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CLARK DOESN'T SUIT BRYAN

One More Democratic Leader Put Under Ban by Peerless One.

DOUBTS IF HE WILL TAKE SIDES

Fears Missourian Will Want to Act as Empire and Thus Stand in Way of People's Onward March.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Chas. Clark is not a capable leader in the opinion of William J. Bryan, who sets out editorially this week what he thinks of the Missouri man as a speaker of the house and head of that part of the party now in power. Mr. Bryan says: "There is no progressive majority in congress, but it lacks leadership. Speaker

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Clark is the one of whom leadership was expected, but his usefulness in that capacity is being impaired, partly by fear that he will be accused of imitating Cannon, and partly by the mistaken idea that it is his special mission to preserve harmony among the democrats in the house. In both cases he errs. Cannon was not a moral leader—he was the master of a machine. The appointment of committees enabled him to coerce republicans and corrupt democrats. When the democrats changed the rules they did not intend to deprive the speaker of any power that legitimately belongs to a democratic leader. On the contrary, a democratic leader ought to be the stronger because his leadership rests upon his ability to persuade rather than upon fear. "The second error into which Speaker Clark has fallen is still more dangerous. The first error tends to make him a negative quantity, but the second may convert him into a positive force for harm. If he conceives his highest duty to be to preserve harmony he will exert his influence to prevent the consideration of any measure upon which democrats are divided—the trust question, for instance. Progress is more important than harmony. The men who oppose reforms are always quick to threaten a bolt if remedial legislation is attempted.

Tail May Wag.

"The democratic party is a progressive party—nine-tenths of the rank and file are progressive, but the one-tenth is powerful because it is made up of men with large corporate connections and of politicians whom they intimidate. "The progressive element in the party must have leadership in the house. If, for any reason, the speaker refuses to lead, someone should be selected to marshal the reform forces and lead the fight. Mr. Underwood has gained undue prominence because he has been allowed to speak for the democratic majority. He has led the party into surrenders which embarrass it. He is in the head of the reactionary element of the party—the man whom the progressive leaders will have to oppose.

"Who will lead? Mr. Clark is, so far as is known, right on all public questions. Will he step forward and order a charge? Or will he not as umpire and watch the fight? He won his spurs as a fighter

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and he cannot hope to retain the confidence of his friends if he turns the leadership over to another.

"If Mr. Clark had exhibited as speaker the qualities of leadership that made him a speaker he would now be without a rival in the house for the presidential nomination. He has time yet to make himself a formidable candidate, but to do so he must lead. "There are several planks of the democratic platform which have not yet been taken up; are they going to be carried out or repudiated? We have fought for nineteen years for the election of senators by the people—is it to be killed in conference. "The people need a champion in the house—to whom will the honor go?

TWO PROMINENT NEBRASKA CITY PIONEER WOMEN DEAD

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Sarah Coe, widow of the late General Isaac Coe, died at her home in this city yesterday after a brief illness. She has been in poor health for a number of years, but her death was unexpected. She was nearly 84 years of age, being born in Middlefield, Conn. She was married to General Coe in 1846, and they remained on a farm in Connecticut for six years and then went south, where they remained for several years. In 1852 they came to this city, where they made their home all of these years. At the breaking out of the civil war her husband was appointed brigadier general for the portion of Nebraska south of the Platte, and his jurisdiction extended over a portion of Iowa, Kansas and Missouri. She was a mother of two children, both of whom survive her—Mrs. Eloise Coe Ireland and Frank E. Coe, both residents of this city.

Mrs. Henrietta Burgess, wife of I. S. Burgess, died at her home near Julia yesterday of bronchitis. Her death was sudden. She was born March 18, 1838, in Massachusetts and at an early age married and the young couple came to the state to make their home. She was the mother of seven children, five sons and two daughters, all were at home save two sons, who reside in the western part of the state. Her funeral will be held Friday from the family home and the remains will be interred in the Lee cemetery.

RUMOR OF NEW LINE FROM STORM LAKE TO OMAHA.

IDA GROVE, Ia., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Ida Grove business men have written the officials of the Minneapolis & St. Louis and asked that if the rumored extension is to be made from Storm Lake to Omaha that the line come by way of Ida Grove and Denison. Henry Naevie of Denison on his way home from the Dakota topped off in Minneapolis to see the officials of the road, and they told him they intended to build the line from Storm Lake to Omaha as soon as possible. The Minneapolis & St. Louis has a line from Minneapolis to Storm Lake and it ends here, while another line runs from Minneapolis to Des Moines. The Storm Lake branch was always intended as an Omaha line, and now extension is proposed. It is said two routes are being considered, one by way of Schaller, Galva, Ida Grove and Denison, and one by way of Schaller, Odebolt and Denison. If the line is built Ida Grove will offer every encouragement possible.

TWO CHILDREN NEARLY FREEZE WHILE ON TRAMP

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Starting out on a country road last night, Charles and Paul Stalder, two young boys of 6 and 8 years, respectively, strayed into a country house south of town this morning, barely able to talk and tell a farmer's wife that they were nearly frozen to death. Both had spent the night on the road and, although thinly clad, had attempted to lie down and sleep a part of the time. A 15-year-old girl, the aunt of the boys, was with them and was the cause of their straying from the detention home, where they had been held until last night. The children's parents came here from Curtis some time ago in a covered wagon. When taken in this morning at the Central home south of this city the two little boys were in a serious condition from exposure, but this afternoon it was thought that they would recover from the effects of their experience.

DOES THE IRRIGATION BOARD RULE WATER POWER RIGHT?

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Nov. 23.—(Special.)—H. C. Mead of Cozad and several other men from his section of the state, who filed the first irrigation complaint with the State Railway commission under the act of the late legislature, may be compelled to go to court to obtain the relief asked. The Cozad Canal company, the respondent in the complaint, alleges in its reply filed today that the act passed at the 1911 session, whereby the commission is given control, applies only to the rates to be charged. The power and control of the water distribution, the company maintains, are still under the control of the State Irrigation board. Mead and the other complainants allege that the service of the Cozad Canal company has been bad and that portions of the ditches operated by it have been out of commission for some time past.

Joint Emergency Hospital.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—The members of the county board and the officers of the city are negotiating for the establishment of a joint emergency hospital on the poor farm, two miles north of the city. The need of a county institution has often been felt. At such times application has been made to the city, which itself has an inadequate and poorly arranged hospital for contagious diseases. It is expected that some arrangement will be made whereby the maintenance is prorated in accordance with the number of cases admitted.

Real Estate Deals at Dealer.

DESHLER, Neb., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—William Gehring sold his eighty-acre farm, four miles southeast of town, to William Doehring Tuesday, consideration \$2,000. William Doehring sold his place of 100 acres southeast of Hebron to William Gehring for \$13,000.

Carey Act Land Opened—14,000 acres at Jerome, Idaho, December 15, 1911. This land is part of the Great North Side Tract, which has a record of THREE YEARS FROM SAGE BRUSH TO BLUE RIBBONS AND SWEEPSTAKES. For all information, write or wire The Twin Falls North Side Land and Water Co., Alauer, Idaho.

NOTES FROM GAGE COUNTY

University of Nebraska Alumni Form Local Organization—Charles Sticca Dead.

BEATRICE, Neb., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—An organization to be known as the Gage County Alumni Association of the University of Nebraska was perfected here last night by the election of these officers: Miss Marie Upson, president; Antoine Hillyer, vice president; E. B. Drake, secretary. George Kline of Lincoln, secretary of the state association, was here and assisted in forming the society. Two hundred republicans have signed papers for the organization of a Taft club in Beatrice. The meeting for that purpose will be held Thursday night. The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad yesterday paid into the county treasury its taxes for 1911, which amounted to \$17,716.34. The amount paid last year was \$25,683.76. Of the total amount paid yesterday the company protested payment of \$11.35 on account of an alleged illegal levy in school district No. 10 in Adams township.

Charles Sticca, for thirty-five years a resident of Gage county, died yesterday morning at his home in this city of heart trouble, aged 70 years. He is survived by

four sons, his wife having passed away a year ago.

James Arthur Lasby and wife Elizabeth Wilson, both of Chester, Neb., were married here yesterday by Rev. U. G. Brown.

TABLE ROCK GIRL Tort in Runaway. TABLE ROCK, Neb., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Miss Grace Mitchell of this place was seriously injured in a runaway accident between here and Pawnee City. She had been to the latter place in a buggy with Roy Layman, and they were returning home when in descending a hill the shafts came down and the horse, commencing to kick and run, the driver lost control and the horse ran quite a distance, when the buggy upset. Both were unconscious for a time. Miss Mitchell was carried to the home of H. T. Miller and a physician was immediately summoned. Her face and forehead were frightfully cut, the flesh from the latter dropping down over her eyes, and it took several stitches to close the wound. Her eyes are both swelled shut. Unless internal injuries develop she will recover.

Night School for McCook. MCCOOK, Neb., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—McCook's Board of Education has decided to open a night school in connection with the public school system with one teacher employed at the start. The board has

also instructed Superintendent Davis to introduce the Crete plan of domestic science in the high school as soon as practicable.

Fred W. Rottman Improving. NEBEARKA CITY, Neb., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Fred W. Rottman, cashier of the Otse County National bank, who was so seriously injured in the Missouri Pacific wreck at Fort Crook some time since, when his wife, daughter and father-in-law were killed while sitting near him, is able to be out, but as yet he is far from being a well man.

Counting at Grand Island. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Three hundred and twenty-one paid admissions was the report of the attendance at the counting meet which opened here yesterday. Quite a number of the best hounds of the state are said to be here. It is, however, not a state championship event.

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Blatz Men's Suits Cut, Fitted and Tailored in the "Dresher Way" \$20 Sale Starts Saturday Now then, spruce up Dresher, The Tailor 1515 Farnam Street

The Oliva Cloak The inspiration for this splendid cloak came from far-off Poland where they are worn, not by the women, but by the men. But the idea, before it reached us, had to cross France and France leaves nothing as she finds it. A magic touch or two and the rather clumsy "talma" becomes a garment of beauty and distinction. The Oliva Cloak is one of the most practical winter garments ever designed. With the big collar turned up it protects you from head to knee. It is warm, light and comfortable. YOU need one. Send us the coupon below, and we will tell you how it is made of Fleisher's Knitting Worsted, one of the thirteen FLEISHER YARNS—the yarns that your grandmother used, better to-day than ever—made of the finest, warmest wools—soft, elastic, wear-resisting. You will be enthusiastic over their beauty.

The Biggest Department Store in the World YOU can buy everything it contains for 15 cents. You do not have to go to it; it comes to you. It will come to you every month for a year for \$1.50. In it you will find your gowns, hats, recipes for cooking and menus for dinners, help in the nursery, suggestions about entertaining, what to give for Christmas—in short, you will find every question answered that a woman has to ask. It will supply you with a choice assortment of reading matter. It will furnish pictures for framing and hanging on your walls. It covers every department of a woman's life. The name of this wonderful department store is WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION

Some good stories at bargain prices "The Five O'clock Train" is the story of a girl who could not make up her mind. She promised the man who asked her to marry him, that if she was there to meet the five o'clock train to go home with him and get acquainted with his father and mother, it would mean "yes." But there was another man. He, too, was going home on the five o'clock train. The question is, which five o'clock train did the girl take. This story and the Woman's Home Companion. 15c

What to give for Christmas That's the question. Christmas need not be marred by racking your brains for appropriate Christmas presents. 15 cents spent for the Christmas number of the Woman's Home Companion will give you more suggestions than you have people to remember. There are suggestions for presents you can buy and presents you can make. There is something for every member of the household. The presents to be made are all practical and comprise full directions. A made present has a personal, intimate meaning that no bought present can have. The very first purchase you make against Christmas buying should be the 15 cents you spend for WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION

Hang good pictures on your walls The Woman's Home Companion contains full-page pictures for framing, reproduced by a special process on rough art paper. These pictures are as good in subject and execution as many that are sold in art stores for the price of a year's subscription to WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION

The woman who makes her own clothes as well as the woman who wants the latest fashion suggestions; for use in connection with her own dressmaker will find the departments of fashions not only helpful but a necessity. Grace Margaret Gould, the editor of the Fashion Department, is one of the fashion authorities of the world. What she says is right. The ideas furnished for gowns, hats, wraps, underwear and other belongings of dress are frequently any one of them worth the cost of a year's subscription to the WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION

Books and other good reading matter You pay from \$1.20 to \$1.35 for a standard novel. The Woman's Home Companion gives many every year, similar to "The Poor Lady," Mary E. Wilkins' story now running, as well as many two and three-part ones, like "One Day" by Jeffrey Farnol and "When a Man Loves" by Mary Hastings. In use in addition to half a dozen short stories every number would make several books of short stories. Cutting out the departments and special, editorial and other articles, you could not buy the fiction reading matter contained in a single volume of the Woman's Home Companion for less than three times the price of a year of the WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION

When a Man Loves This particular man was about to marry one girl, but within four days of the wedding he fell in love with her bridesmaid and she with him. What could he do, and what did he do? This is a three-part story, and the first instalment is in the December number. Complete story, with three numbers of the Woman's Home Companion, costs 45c

The Boarding House Graphophone Boysie wanted it, and the boarders didn't. Boysie gave it up, and the boarders got it. What caused them to change their point of view? This amusing and appropriately illustrated story with the December 15c WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION

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The best of it is for the children Children are certainly woman's home companions. There are some in nearly every woman's home. A certain part of Woman's Home Companion is edited expressly for children. In the Christmas number there are Christmas presents that you can make for the children; there are Christmas presents children can make for you and their friends; there is a whole page of dolls' clothes designed by some of the best fashion designers in the country. (They are the very latest fashions in dolls' clothes; there is a department for 20 others of young children entitled, "The Professional Mother." There is something for children of all ages in every number of the WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION

The Jack and Betty Book has delighted every child who has seen it. In EVERY number of the Companion there is bound in a page which can be made into a cut-out book, "The Adventures of Jack and Betty." No child has been able so resist the fascination of this book. First comes the pleasure of making the book, next the pleasure of following the adventures of Jack and Betty through the book, and finally the pleasure of giving the book to some less fortunate child. Your little folks simply must see "The Adventures of Jack and Betty" in the Christmas number of the WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION

Are You With the Crowd? If so, you'll have to attend Ryan's Opening. Friday and Saturday SOUVENIRS FOR THE LADIES Fifteenth and Douglas Streets, Omaha.