal party repaired after the early congratulations of friends. A four course dinner was then faultlessly served.

Mrs. Young is one of Verdon's most estimable young ladies, having grown up in that vicinity and enjoys a host of friends. She is a graduate of the Verdon High School and is an accomplished lady, whose presence in her new location will be felt for good among many lines.

Mr. Young is a progressive young man, an experienced printer and editor of his town paper at Long Island. Quite recently he purchased some valuable irrigation land near Colorado Springs and there the young people will take up the burden and pleasures of married life. They take with them the best wishes of a host of friends.

NOMINATIONS OPEN AGAIN

NEW CONTESTANTS WILL STAND A GOOD SHOW

Contest Needs Some New Contestants To Stir Things Up A Little

On account of the fact that the contest has been running a little slow lately and needs new blood in it. We are going to again open the nomination and allow any who wish to enter to enter it. No one has made much headway so far, so a new contestant will stand about as much chance of winning as one of those already in the race. The standing of the contestants is given in another part of the paper and it can easily be seen that there are prizes up for which no one is trying so if you want one of them only a few hours work will enable you to get it.

The contest closes April 15th which only leaves a month in which to work for the prize. Below is a nomination blank which, when properly filled out will start the contestants with one thousand votes.

Nomination Blank

Name.....
Address.....

This nomination blank entitles the contestant to 1,000 votes, but no contestant will be allowed more than one nomination blank.

Mrs. Helen Martin returned this week from an extended visit with her children in Council Bluffs.

F. D. Metcalf of Joplin, Mo., is visiting friends in this city.