

Nebraska MYSTERY IN FATE OF GAY FOREIGN BIRDS

Sixteen Feathered Beauties Given to Charles W. Bryan by State, but Never Reported On.

PHEASANTS AND PARTRIDGES

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, April 28.—(Special.)—While William Jennings Bryan, secretary of state at Washington, is trying to keep this country from getting mixed up in any foreign complications, his brother, Charlie here in Lincoln may be called upon to explain his connection with the disappearance of certain subjects of foreign nations, which were brought to this country at state expense and given homes at Antelope park.

The were Hungarian partridges, English pheasants, Italian ringnecks, Chinese pheasants and several other foreign birds. Two years ago when the legislature refused to appropriate funds to continue their propagation, it was up to the state to dispose of the birds in some way and so they were distributed in pairs and sent to different parts of the state.

Still State Property.
The report of the state game warden under date of December 31, 1914, gives a list of the localities, where the birds were sent and data in the office shows to whom they were sent. They were given out with the understanding that they still remained state property and that those to whom they were sent were to look after them and report to the state game warden from time to time as to their whereabouts and their condition.

Some Were Favored.
Reports from different parties to whom the birds were sent show that they have been looked after and in many instances have raised broods of young. It is interesting to note that except in certain instances, the birds were sent out in bunches of only two or three, mostly just a pair. These instances are in the case of six birds sent to Senator Jack Grace of Harlan county, who has taken much interest in the birds; eight to Senator George Wolz of Fremont, who was also a member of the fish and game committee and has looked after the birds, reporting from time to time of their condition and five to Columbus, where a gentleman by the name of Phillips has been watching them and reporting on them.

Sixteen to C. W. Bryan.
However, the report shows that sixteen of the birds went to South Lincoln and were turned over to Charles W. Bryan. According to information given today at the game warden's office, Mr. Bryan has made no report whatever on the birds nor does the game warden know what became of them. People interested in the disposal of the birds are inquiring today why Mr. Bryan should be given sixteen birds and has not reported on their disposal when other people could get a pair, or, in three instances, more than that number and be required to report as to their condition.

Inquiries Futile.
The only thing that the game warden seems to know about the birds is that they were turned over to Mr. Bryan and were never seen again. The game warden says that none of the people living in the vicinity where the birds were supposed to have been liberated ever saw any of them, although the game warden admits that he made some inquiries. He says Mr. Bryan got the birds before he took charge of the office.

This will probably not cause any foreign complications or sever neutrality with belligerent powers, but it is liable to make a complication for Mr. Bryan in his campaign for city commissioner, as it is now up to him to explain what became of the birds. Of course no one will hint that the birds were used to entertain any of the great men of the nation who came to dine with Mr. Bryan about that time, although their plumage was beautiful, their songs were wonderful and their meat is said to be delicious.

GIRL QUIETS INSANE MAN WHERE ARMED MEN FAIL

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, April 28.—(Special.)—A man and a gun put to flight a bunch of police officers last night in this city, stood off another bunch of deputy sheriffs who took the place of the police, but finally gave up and surrendered to a pretty miss of 17 who turned the offender over to the sheriff's house.

EIGHTY HEAD OF HOGS DIE FROM EATING COCKLEBURS

DAVID CITY, Neb., April 28.—(Special.)—Dr. W. E. Hewitt, who owns a large island in the Platte river about ten miles north of here, lost eighty head of hogs yesterday by poisoning.

About 50 hogs were in the herd. They had been shut up in closed pens all winter and were turned out to pasture for the first time yesterday afternoon. Death was caused by eating the young sprouts of cocklebur. The loss will be about \$1,000.

Taking Care of the Children.
No parent would be consciously so careless of the children. Joe A. Rosmarin, Clarkson, Neb., uses Foley's Honey and Tar for his two children for croup, coughs and colds. He says, "We are never without Foley's Honey and Tar in the house." A distressing cough, sleepless nights, and raw, inflamed throat lead to a run-down condition in which the child is not able to resist contagious or infectious diseases. Foley's Honey and Tar is truly healing and prompt in action. It relieves coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Sold everywhere.—Advertisement.

Nebraska WANTS BOYS FOR DELEGATES

Governor Would Name Number of Nebraska Youths to Make Trip to San Francisco.

ASKS NAMES BE SENT TO HIM

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, April 28.—(Special.)—Private Secretary Mumford of the governor's office has been sending out letters to members of the legislature asking them to send in the names of two boys from their county who would make good delegates to the Universal Corn Congress to be held in San Francisco, August 5 and 6.

This is said to be the great feature of the agricultural meeting to be held and is given under the auspices of the National Top Notch Farmers' club. It is urged that boys intensely interested in agriculture and who may be able to attend be recommended for the places.

Dr. Westernman on Visit.
Dr. J. T. Westernman of New York City, a former Lincoln boy and at one time connected with Lincoln papers and for a short time a Bee correspondent, is in the city visiting his brother, Assistant Secretary Max Westernman of the University of Nebraska. He was formerly a member of the noted Seventy-first New York regiment of the National Guard of that state and this morning visited General Hall at State Guard headquarters.

Going to Officers' School.
Following instructions of the War Department, Assistant General Hall has appointed the following officers of the signal corps at Fremont to participate in an officers' school at Fort Leavenworth: Captain Henry A. Jess and Lieutenants L. E. Whitcomb, Elmer Lumtrum and C. A. Robinson and Sergeant Lawrence Sachtell, M. S. E.; Silas Milan and Sergeant Andrew Olson.

Hall Has Dandelion Cure.
Railway Commissioner Thomas Hall believes he can solve the dandelion problem. The commissioner believes that if the grass is allowed to grow at will all summer that it will kill out the yellow leaves. He explains the scheme thusly: The leaves of the plant grow closely to the ground and spread out. In cutting with a lawn-mower the leaves escape because of their close proximity to the earth and the only effect of cutting them is to spread to grow it will come up and push the leaves of the dandelion up in the air. In this position the plant cannot live. Of course, the grass will look scraggly during the summer, but the commissioner believes that the state can afford to have a scraggly lawn one season if the weeds can be gotten rid of. Mr. Hall has requested the governor to turn over the northeast section of the grounds between the walk to the northeast corner and that to the fifteenth street entrance of the state house to him and give him a chance to show what can be done.

MISSING MASON CITY WOMAN IS TRACED TO MONTANA

BROKEN BOW, Neb., April 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Margaret Schmidt of Mason City, this county, who has been missing from her home since the first of April, has at last been traced to a point in Montana, and her family hope that they may be able to definitely locate her in a short time. Mrs. Schmidt was supposed to have bought a ticket for Broken Bow on April 1, but later investigation showed that she had purchased it for Alliance. It is thought her mind has wandered. She is 47 years of age and the wife of Matthias Schmidt of Mason City.

SWEDEBURG MINISTER DIES SUDDENLY AT OAKLAND

OAKLAND, Neb., April 28.—(Special.)—Rev. A. F. Tornblom of Swedeburg, Neb., attending the semi-annual conference of the Nebraska Mission church, died suddenly last night from stomach trouble and a bursting blood vessel. He had preached a sermon, when he became suddenly ill and died at the home of H. J. Hansen, where he was being entertained. He was 44 years of age and leaves a widow and five children.

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Nebraska Ed P. Smith Makes Contract with Board

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, April 28.—(Special.)—The State Railway commission today gave out the terms of its agreement made yesterday with Edward P. Smith of Omaha, who will represent the state in the freight rate hearings before the Interstate Commerce commission.

UNIVERSITY AUTHORITIES RAP SUNDAY AMUSEMENTS

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, April 28.—(Special.)—Before the "committee of one hundred," an organization supposed to look after the moral and amusement side of things in Lincoln, Dean C. C. Engberg of the University of Nebraska last night pronounced the present age as the "age of rage."

He spoke directly against the opening of the theaters on Sunday in Lincoln, a proposition which will be voted on by the people at the city election next week. In his remarks said that the people were indifferent to the things going on about them.

"We are not giving the young people the solid things of life," said he. "Tendency has been spread through educational circles. I was reading the school-year averages of the fraternities and sororities the other day. At the same time I had a date book in which the university terms are registered. I compared the two and discovered that the fraternities which had fallen the lowest were those which had the most dances and house parties."

LAWYERS ARE APPOINTED TO TAKE PART IN CASE

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, April 28.—(Special.)—Attorney General Read has been requested by the district judge of Thurston county to send someone to that county to represent the state in the trial of Jesse Cochran, charged with the murder of John Jump, on January 17, last.

The county attorney of Thurston county is disqualified, because he had been attorney for Mrs. Cochran in a divorce case against her husband. The district judge appointed Harry Keefe of Walthill to appear for the county in the case and the attorney general in answer to the request of the district judge has asked T. S. Allen of Lincoln to represent the state in the prosecution, in case the attorney general's office force is too busy at the time.

MERNA WOMAN KILLED BY FALL FROM CARRIAGE

BROKEN BOW, Neb., April 28.—(Special.)—While riding in a carriage with her husband and family, Mrs. Phillip Volmer, who resides ten miles from Merma, on the west table, fell from the back of the vehicle to the ground and broke her neck. She lived but half an hour after the accident. The next upon which Mrs. Volmer rode was held in place by a steel rod, which had broken, and when she leaned back the seat gave way, throwing her out backward. The deceased was well known on the west table and the mother of a large family, some of whom are married.

Nebraska NEW BOARD AT SYRACUSE ORDERS LAWS ENFORCED

SYRACUSE, Neb., April 28.—(Special.)—The new members of the town board, D. August Halm and Walter F. Noff, were sworn Tuesday night. Theodore Guthrie was elected chairman, William Stanbro clerk and James Fairhead treasurer. Three saloon licenses were granted, to H. F. Windels, H. Haase and H. J. Brinkman, and three pool hall licenses, to E. F. Stepanek, W. A. Pratt and L. C. Gelwegman. Stringent rules were adopted by the board covering the entering of saloons out of regular hours and selling to habitual drunks and the first conviction of either will result in the revocation of the license of the offender. W. W. Bell was re-elected marshal with instructions to enforce without favor the motorcycle and automobile speed ordinances.

GRAND OFFICERS OF MASONS LAY CORNERSTONE AT GENEVA

GENEVA, Neb., April 28.—(Special.)—The cornerstone of the new city building was laid yesterday afternoon by the Masons. The Geneva lodge met the grand officers at the train and escorted them to their hall, where they, with the members of the Eastern Star lodge, all marched to the foundation of the auditorium, the scene of the ceremonies.

The grand officers visiting and assisting were Grand Master S. R. Wilson; Deputy Grand Master T. M. Davis; Grand Secretary Rev. C. C. Wilson; Grand Orator Rev. A. A. Brooks. The Geneva military band was present and the men's quartet consisting of Judge W. R. Fulton, C. B. Reeve, E. J. Dempsey and J. C. Starr, sang. The weather was ideal and a goodly crowd was in attendance.

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Nebraska OAKLAND WINS DEBATE FROM BLOOMFIELD

OAKLAND, Neb., April 28.—(Special.)—In the third and final debate for the championship of northeast Nebraska the Oakland High school boys won from the Bloomfield High school last night. Oakland had the affirmative and won by a two to one vote of the judges, who were Prof. Mailey of the state university, Prof. Wells of Welesau and Mr. Chambers of University Place. Misses Alice High, Anolis Hamil and Lorence Crabau were opposed by Victor Westermarck, Harold Holmquist and Walter Christensen. The latter has been chosen to represent Oakland in the finals at Lincoln.

Rainfall at Geneva.
GENEVA, Neb., April 28.—(Special.)—The rainfall for the last three or four days was 2.26 inches.

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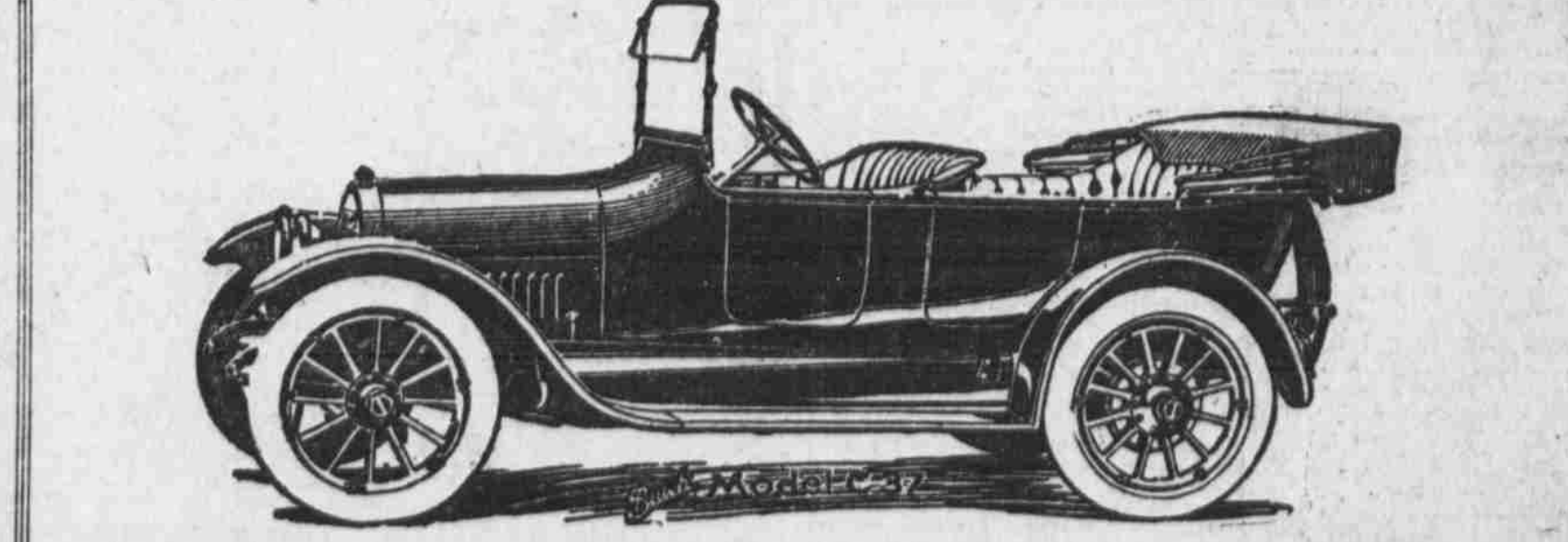
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