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**WITTEW WINS AUTOMOBILE**

**ZION CHURCH GETS PIANO OTHERS WATCHES, RINGS**

**Three Judges Were Selected To Count The Votes on Saturday Evening**

The Tribune's big circulation contest closed Saturday evening and three judges were selected to count the votes. Zion church won the piano with 1,800,250 votes and H. Wittwer won the automobile with 1,442,850 votes. Other contestants that stood at the lead in their respective districts were awarded the watches and rings.

The total votes are as follows:

| Piano Votes            |           |
|------------------------|-----------|
| Zion Church            | 1,800,250 |
| Verdon M. W. A.        | 1,455,550 |
| Maple Grove Church     | 957,600   |
| Christian Church S. S. | 136,200   |
| Automobile             |           |
| H. E. Wittwer          | 1,442,850 |
| First District         |           |
| Helen Baldwin          | 265,300   |
| Charles Whitaker       | 119,400   |
| Second District        |           |
| Rev. A. Essley         | 919,450   |
| W. M. Tyner            | 282,650   |
| Third District         |           |
| C. C. Saylor           | 765,500   |
| Alice Price            | 161,900   |
| Fourth District        |           |
| J. O. Shroyer          | 112,000   |
| Claude M. Linn Jr.     | 65,700    |

The judges were C. M. Heinzelman, Charles F. Baldwin and L. C. Edwards.

The voting on the contest Saturday evening ran a great deal higher than had been expected as most of the contestants had a great many subscriptions which made the total votes run up a great deal higher than any one had expected they would.

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Tones' pepper, ginger, cinnamon, etc., are fresher, stronger, cleaner. In packages, 10c., at groceries.

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**SPEISER NOTES**

Ed Uhri and C. K. Cooper made a business trip to Omaha the first of the week.

Fred Schuler and family visited with John Schuler and family at Falls City Saturday and Sunday.

Ida Hunzeker of Dry Branch spent a few days the latter part of the week with Ed Uhri and family.

Miss Florence Hosford spent Saturday and Sunday in Humboldt with her friend, Florence Hummel, who came down from Lincoln to spend Easter with her parents, C. L. Hummel and wife.

Supt. W. F. Isler, president of the Enterprise Normal academy of Enterprise, Kansas visited at the home of Arnold Schuety on Monday.

Sunday morning as John Uhri and family were driving to church in an automobile, in attempting to pass them, ran into the carriage and turned it over. The carriage was badly damaged but no one was seriously hurt.

Herman Herr of Humboldt and Morris Harting of Four Mile have begun work on the remodeling the church which was damaged by the cyclone last week.

**OHIO**

Miss Minnie and Link Allison and the little boy who makes his home with them spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Sturms.

Mrs. John Strauss and children of Seneca, ansas has been visiting her parents for a few weeks at Verdon. She is now visiting relatives in this section.

Saturday her husband came over in his auto to spend a few days and she and the children will return with him.

The box car that was stationed at Strausville and used as a depot burned Sunday.

H. J. Pritchard and family of this section spend Sunday with A. Crook and family in Falls City.

Frank and Guy Lichty and their families visited in Falls City Sunday at the home of John Lichty and family.

Wes Nedrow and family and Mrs. C. J. Peck and children were entertained at the home of E. M. Kimmel Sunday.

Mrs. George Sturms is enjoying a visit from her cousin, H. B. Hinthome of Hebron, Neb.

E. Higgins and wife entertained a cousin and her family of Morrill, Kansas at their home Easter.

Harry Zubrick who has been working at Omaha, is at home and is under the doctor's care at present.

Mrs. A. Dowty and Mrs. M. E. Peck were guests of Mrs. Sturms and daughter Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed of Falls City spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Fitzgerald.

C. DeFreese of Atchison visited with his brother, Rec. DeFreese last week.

About 35 invited guests gathered at the home of John Reischick last Friday evening in the form of a surprise to Mr. R., it being his birthday. The evening proved to be a pleasant one and nice refreshments were served.

Helen Heineman spent a portion of last week with Miss Blyth Shaffer.

Mrs. Anna Steidley returned to her home at Fort Collins, Col., after a several days visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harkendorf were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Fred Wittrock one day last week.

John Reischick and family were guests of relatives in Falls City Sunday.

P. E. Shaffer, wife and daughter, Donna, went to Hamlin to spend Sunday and visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frances Stump.

L. S. Nedrow, F. S. Lichty, F. W. Wittrock and E. M. Kimmel went to Omaha Tuesday in the interest of the Maxwell automobiles as Mr. Kimmel is getting a new car.

**COURT HOUSE NEWS**

From Friday's Daily.

Claims will be heard in the following estates today by Judge Gagnon: O. Trimmer, James B. Reynolds and Francis B. Fergus.

A marriage license was issued to Maynard A. Stitzer, Salem, 25 and Ethel Thompson, Morrill, 20.

D. H. Wessel of Humboldt was in the city this morning and called at the county treasurer's office this morning.

The board of supervisors adjourned yesterday.

Frank Snethen of Humboldt was in the city this morning and visited the court house.

From Saturday's Daily.

The following case was filed this morning in the office of the clerk of the District court. Fred Scholl vs. J. William Hellman and Lizzie Hellman for foreclosure of mortgage.

E. T. Libbee was down from Dawson today looking after business and visiting with old friends at the court house.

Next Thursday and Friday, the eighth grade examinations will be held at the County Superintendent's office. On Friday and Saturday the teachers examination will also be held.

Petitions will be heard in the Marshall T. Libbee estate by Judge Gagnon.

Judge Gagnon will hear claims in the Herman Tiehn estate today.

From Tuesday's Daily.

One marriage license was issued yesterday. Edward E. Porterfield, Kansas City, 21 and Miss Marguerite Hughes, Kansas City, 20.

Judge Gagnon will hear claims in the Charles Uhlig estate today.

J. R. Russel of Verdon called at the court house this morning and paid his taxes.

O. E. Pebble of Verdon called at the office of the county treasurer this morning and paid taxes.

**NEWS FROM R.R. YARDS**

One new case was filed in the district clerks office this morning Kate Wetzell vs August Wetzell, for divorce. The plaintiff bases her case on the charges of cruelty, drunkenness and abandonment. She asks for alimony and the custody of the four children.

William Hassenyager of Ohio Precinct was in the city this morning paying taxes at the county treasurer's office.

Wm. Keeler of Ohio Precinct called at the office of the county treasurer this morning and paid his taxes.

J. R. Hunzeker of Humboldt is in the city today. He was a caller at the court house to pay his taxes.

**DEAD BIRDS COST HIGH**

**PEOPLE PAY FOR LOSS IN CROP PEST EATERS**

Living Costs Rise As Insects Spread—Cotton, Corn and Garden Truck Affected

New York, April 14—While Easter bonnets are parading the plumage of birds that check crop pest, losses to food and cloth products in the last year that amount to over \$10 for every person in the United States have been reported here today as chiefly due to the destruction of these feathered insect eaters. According to statistics just gathered by the government biological survey at Washington, officers of the National Association of Audubon Societies declare that the cost of living has been raised to cover a billion dollar loss in agricultural produce from the inroads of insects and rodents that would be largely wiped out if their natural bird foes were protected from the feather men, market butchers and pot hunters. Every year that such commercial interests are allowed to thin the ranks of the insect eating species higher prices must be paid by the ultimate consumer for vegetables, fruit, cotton cloth and many other necessary staples, it is predicted.

Almost every article of food except meat has been found to come to the consumer today with an added cost to cover many millions of dollars of loss that the government experts have proved is largely due to the increasing lack of insect eating birds to drive away the pests that are spreading over the fields. Such staples as corn are now known to fall short of a supply that means lower prices, in some measure, on account of the depletion of the wild birds and the consequent increase in their insect prey. If the orchards, fields, gardens and plantations of America were not being guarded by fewer and fewer of these insect eaters each year, the records show, their yield would be increased and the price of their products lowered.

Though the Easter Season is saddened by the sight of wild bird feathers on bonnets, there is this year a plain economic reason for revolt at this show in the findings of the government experts of the Department of Agriculture," said T. Gilbert H. Pearson, secretary of the National Association of Audubon Societies, at its headquarters at 141 Broadway today. "We have just heard of the butchering of 11,000 meadow larks, whose diet is proved to consist 75 per cent of crop destroying insects, in one Georgia community. For every one of such insect eaters that is killed we must all pay in increased costs of food and clothing. When Americans come to realize this, we believe they will protection of the birds whose life means agricultural prosperity and all join with us in working for the plenty."



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**AFFAIRS AT WASHINGTON**

Perhaps the country at large does not realize the importance of the great national game of baseball plays in the affairs of the government. The season opened April 12th, and there were sixteen thousand rooters in the ball park. President Taft threw the ball which opened the game, and among the spectators were a large portion of the members of congress, and most of the high officials and clerks who were able to get away for the afternoon. Washington is already base ball mad and on any afternoon when there is a game, it is about as safe to look to public officials at the park as in their offices or at the departments.

Popular election of senators by direct vote of the people failed in the senate in February by four votes. It is generally supposed that the changes that have been made in the organization of that body will register a different result when the question is finally settled at the present session of congress. The house passed the bill in a single afternoon registering an overwhelming majority.

A big Japanese war story was exploded in Washington and all throughout the country during the week, but President Taft killed it so early that no effect was noticeable.

The smoothness with which the House majority is attending to its affairs is almost unheard of in congressional history. There is a perfect understanding among the democratic members, and if the present peaceful condition is continued, the length of the session will be materially shortened. The only rumor of discontent is in relation to patronage matters, but these differences are in no way serious.

The new House of Representatives contains 228 democrats and 160 democrats and one socialist. There are two vacancies. In the senate there are 50 republicans, 41 democrats and a vacancy from the state of Colorado.

**Assembling of Army in 10 Days**

Never before in the history of this country was so large a body of troops mobilized at one point in so short a time as was taken in establishing the maneuver in camp at San Antonio, Texas. Orders for the movement of the troops were issued from the war department during the afternoon of March 6. The 17th Infantry, stationed at Fort McPherson, Ga., was the first organization to receive its orders at 9:30 that night. By 4:00 p. m., March 16, just 10 days later, an army numbering practically 20,000 was encamped about the Texas City. In the

May number of Popular Mechanic Magazine, L. William Thavis explains how it was possible to perform this remarkable feat, and the credit is largely given to the War College, where army officers receive theoretical training. He says: "At the War College in Washington, the mobilization of just such bodies of troops as those now encamped about San Antonio is one of the chief studies of the course. Even the smallest detail in connection to such an undertaking is not overlooked. Plans are prepared for the mobilization of forces about practically every large city in the country. Every particle of information of these plans is at hand at the War College, so that nothing need be left to guess work. With such an arrangement, every possible bit of assistance is given the army officers when the time comes to order troops into the field."

This article, which is well illustrated, describes, also, the heavy work which falls on the commissary and quartermaster departments.

**Tarantulas**

Last Tuesday while Capt. J. P. Grinstead was digging in his garden he turned up two large tarantulas of the Texas type. They are genuine, as the captain is familiar with such insects, having spent a great deal of time in the south. He has placed them in a jar with his insect collection which he secured in the Philippines. They are quite a curiosity in this section and he cannot account for their appearance at this time.—Salem Standard.

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