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MULLEN DODGES BRYAN'S BRICK: MAY BE FRIENDS

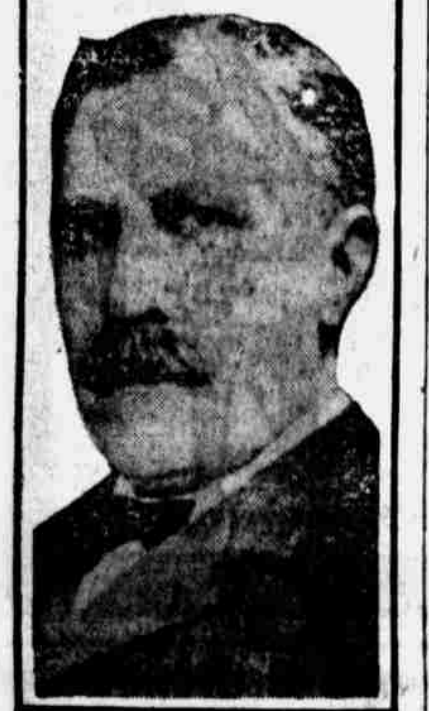
"Old Politician" at Lincoln Says "Politics Make Strange Bed Bugs Buggier;" Tells of Mattes.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—The controversy which has arisen over the charges made by Charles W. Bryan in an interview in The Bee in which he declared that Arthur Mullen, democratic national committeeman for Nebraska had lost his power to dictate things politically in this state, has stirred up a merry row among democrats.

The charge was made by Bryan that when the state went "dry" Mullen's power as a party boss went with it. This is denied by some, while others point to the fact that with the state "dry" and a prospect that Lieutenant Governor Howard may succeed to the governorship there will be mighty little consolation for the Mullen crowd.

Busy All the Time. The Bryan men are willing to admit Mullen is a astute politician and that his political noodle is working most of the time. They point to the fact that with a state 40,000 "dry" the crowd Mullen represents was able to make the senate mighty close on the "wet" and "dry" question, so close in fact that it seemed at one time as if the "wets" were in the majority, and this, too, with the help of only two republicans.

They are willing to concede that it will not do for the "dry" democrats, speaking only in a political way, to



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go to sleep. They point to the fact that Mullen's position as national committeeman gives him a prestige that will count for a great deal, and that being a man who never recognizes defeat until he has to will mean that the Bryan wing of democracy cannot afford to take things easy just because Bryan believes Mullen's power is on the downward grade.

Many Bryan democrats still fear the Mullen wallop and they do not want to feel it. What Will Howard Do. A great deal may happen between now and when the daisies bloom in the good old summer time. Should wars dread alarms call Governor Neville to active duty at the head of the new Seventh regiment, Lieutenant Governor Howard will then be governor.

The story that he would shortly after donning the executive raiment, resign and let Senator John Mattes, president of the senate, succeed to the governorship, in order that he, Howard, might get Mullen's support for the democratic nomination to the United States senate, is not as improbable as some of the state house democrats would like to believe.

Politics "makes strange bed bugs buggier" and it would not be the first time that political enemies have embraced each other in an effort to better their own condition and save the old political ship from the rocks. It is well known that the senior senator from Omaha has presidential aspirations. In order to make himself strong in the next national democratic convention, he must have the undivided support of his party from his home state.

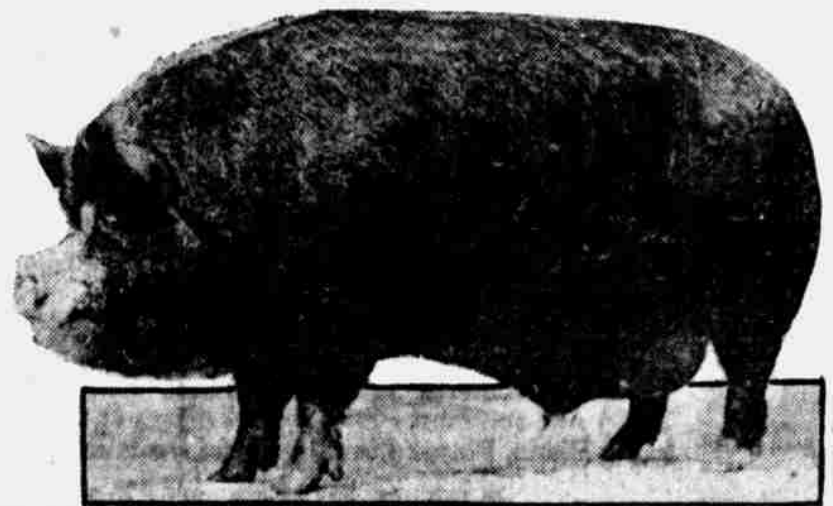
Wants to Make Up. National Committeeman Mullen is a strong personal friend of the senior senator. It will be up to Mullen to see that Nebraska's democracy is solid behind the Hitchcock boom for the big nomination. There is only one way to insure a solid democracy that is to forget the past and kiss and make up.

What more plausible proposition than that the national committeeman from Nebraska should swallow the democratic feelings against Bryan and go to Bryan's very strongest political champion, who happens to have an itching to go to the United States senate, and say: "Howard, old top, you would like to be United States senator from Nebraska. In order to get there you must have the support of our party. Now we want to make Hitchcock the big cheese—we want to make him the party nominee.

"In order to do that we must have a united democracy behind him in this state. Governor Neville soon will resign to go to war. You will succeed him. It will be then up to you to make yourself solid with certain parties by resigning and letting Mattes, who has president pro tem of the senate will be next in line for governor, succeed you as state executive."

Steering From Reefs. He could tell Howard that he was sure Mattes would be perfectly satisfied to fill out the unexpired term and this would leave Howard free to make a campaign next year for the United States senatorship and with the Mattes contingent feeling kindly toward him and the Mullen crowd satisfied, there ought not to be any reason why he could not land the democratic nom-

WORLD'S CHAMPION BERKSHIRE BOAR—Prize porker now on exhibition at National Swine Show in Omaha; T. A. Brush, Santa Rosa, Cal.



ination for the United States senate hands down.

Such a proposition might arouse the risibilities of average politicians, but as one looks over political history he may be able to recall several instances where politicians with the old political ship manned by a crew on the brink of mutiny have forgotten their personal differences when they found the old ship headed for the rocks, and in desperation have joined forces.

Burglars Break Into Kearney High School

Kearney, Neb., Oct. 6.—The office of City School Superintendent A. L. Caviness was entered by burglars last night. Entry was obtained to the high school by removing a window. A small fireproof safe was forced and 50 cents in money taken here. The desk of the superintendent was then pried open and a quantity of stamps taken. Next a door into another office was jimmied, but here the thieves gave it up as a bad job, having misjudged the lock. The school officials and police are unable to connect anyone up with this job, but pupils are above suspicion as the entry bears all the marks of a knowing hand.

On another night, this week some hoodlums bent the large steel flagpole on the high school grounds, damaging it almost beyond repair. The two acts are not connected up by the police.

To Use Joint Passenger Station—Monday the Milwaukee passenger station in Council Bluffs will be abandoned and after that date, jointly with the Rock Island, will occupy the station facilities of the last named road. The Milwaukee passenger station, is the oldest of the railroad buildings in Council Bluffs. It will be torn down and the site will probably be occupied by a warehouse.

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Pershing Declares Americans Will Drive Germans from France

American Training Camp in France. Oct. 6.—America's fighting men will carry the cause of the entente allies to a successful issue over Germany, General Pershing, commander-in-chief of the American forces in France, declared today. His statement was in answer to reports that the war on the western front will result in a stalemate.

American newspapers recently arrived in France telling of efforts in certain quarters of the United States to spread the idea that the western front can never be broken or the Germans driven out of France have aroused not only General Pershing, but the entire American army. Further resentment has been caused by the information that these reports had been taken up by German newspapers in an attempt to belittle America's effort in the war.

"German propaganda working in America through the agency of our passifists would spread this idea among our people in order to weaken our initiative," said General Pershing. "Having lost its tactical advantage

in the Ypres salient, which it enjoyed for more than two years, the German army continues to yield ground before the hammering British assaults. Everywhere on the western front, despite the large number of German troops which the Russian situation has released, Germany is on the defensive and the allies are on the offensive.

"America has the resources in men and material, once they are prepared, to add the weight which must force a military decision against Germany. Our troops are imbued with a spirit of aggressiveness, a spirit that means we are going to win this war and that we have no idea of allowing ourselves to be influenced by pacifists or enemy propaganda. Neither have we any false notions that victory is going to be an easy matter. But that only makes our determination stronger.

"Every man, from top to bottom, has entered this war imbued with the fighting spirit, which means that the cause of the allies will be carried to a successful issue."

This October Sale is one that involves some of the best known makes of instruments, and is noteworthy for the remarkable savings that are to be made.

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LANCASTER FARMER PUT ON CAMP TRAIN

Elmer Meyer, Son of German Farmer, Unable to Carry Out Father's Boast Would Not Fight.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Lincoln, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—Elmer A. Meyer, a young farmer living near Roca, was brought to Lincoln by Deputy Sheriff George Rothe this afternoon and placed, who placed him on the train for Camp Funston.

Meyer had twice been certified and ordered to report for two different draft contingents, but failed. Following a big meeting of citizens at Roca, who protested against Meyer's action, he was taken from the field and brought to Lincoln. Nick Trompen, who accompanied the sheriff, said that Meyer was the son of a wealthy German farmer, who had made the boast that his son would not have to fight.

Falls City Stenographer Looked in Vault by Negro

Falls City, Neb., Oct. 6.—(Special Telegram.)—Miss Bessie Harris, stenographer in the office of Robert Bates, contractor, while in the office alone this morning about 9 o'clock was knocked down by a colored man, who robbed the office of \$20 and locked her in the vault. Employees later found Miss Harris on the vault floor unconscious. One suspect who answers to her description has been arrested.

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TAFT TALKS HERE TWICE ON OCT. 19

To Address Fine Arts Society in the Afternoon and the Palimpsest Club at Night.

Ex-President William Howard Taft was in great demand as a speaker in Omaha, when it was found he was to be here October 19. He was so much in demand that the Omaha Fine Arts society, which organization is spending its money to get him for an afternoon appearance in the Boyd theater, had to call a halt.

They called a halt on the Commercial club, for the club was planning to get Mr. Taft to speak at a public affairs luncheon at noon on that day. The Fine Arts society decided that if 600 people heard him free of charge at noon they would not rush madly to the Boyd to hear him again, so they nipped in the bud the ambitions of the Commercial club.

Commercial Club Retires. Out of deference for the priority claim of the Fine Arts society upon the statesman, the Commercial club immediately retired from the race. The Palimpsest club, however, stuck in the chase and handed an engagement. They will have Mr. Taft in the evening at a dinner. John Lee Webster, president of the club, said the place had not yet been arranged.

However, the time and place for his appearance under the auspices of the Fine Arts society is fixed for the afternoon of October 19 at the Boyd.

German-Americans to Display the Flag Now

Kearney, Neb., Oct. 6.—(Special.)—Judge W. D. Oldham, chairman of the Buffalo County Council of Defense, received another report yesterday of demonstrations made against German-Americans of this county. This time

To Save Beauty Avoid Dyspepsia

But Don't Starve. Take a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet After Meals. No Nausea, No Heartburn—Just Real Comfort.



"My Beauty Secret? Just Use Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets for Good Digestion; Let Nature Do the Rest."

Are you in a desperate mood by the time dessert is served? Many of the good things to eat are banished altogether to those who haven't learned of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Instead of heaving sardine sandwiches, salads, pastry and other rich food wise people eat a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet after each meal and one just before going to bed, then there is no harm in the rich, fancy dishes. Your stomach lacks the proper digestive juices to make your meals easily digested. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets give the stomach and other organs of the digestive apparatus the wherewithal to digest food. Get a 50c box today from any drug store and note the absence of gas, heartburn, heaviness or any stomach distress.—Adv.

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the feeling expressed was not a bitter one and the cases were not attended with rioting. Three German-Americans, residing near Pleasanton, were called upon by a delegation of their neighbors, also German-born for the most part, who demanded in each instance that the American flag be conspicuously posted

about their homes. One of the trio was made to publicly express himself as regards his attitude toward the kaiser and he promptly shouted, "to hell with the kaiser," and vehemently denied that he had any love for the Hohenzollern family or its like. The "visitation" took place just after a number of national army men

had left Pleasanton for their journey to Camp Funston. Another of the trio, a school director, pleaded that he had not found time to come to Kearney and purchase an American flag and that he would gladly hoist one were it available. He was accommodated by his callers and the flag flies high from his family home now.

Combining Our TWO Furniture STORES INTO ONE. Puts more than a hundred smart patterns in Rockers, and Easy Chairs in the Bargain Column. In setting apart a large assortment of rockers and living room chairs accumulated in the massing of two large stocks into one the unmistakable value expressed in every one of these pieces makes the prices so attractive that to look them over is to buy, and to neglect or miss this rocker opportunity will be misfortune. Wing Chairs in Tapestry, Velour and Leather, \$18.75, \$22.50, \$27.50. Floor Lamps, \$18.75 to \$40.00. This Easy Chair, Blue Velour, \$19.75. Sun room Suites in Ivory and Brown. ROCKERS for Every Room and Part of YOUR HOME. Fumed Oak Rockers, Auto Leather seats, \$9.00, \$11.75 to \$14.75. Fumed and Golden Oak Sewing Rockers, \$1.95 to \$3.75. Golden Oak, splendid arm rockers, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.25, \$3.75, \$4.50. Golden Oak, large arm rocker, leather upholstered, \$8.75, \$10.75, \$12.75 and up. These are most unusual values and your choice is limited to one of a kind in many of the patterns. Mahogany finished Arm Rockers, \$3.75, \$4.50, \$5.75, \$6.75, \$8.00. Mahogany, upholstered seat and back rockers, done in tapestries and velours, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$11.25, \$13.50 and up. Broken suite pieces of very smart design and priced sharply below value.

WOOD BEDS. in a vast assemblage of values in mahogany, walnut and oaks. Walnut Poster Bed, full size, \$19.75. Mahogany Poster Bed, full size, \$21.50. Mahogany Period Bed, like illustration, \$22.50. Dressers from suites that are broken, are marked much below their suite value. DRESSING TABLES. Mahogany Period Dressing Table, like illustration, 40-inch base, triple mirrors, for \$18.00. Walnut Period Dressing Table, triple mirrors, for \$21.50. Golden Oak Dressing Table, genuine quartered stock, single mirror, \$7.50. Ivory Enameled Dressing Table, triple mirrors, \$17. The Commerce Range will be given away Monday evening at 8 o'clock. HEATERS. Hot Blast and Oak Heaters. Save money by buying now before winter comes. Prices run from \$4.75, \$6.75, \$8.75 and \$11.75 up to the largest size soft coal burners, at big savings now. Find Your Need in This List of Economies. A warranted carpet sweeper... \$1.95. A large, splendidly made hamper... 95c. 1 lot heavy "Cocobark" doormats... 85c. 1 lot full size white bed spreads... 95c. A set of 4 leather seat diners and 42-inch table... \$18.50. 150 1-yard square linoleum samples at... 29c. 10-inch Brass Jardiniere... 95c. 1 lot 9x12 velvet rugs... \$19.75. 1 lot 9x12 seamless Axminster rugs, good quality, at... \$16.00. A drop head "Wellworth" sewing machine... \$19.50. A big golden oak sideboard... \$14.75. A dandy No. 8 cook stove... \$14.50. A 4-hole high closet range... \$35.00. A 6-hole high closet range... \$39.00. Pedestals and Tabourettes—Oak pedestal, like cut, for \$3.50. Tabourettes at 39c, 60c and up.

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