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NEBRASKA POULTRY SHOW AT KEARNEY

Prize Chickens Will Be on Exhibition There Beginning Monday.

BEST BIRDS TO BE THERE

Kearney, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—With the arrival here yesterday of a carload of especially constructed exhibition coops which will house the 2,500 prize chickens, plans for the thirty-second annual meeting of the Nebraska State Poultry association, which will open in Kearney on next Monday, January 15, are nearing completion.

Superintendent Charles E. Coddle of Edgar, Neb., who will have charge of the big show, will arrive here Thursday morning and assist the local committee to make whatever final arrangements are necessary. Superintendent Coddle has been chairman of the poultry express committee of the association for a number of years and is considered an expert in the receiving and handling of birds.

An office has been fitted up for Secretary A. H. Smith of Lincoln in the Commercial club rooms and that official has stated that he will arrive in town Friday morning.

While a majority of the entries are made by mail, there are nevertheless always a number of late additions to the long list and Secretary Smith will take the last of these Friday night. After that time no chickens will be received for entry.

The judges for this year's show are E. G. Roberts of Fort Atkinson, Wis.; F. O. Hobbs of Mountain Grove, Mo.; and J. C. Johnston of Fairland, Ind. These men have a nationwide reputation for ability, experience and integrity and their decisions will no doubt meet with the unanimous approval of the large number of exhibitors.

Richardson County Goes To Commission Basis

Falls City, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—At the fall election Richardson county voted to change from the township organization of seven members to the commission form with three members. A. W. Loucks was elected to the office of supervisor and was one chosen to remain as a commissioner. The work of choosing the three was up to County Treasurer George Morris, County Judge John Wilsey and County Clerk O. O. Marsh. They selected A. W. Loucks, republican, Falls City, implement dealer; H. E. Boyd, republican, Humboldt, real estate dealer; N. D. Auer, democrat, Liberty township, farmer. The new commissioners were hardly appointed until they filed their bonds and took the oath of office and the bonds approved by the county judge on Saturday. The board of supervisors had adjourned to meet January 9, which was also the day set by law for the new board to meet. Tuesday morning both the old and new board appeared at the court house. One to check up on the county treasurer's office and the other to begin the work of looking into the business of Richardson county.

Farmers' Association at Lindsay Has Good Year

Lindsay, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The Farmers' Elevator association held its annual meeting here Tuesday. William Kurtenbach and Henry Breierman were re-elected directors. John Borer was again placed in charge as manager at a substantial increase in his salary. Under his efficient management the association this last year did \$286,000 worth of business and was practically closed down for business in their big month of December for the want of cars. The manager reported that he was unable to buy corn now for the want of cars and he says the needed relief seems very slow in coming. Besides declaring the usual cash dividend the board of directors reported that the new \$8,000 elevator was completed the last year without levying an assessment or selling more stock. It was decided to place on the market another 200 shares at \$25 each, which would bring their paid in capital to the capital stock of \$25,000.

County Job for Teacher.

Madison, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—County Treasurer J. B. Duphrey has tendered the appointment of deputy treasurer to A. H. Steffen, teacher of the German Lutheran parochial school of Norfolk, and Mr. Steffen has accepted the appointment. However, he will not actively take up his duties until March 1. During the interval W. M. Darlington, retiring treasurer, will assist Mr. Duphrey.

Golden Wedding at Falls City.

Falls City, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Christ Heiser celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at the home in Falls City on Sunday evening. A wedding dinner was a special feature, about which members of the family gathered with a few friends of the parents. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Heiser of Bloomington, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. Will Heiser and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heiser and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hahn, Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. Will Hahn, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. Birmeley

Omaha Scene of First Wild West Show Given by Buffalo Bill

Colonel Cody was always closely identified with Omaha. He was almost as much at home here as he was in North Platte, or in any other part of the great west. Many of his oldest and most intimate friends were Omahans. Omaha was close to his heart.

In 1883, when the colonel conceived the idea of taking a wild west show on the road, he brought his outfit to Omaha for the first public performance. The exhibition was given at the old fair grounds in the north part of the city. He brought from North Platte a herd of buffalo, elk and oxen, a Deadwood stage coach and a lot of Sioux and Pawnee Indians. He was joined by Dr. Carver and A. H. Bogardus, champion marksmen, and "Buck" Taylor, known as king of the cowboys. Johnny Baker, then 13 years of age, was the colonel's valet and in later years became famous as a marksman. "Buck" Taylor is now a resident of Philadelphia. Major Burke was associated with the colonel for many years.

During the first visit of the Buffalo Bill show here William (Billy) McCune joined the Cody forces and remained with the show for more than thirty years. He started in as tent boss and later had charge of the Indians which were engaged each season.

I remember quite well my first meeting with Colonel Cody related Billy McCune. "At the time I was a policeman here, receiving \$90 a month. Major Burke recommended me to the colonel who said he would give me \$110 a month and expenses and he said I would be able to see the country. After the Omaha engagement we made up a train of railroad cars in the yards and started out. I was in doubt at the time whether the show would be a success. It was hard

Hartington Fair Association Increases Its Directorate

Hartington, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The Hartington Driving and Fair association Monday evening voted to amend the constitution so that there will be a directorate of six hereafter instead of five. The following directors were then elected: P. C. Delier, Fred Mecklenberg, L. D. Greenwood, A. J. Lammer, J. M. Lammer and W. H. Burney. The association has recently taken out a new charter and is in a prosperous condition.

Friend Business Men Discuss Live Topics

Friend, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—At the business men's noon-day luncheon Tuesday the matter of employing a coach for the high school basketball team, the car shortage, and a reception for the Fourth Nebraska infantry band, when the boys are mustered out of the service and return to Friend, were taken up and discussed. The proper committee to look after these matters were appointed.

Catcher Sam Agnew Visits Lindsay Brother

Lindsay, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—Sam Agnew, catcher of the champion Boston Red Sox, was in town yesterday and today visiting with his brother, Marshall, who makes his home here, who himself puts up during the summer a pretty stiff article of ball behind the bat for the strong Lindsay aggregation. Sam Agnew's visit came unheralded and was short, for the Lindsay fans would have done a little more than give him the glad hand.

Center Point Santa Claus Dies of Burns

McCook, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The closing incident in the Christmas Santa Claus burning accident at a school house a few miles north of Center Point, Frontier county, was enacted at Indianapolis, this county, Monday morning when Patrick Hagheny was buried. Mr. Hagheny's clothes caught fire from a candle at the Christmas exercise at which he was playing the patron saint. Before the flames could be extinguished, he was fatally burned.

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Public Hearings on Leak Suspended

(continued from Page One.) receive such information? "Absolutely no member had any advance information.

Belling said he had no knowledge of any official of the government or administration who had profited by stock transactions as a result of the peace note and was excused after a brief examination.

W. A. Crawford, head of the local bureau of Central News of America, which supplies news to Financial America, a Wall street paper, read a confidential message he said he sent to his New York office December 20, saying that a note was coming, but that, according to Secretary Lansing, it was not a peace note nor a move for mediation.

"There was absolutely no leak in our service nor from any of its clients," said he.

Representative Harrison said he had examined the Central News tapes for December 20 and found nothing indicating that the confidence of Secretary Lansing had been violated. He read from the ticker report of that day several references to Lloyd George's speech in Parliament and its effect on the market.

"I have found absolutely nothing in the ticker," said Representative Harrison, "to intimate anything about Secretary Lansing's conference with newspaper men of that date. According to this ticker report it was the Lloyd George speech which affected the market that day."

Crawford Reads Statement.

Crawford read a statement declaring that Central News was not the only news service with financial papers among its clients and he thought it fair since it had been "singled out" in the inquiry that this be known. The International News Service, he said, he was "reliably informed," served the Dow Jones company and that The Associated Press served the New York Journal of Commerce.

"You don't think any of them violated Secretary Lansing's confidence, do you?" asked Representative Bennett of New York.

"Oh, no," Crawford replied. "Neither The United Press nor The Associated Press is connected with any ticker service, is it?" Representative Harrison continued.

Representative Henry brought out that Central News had the privilege of a representative on the floor of the house of representatives.

Burglars' Brotherhood Will Defend De Weese

Salt Lake City, Utah, Jan. 10.—Howard De Weese, in jail here facing trial for the alleged murder of his wife in a local rooming house September 21 last, has informed Police Chief J. Perley White that funds for his defense will be furnished by a "burglars' brotherhood," of which he says he is a member. He still maintains he was engaged in a diamond burglary when his wife was slain.

Emil H. Mack Elected Postmaster at Petersburg

Petersburg, Neb., Jan. 10.—(Special.)—The postoffice primary for the selection of a candidate for the postoffice at this place was held Tuesday. The weather was fine and the roads good and a large vote turned out. There were 458 votes cast. There was almost as much excitement as there is at the state elections in November and each candidate had his men hard at work all day. The vote for the candidates stood as follows: Emil H. Mack, 222; John B. Cameron, 155; George Probst, 81.

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Bills Introduced

H. R. 1, Richmond, Douglas—Provides for new capital building and commission to agree on design, etc.

H. R. 2, Norton, Polk—Provides for call of constitutional convention.

H. R. 3, Howard, Douglas—Minimum wage bill.

H. R. 4—Minimum wage for municipal employes.

H. R. 5, Howard, Douglas—Eight hour day for females laborers.

H. R. 6, Norton, Polk—Creates a state efficiency survey commission.

H. R. 7, Hoffmeister, Chase—Requires railroad companies to construct and equip all unimproved right-of-way. Exempts trolley, urban and village.

H. R. 8, Naylor, Dawes—County bond to issue for grading and improving public roads.

H. R. 9, Anderson, Boyd—Provides for sale of state school lands.

H. R. 10, Radke and Fleetwood—Non-partisan election of state and county school superintendents.

H. R. 11, Radke and Fleetwood—Fixes method for determining county population for setting salaries of county office and water power district and board of public works.

H. R. 12, Bates, Fleetwood and Radke—Changes basis of school fund apportionment.

H. R. 13, Wiles, Howard—Fish license bill, changes to residents of county for county fishing.

H. R. 14, Price and McAllister—Consolidates school district and board of public works.

H. R. 15, Price, Howard—Maintains land survey at county expense instead of land district.

H. R. 16, Thomas and Waitt—Authorizes the state educational land and fund board to exchange school lands for forest reserves.

H. R. 17, Thomas and Waitt—Provides for establishment of forest areas by counties, cities and villages.

H. R. 18, Dufos, Johnson—Widens powers of contract of married woman.

H. R. 19, Dufos, Johnson—City of seven and class or village may contract for light or power sale outside corporate limits.

H. R. 20, Swanson, Clay—Revises Department of state police.

H. R. 21, Jacobson, Dawson—Exempts licensed embalmers from jury service.

H. R. 22, Ollis, Valley—State athletic commission bill to be in force July 1.

H. R. 23, Ollis, Valley—Non-partisan election of state and county school superintendents.

H. R. 24, Neal, Keith—Judicial reorganization making slight changes in west and middle.

H. R. 25, Richmond, Douglas—Provides for study and life and works of Abraham Lincoln at state expense.

H. R. 26, Moore, Lancaster—Right-of-way powers granted to light companies for towers and poles for a day.

H. R. 27, Radke and Fleetwood—Creates a department of state police, for prohibition enforcement.

H. R. 28, Reichick, Richardson—Appropriates \$20,000 for legislative expense.

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H. R. 30, Ollis, Valley—Provides for investment of permanent school funds in Federal land bank bonds.

H. R. 31, Shannon, Douglas—For taxation purposes railroad right-of-way shall include only strip of land 100 feet on each side of center of main track.

H. R. 32, Shannon, Douglas—Provides semi-monthly pay day for railroad employes.

Ed Roggen Will Docket New Bills in House

Lincoln, Jan. 10.—(Special.)—Edward P. Roggen of Omaha, formerly secretary of state of Nebraska, is one of the employes of the house of representatives at this legislative session, occupying the position of bill docket clerk in the chief clerk's office.

In the old days, when he served two terms as secretary of state and twelve years as deputy in the same office, Mr. Roggen was a republican, but for several years past he has been a democrat.

The house committee on employes has engaged Miss Lindblad as a stenographer for all the house members to write their personal letters. She will have her desk in the legislative reference bureau. She will do no work on bills, as that will be looked after by the regular force in the bureau.

Others who have been added to the house payroll are: M. O. Worrall, Washburn, clerk in charge of printed bills; T. B. Hutchinson, Kearney, stenographer in the bureau; who will be employed later in the stenographing and recording room; Miss Monahan and Miss Stenographers in reference bureau; W. H. Decker, Holt county, night watchman; G. W. Knowles, custodian of gallery; C. A. Crawford, Ideo, custodian of chief clerk's office; J. A. King, custodian in basement; E. H. Moore and Edmund Miles, janitors.

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