CHILDREN MAY JOIN NEBRASKA AUDUBON CLUBS

Can Become Junior Audubons by Payment of 10 Cents, and Compete for Valuable Prizes.

Omaha school children are to be given an opportunity to become junior members of the Nebraska Audubon society, and at the same time to win valuable prizes in a contest to be held by the society on the "Pleasure of Nature Study."

Twenty prominent leaders of the society, including university professors in the nature departments of state institutions, have prepared a list of 200 questions, 20 of which will comprise the test to be taken by Nebraska school children in the contest.

Those 200 questions will be published, in order that the pupils of the schools may study up on them and be prepared to pass the test of 20. Those desiring to enter the contest, will automatically become junior Audubons by the payment of a 10-cent fee.

The prizes to be given for the best answers to the examination include kodaks, hiking boots, field glasses, books and other similar articles.

First Thirty Questions.

Following is the first list of 30 questions to be studied by the prospective contestants:

1. What kind of plant do you understand is referred to by the name tree?
2. How does a bush differ from a tree? A shrub?
3. Why do you suppose some trees have thorns, while others do not?
4. What is meant by the term, an evergreen?
5. What is a deciduous tree? Give an example of each.
6. How many kinds of native trees do you know?
7. What is the difference between a weed and a vegetable?
8. Why do plants bloom? And why do others not?
9. Can you name the parts of a flower?
10. What do you understand by the term grass?
11. Which bird calls: "Purity, purity?"
12. Name two birds which sing at night only.
13. Which bird calls "teacher, teacher," with the accent on the second syllable?
14. Can you name two birds with short songs?
15. Can you name two birds with long, complicated songs?
16. Name five birds which repeat their own names in their bird calls.
17. Name four vireos common in this part of Nebraska.
18. Which vireo is a mocker?
19. Name two other mockers.
20. Which bird sings, "Old Man Peabody, Peabody, Peabody?"
21. How does an insect differ from a spider?
22. What are the four stages in the life of a butterfly?
23. Name two kinds of insects, the individuals of which live in colonies or communities.

Honeybee Versus Silkworm.

24. Which is the more useful insect, in your opinion, the honeybee or the silkworm, and why do you think so?
25. Why is it necessary to have bumblebees to grow red clover seed?
26. In what way may human diseases of certain sorts be carried by insects?
27. How does the number of insect forms compare in number with that of other animal forms?
28. Name some insects destructive to grain, another destructive to vegetables, and another destructive to fruits.
29. Compare the manner of obtaining food employed by a plant louse to the grasshopper.
30. What do most of our common insects do in the cold winter?

My HEART and My HUSBAND

Adele Garrison's New Phase of

Revelations of a Wife

Why Dicky Asked Madge a Surprising Question.

Dicky's curt words, so different from the greeting I had been picturing to myself as I rushed to the station, chilled me as thoroughly as if he had chosen to dash a bucket of cold water over me. Using the common sense which since my husband's return from the war I have been trying to inject into my relations with him, I had firmly pushed into the back of my mind the words of Harry Underwood's that had so troubled me:

"The Dicky-bird's not playing the game with you," and had resolved that I would never refer to them, never even think of them again. But my husband's unexpected rudeness not only aroused my temper, but summoned from the depths where I thought I had buried it the ugly suspicion which for a little I had harbored.

With wifely intuition I knew exactly how I could most quickly exasperate Dicky, and with my temper near the boiling point—but with my mental thermometer carefully concealed—I set to work.

"Really, Dicky," I drawled smilingly, "that is a long story, too long for the telling now, especially as I don't suppose you care for an audience. Several of your fellow passengers appear to be unduly interested in us as it is. Don't you think you'd better—"

"Blast it!" Dicky interrupted under his breath, throwing his suitcase into the tonneau as he spoke and seating himself beside me. "Get out of this—quick!"

A "Silky" Question.

He had cast one furtive glance around, had seen as I had, that several of the idlers at the station were watching us with open curiosity and smiles which they took no trouble to disguise. I was fairly trembling with humiliation and anger, but with a mighty effort I kept the bored smile on my face that I had put there when I first spoke to him.

I didn't speak until we had turned the corner from the station and were headed for the culvert beneath the tracks. I caught a glimpse of Mrs. Ticer hurrying up the path away from the corner where I had left her, guessed that at her first sight of the machine she had left her post in order that I need not feel obliged to stop and introduce Dicky to her, and blessed whatever astral body it was which had so ordained her movements. It was no time for social pleasantries.

"Do you wish to drive?" I asked silkily as I guided the car under the culvert, always a dangerous proceeding, because of the narrow place in which machines are compelled to pass each other. I always vigorously sounded the calliope horn I had purchased whenever I went under it, and upon this particular occasion I gave it one or two extra blasts, guessing that Dicky would disapprove.

"My Very Own."

"Drive this flivver? Not on your golden wedding day," he retorted contemptuously. "And for the love of Mike cut out that fiveboat siren. Of course, everybody within 50 miles must have you spotted for a rank amateur by this time, but wait till I can get out of this before you mix me up with it."

Heroically I repressed the inclination to ask him if he would prefer walking back to the station and getting a taxi out. I knew him well enough to be certain that he would act upon the suggestion at once, and improve upon it by returning to the city upon the next train. So I contented myself by remarking calmly:

"The best driver I ever have known says that all motor car drivers are amateurs, except the few who race in those big contests."

I felt rather than saw my husband twist in his seat, and knew that his eyes were fixed with suspicious inquiry upon my face.

"The best driver you have ever known," he repeated with a mocking laugh that I knew was forced. "I suppose you're an accomplished judge of drivers by this time. Strange the newspapers aren't after you to write their automobile columns. May I ask who this paragon is?"

"I don't think his name would interest you." I said demurely. "You do not know him very well, and I have heard you speak with distinct disapproval of him many times, so why talk of unpleasant things. Isn't the coloring of those clouds beautiful?"

Dicky expressed his opinion of the clouds and the surrounding country with emphatic and somewhat picturesque eloquence. Then he shot forth another insistent query:

"Where did you get this blasted car. It looks too new to be a rented one."

"It is my own, my very own," I returned proudly.

Dicky made a quick movement toward me. I think he had meant to seize my arm, and remembered just in time that I was driving. Even the movement made me lose control long enough to let the car swerve rockingly to one side. But I righted it quickly, and the effort enabled me to listen calmly to the astounding question which Dicky next asked.

"Look here!" he said with black fury. "Did that pup, Grantland, dare to teach you to drive?"

(Continued Tomorrow.)

Cannot Secure Extradition For Men Arrested In Omaha

Failure of Norton C. Arbuckle, 3112 Avenue H, Council Bluffs, to file affidavit with the county attorney of Pottawattamie county against Tom Kelly, Wiley Compton and Frank Crane, whom he had arrested in Omaha for alleged looting of his home, makes it impossible to secure extradition for these men, according to Sheriff Groneweg.

The accused men are being held in the county jail, pending action from the courts of Iowa. They were arrested on warrant of Arbuckle, who claims they are members of a quartet of bandits who entered his home on the night of January 24 and stole clothing and jewelry valued at $500 and $500 in cash. None of the loot has been recovered.

Brief City News

Have Root Print It—Beacon Press Dr. Mabel Wesson, Osteopath, 211 Baird Bldg., 17th and Douglas.

Library & Silk Shade Lamps. 25 pct. redu'n. Burgess-Granden Co.—Adv.

7 Per Cent Preferred Stocks—Burns, Brinker & Co., Investment Securities, 17th and Douglas, Omaha Ask for preferred list.

To Represent City—City Commissioners Ure, Zimman and Butler will serve as a special committee to represent the city council before the constitutional convention in connection with matters of importance to Omaha.

Mrs. David Neale Dies—Mrs. David Neale, a resident of Fort Calhoun, Neb., since 1879, died Monday night at her home. She had been ill but a short time. She was 66 years old. A son, George, and three daughters, Grace, Martha and Edith, survive.

Improvement Club Elects—At a meeting of the Castelar Improvement club Monday night at the Castelar school the following officers were elected: William Johnson, president; M. Shinker, vice president; G. W. Peafisger, secretary; William Keller, treasurer.

James Cosgrove Fined—James Cosgrove, 1808 Grace street, paid a fine of $25 and costs in Central police court yesterday on a charge of violating rules of the road. He was arrested Monday night when he is said to have attempted to pass a street car taking on passengers.

Dies at Age of 80—Mrs. Louise Zarneko, 80 years old, died Monday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Otto Lickert, 2713 South Nineteenth street. Funeral services will be held at 4 this afternoon at Brailey & Dorrance chapel, Nineteenth and Cuming streets. Burial will be in Forest Lawn cemetery.

Dismissed in Court—E. O. Hicks of Hastings, Neb., was dismissed in Central police court yesterday on a charge of driving an automobile without head-lights Monday night. H. T. Quinn, his companion, who accompanied Mr. Hicks to the police station Monday night and is said to have protested against the arrest, was dismissed of a charge of interfering with an officer.

Stock Association Men Discuss Raise Of Hog Insurance

Members of the National Live Stock Association of America attending the bureau meeting at the Hotel Fontenelle yesterday decided to carry out a national advertising campaign during the ensuing year. Results secured in advertising during the past year by the association warrant an even more extensive campaign this year, it was decided.

The desirability of raising the limit on hog insurance, that purebred hogs may be insured for their full value, were discussed.

Members of the association and their wives were entertained at the Brandeis theater by the American and the Nebraska Live Stock Insurance companies Monday night.

Diplomatic Bill Passes.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Carrying approximately $9,641,537, the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was passed by the senate and sent to conference.

MANDATE TO U. S. FOR TURKEY HOPE OF CHRISTIANS

Nebraska Convention of the Y. M. C. A. Hears Address By Sherwood Eddy at Hotel Fontenelle.

"An American mandate for Turkey is the only practical means by which the safety of the helpless Christians of the near east can be guaranteed," declared Sherwood Eddy, associate of Dr. John R. Mott, and secretary of Young Men's Christian association work in the near east, in an address at the opening of the state convention of the Y. M. C. A. in the Masonic temple yesterday.

"England has her hands full," he said. "Therefore she cannot undertake this mandate. It is out of the question to let Turkey choose her own future. If Asia Minor is handed back to the Turks, the civilized world should demand not only the trial of the murderers of the 800,000 Armenians already killed but also that of the men at the peace conference who handed these people over to slaughter and extinction.

G. S. Bilheimer of Denver, regional secretary, spoke on "A United Move Forward by the Young Men's Christian Association."

Delegates registered at the Y. M. C. A. building. The convention opened with devotional exercises.

The state committee report showed that all bills for the last year have been paid. This record has been maintained for five years. Six counties in Nebraska are now organized for Y. M. C. A. work. The state has been districted and two of the district secretaries are already at work. "High-Y" clubs have been organized in 37 high schools.

Luncheon was served at noon to convention delegates in the Masonic temple at which several short addresses were made.

Sherwood Eddy spoke at the convention banquet last evening in Masonic temple on "The Present World Situation a Challenge to America." He declared the league of nations should be endorsed by the United States without further delay.

William A. Sweet of Denver spoke on "The Business Man and His Overflow."

The conversation will close with the session of this morning, which will be held in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium.

Hears Appeal Case—Appeals of the Burlington railroad and Sarpy county officials from alleged excessive benefits assessed against them by officials of the Western Sarpy Drainage district are being heard by Federal Master in Chancery Dunham. Burlington officials claim assessing against the railroad one-seventh of the cost of recent improvements along the Platte river is unjustified and are asking a heavy reduction.

Divorce Courts

Hannah Pillard was granted a divorce from Elmer Pillard by Judge Sears in divorce court on allegations of extreme cruelty. Their wedded life lasted little more than one month. They were married November 11, 1919, and she filed her suit the following month. During a hearing of the case last month Mrs. Pillard became hysterical and attempted to hurl a cuspidor at Ben Baker while he was questioning her on the witness stand.

V. Lawrence Curtis was granted a divorce from Ida M. Curtis in divorce court by Judge Wakeley on the ground that she treated him cruelly and refused to live with him.

Alice Wheeler alleges in a petition for divorce filed in district court that George B. Wheeler struck and abused her. They were married in 1918.

Emma Spillard applied to the district court for a divorce from Daniel Spillard and restoration to her maiden name, Parker. She charges her husband with cruelty in their brief married life, which began last September.

Kenneth Welch charges his wife, Ellen, with misconduct, in a petition for divorce filed in district court.

Isabel Rocha alleges in a petition for divorce filed in district court that her husband, Juan, threatened to kill her and drove her from their home at 316 Woolworth avenue.

Bert L. Moreing, a traveling salesman, told his wife, Pauline Moreing, that he was tired of married life, wasn't cut out for a married man and preferred to be free, according to allegations made by her in a petition for divorce filed in district court.

Georgia Bynum refused to live with her husband, Charles, unless he lived with her at the home of her grand mother, he alleges in a petition for divorce filed in district court. He says she refused to cook his meals or wash his clothes.

Disguesting and inhuman treatment are ascribed to William Saunders by Mary Saunders in a petition for divorce filed in district court. He is a rural mail carrier. They were married in 1913.

Here's Your Chance to Get an Army Raincoat at Low Price

Raincoats were placed on sale at Army retail store No. 1, in the Millard hotel, Thirteenth and Douglas streets, yesterday. The raincoats vary in price, according to quality, and range from $3 to $12.50, according to Col. G. S. Bingham, zone supply officer, in charge of the army stores in Omaha.

Stag Socials to Be Renewed By the Elks Lodge In Omaha

Stag socials, which were abandoned by the Elks' lodge when America entered the war, will be renewed by the Omaha lodge as a social feature of the organization tonight in the Elks' club rooms. City Commissioner Butler is in charge of the program.

High Cost of Paving Is Thrust Before Council

The high cost of paving was illustrated in the city council chamber yesterday when bids were opened for 28 street improvement districts.

The only large district was Sixteenth street, from Douglas street to Victor avenue. The asphalt repaving bid on this work two years ago was $1.60 per yard, as against an average bid today of $2.43 per yard, an increase of 50 per cent.