

"MY REVENGE HAS BEEN SWEET" SAYS MISS DOT BRYLEE

"Brewer Has Lost His Job," She Exults; "I Sleep in Peace."—Her Fight Has Only Begun.

Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 14.—"Oh, I have had my revenge. And it has been sweet indeed. Yes, I have had my revenge a thousand times over. When I sleep now I dream wonderful and pleasant dreams and awake with a light heart. During the first stages of this trouble I lost ten pounds, but now I have gained more than twenty. My revenge is sweet and it is complete but my fight has only half begun."

Throwing back her head to laugh at her light heartedness yet, with her eyes flashing fire, Miss "Dot" Brylee, deposed teacher of music at the Connors State Agricultural school at Warner, the young woman who began the famous Brylee-Brewer-Talbot sensation, yesterday told of the fight she is making to clear her name and to run to earth the man whom she says she hates and despises, O. A. Brewer, a member of the state board of agriculture and a politician with a state-wide reputation.

"I began my fight for revenge," she said, "and have had it. Brewer has lost his job." Miss Brylee declared that she made her affidavit, the one that caused the trouble, because she thought that Brewer should not hold a position on a state board.

"He thinks he will become United States marshal under the new administration," she said, "but we have seen to that. My family personally know President-elect Wilson and we have written to him about Brewer. He may as well give up any hope he may carry that he will get the appointment for he has not one chance in a thousand."

Miss Brylee gave many new details of experiences she alleges she had with O. A. Brewer and Guy Talbot, the "mysterious Judge Sherwood." For four years Brewer had sought her, urging her to accept a position in the state schools, she declared, and she finally accepted. Then the break came between them, and she was ordered to Tishomingo, then discharged, she said, and her dismissal was then countermanded and she was ordered to go to Warner. There she taught until recently discharged.

Miss Brylee brought with her two petitions, each with a story back of it. One petition was signed by eighteen pupils, who declared they had signed a previous one, opposing Miss Brylee, under misrepresentation. According to Miss Brylee the petition opposing her was written by a member of the faculty and only a portion of it was read to the pupils. The resolution signed by eighteen students, intended to correct the first is as follows:

We, the undersigned students of the Connors State School of Agriculture, of Warner, wish to correct the erroneous impression given by our resolution printed in the Phoenix of the 5th inst.

We only meant to correct the statement which appeared in the Times-Democrat of the 3rd inst., which stated that the student body was in riot and turmoil and not create the impression that we do not respect Miss Brylee, for we hold Miss Brylee in the highest esteem and regard her as one of our best teachers.

We ask that this statement be given space in your paper in order that people will know we only intended to correct the statement about rioting and turmoil.

(Signed): John Hossler, Margaret Russell, Carrie Dryden, Myrtle Nuckolls, Frank Van Allen, Dennis House, John Addy, Ora Scott, Henry Thompson, Hazel Beckett, Mattie Dodson, Lee Nuckolls, Willie House, Rachael E. Fields, Clarence Pope, Lee Wray, Ada Fields, A. F. Stigall.

Miss Brylee also brought with her a petition signed by students and citizens of Warner to G. T. Bryan, president of the state board of agriculture asking that Miss Brylee be reinstated. The resolution is as follows:

Hon. G. T. Bryan, President, State Board of Agriculture Oklahoma City.

We, the undersigned patrons and students of the Connors State School of Agriculture respectfully urge that you reinstate Miss "Dot" Brylee as teacher of music (common school and

piano music) in the school until the new board of regents assumes its duties.

Miss Brylee has proven herself an efficient teacher and is very much interested in her work and we think it will be for the advancement of the students and the welfare of the school for her to be reinstated.

OKLAHOMA NEW SIN BRIEF.

Captain S. W. Parrish of Beaumont, Tex., has disposed of a half interest in 800 acres of production with 45 wells, to the Gypsy Oil company. Consideration \$100,000.

Yesterday was "Farmers' Day" in Tulsa county. Under the auspices of J. P. Harter, government demonstrator in agriculture, meetings were held at many points in the county.

The following stenographers have been selected by a committee of the senate to serve during the regular session: W. R. Le Compte, Enid; Marcus W. Truett, Oklahoma City; Miss Catherine B. Pierce, Oklahoma City; Miss Irma R. Krause, Pawnee; Miss Cleo Anderson, Oklahoma City, and Miss Blanche Neill, Gage.

VINITA HIGH WINS FROM ADAIR

The basket-ball team of the girls representing the Vinita high school easily won from the Adair girls last night at the high school gymnasium by a score of 33 to 19. The Vinita girls out-played their opponents in every part of the game and Adair only succeeded in throwing one basket from the field, making their other eight points on free throws. The game was filled with interesting climaxes and sensational plays and guarding and while the supporters of the Vinita team felt that their players had the best of the deal and that defeat was scarcely possible, yet their interest was kept high by the splendid fight the visitors put up all through the contest.

The entire team for Vinita did such good work that it is almost impossible to pick any "stars," but if any deserve special mention it would be Catherine Chamberlin for her work at throwing baskets from center. The guarding of McClure, Kengle and Williams was up to their standard, and it was largely due to their work that the visiting team only threw the one basket. Barrett and McFarland crowned themselves with glory and drew much pleasing comment by their playing at forwards as they usually do and Gatewood at center was in the game every minute of the time and always doing her part. The visitors also had some splendid players but we were unable to get their line-up and as a result cannot give them the special mention that they deserve, but both teams play good basket-ball and more than pleased the spectators there to witness it.

The boys game between the seniors and the sophomores was also a good one. The seniors were the victors in this by a score of 27 to 19. Both classes had some good men and the victory fell to the "dignified" class only after a hard struggle and then because of their better team work. They had men that had played together longer, while the under classmen had the "stars" of the contest. The sophomores were handicapped, too, by having some of their best players kept out of the game because of grades and, considering everything, their playing was a surprise to every one. These two teams will play again within the next few days and they say that the result will read very different.

Final score: V. H. S. girls 33; Adair girls 19. Seniors 27; sophomores 19.

Baptist Church.

The pastor will preach both morning and evening. Morning theme: "The Security of the Believer." Evening theme: "The Sinners Approach to God."

A special feature of the morning service will be that the whole service will be adapted to the old people who attend. The "old fashioned songs" will be sung. Automobiles will bring the older people to the church and take them home after the worship. It is hoped to make of this a glad hour for those who have endured the hardships of the past and now linger for just a few more years at the best on this side of the dark river.

The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the evening service. Bible school 9:45. Our school begins promptly at the hour.

B. Y. P. U. at 8:30. Judge Joseph

OSAGES WILL GET A BIG PAYMENT

Pawhuska Has Several Thousand Visitors During "Mazuma" Week.

Pawhuska, Okla., Dec. 13.—This city has been one of the liveliest in the state during the current week, due to the annual payment of moneys to the Osage Indians, which brings here great numbers of annuitants, collectors and spectators.

When the payment closes Saturday Superintendent Carroll will have given a tidy cash sum of approximately 2,000 persons, 90 per cent of whom come to the agency to receipt for their pro rata part. A total of about \$275,000 will have passed across the table, as each person received about \$126.

Much of this of course goes to square up old accounts and re-establish credit for the future, but the stimulating effect on business is felt in all lines and all over the county. Aside from the business features the payment resembles a big family reunion, where members gather to renew acquaintances and cement friendships. Tribe members gather from all parts of the county and surrounding country as much to see others as they do to get their money. This mingling keeps the tribe in touch one with the other. They talk over their affairs, discuss pending propositions and exchange ideas on their tribal business in general.

Many business men and bankers from other towns come to enjoy the week with them and arrange for business dealings in the future. Others come as a matter of curiosity. Altogether it forms a big gathering and the city is taxed to provide shelter for them.

Payment week will long be remembered after the real disbursement of money ceases.

SENATE NULLIFIED CRUCE APPOINTEES

Refused to Support Oklahoma Governor in School Board Controversy—Investigation Ordered.

Oklahoma City, Dec. 13.—The state administration received scanty consideration at the hands of the special session of the state senate which has just adjourned. None of the governor's appointees over whom there was any controversy were confirmed and all the appointments he had made upon the state board of education since its creation two years ago were nullified. Three of his favorite appointees were placed in a "pocket" until the regular session and an investigation was ordered of practically every state department.

It is agreed among most political observers that a republican senate scarcely could have shown a more insurgent attitude toward the administration than the senate which Governor Cruce had called in special session for the express purpose of carrying out his confirmation programme.

Some of the administration wheel horses, however, declare they scent a plan among the senators having state institutions that the governor has attacked, to hold a club over the gubernatorial head in hopes that the executive will not insist on his recommendations that a large number of the state schools be abolished. It is safe to say that a majority of the senators have a state educational institution in their district which very naturally they desire to protect.

Governor Cruce charged during the recent campaign and intimated in his message, that senators and representatives from districts having state institutions formed a combination in the last legislature which made it impossible to defeat any appropriation proposed for one of the institutions and that he was compelled as a result to use the executive veto in order to protect the taxpayers of the state. The governor lopped off about \$2,000,000 of these appropriations.

A. Gill will conduct a discourse among the young people on "Church Efficiency."

The public generally is invited to attend these services. Come, feel at home and worship.

WHISKEY MEN FEAR SLEUTH

Temperance Union Man is Paid to "Clean Up" Two Counties.

Bartlesville, Okla., Dec. 13.—That a persistent and systematic campaign against bootleggers in Washington and Nowata counties is to be inaugurated is the announcement following the advent here recently of S. G. Crosswait of St. Louis, secretary of the National Temperance union, who is said to be a sleuth of the Burns carat in following up violations of the liquor laws.

Already, it is claimed, Crosswait has secured enough evidence to convict every bootlegger in Nowata county, and is asking the court of Nowata county to have a special judge appointed to prosecute the cases. Former County Judge Van Leuven has been retained to prosecute the cases and the evidence is being compiled.

Crosswait is not an enforcement officer, but a detective, and his operating system is not very different from that of "Pussyfoot" Johnson of Anti-Saloon league fame. He has others purchase the booze, then labels the exhibits, giving names, time and place purchased and other necessary data.

That local bootleggers are in genuine fear of this man is evidenced by the tightness of the lid, it being difficult to secure enough Bacchanalian tonic to cure a bad cold.

BOOTLEGGERS SHOT BY TULSA OFFICER

He Was Smuggling Two Loads of Whisky Into Town.

Tulsa, Okla., Dec. 13.—Trouble between bootleggers and state enforcement officers was resumed here today when Walter Allison, while attempting to smuggle two wagons of whisky and beer into Tulsa, was shot and seriously injured by Special Officer F. H. W. Ward. Allison is in a hospital and Ward is being held by the police.

Accounts of the trouble differ widely. Ward claims that Allison resisted and showed fight, while the wounded man asserts that he already had been disarmed when the shooting occurred. An eye-witness to the affair agrees with Allison.

It was reported this afternoon that the life of one enforcement officer had been threatened by friends of Allison. Whether there is any truth to this is not known.

L. M. Logan came in last night from Tablequah.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

St. John's Episcopal Church. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer an address, 11 a. m.

WM. H. TALMAGE, Minister

The First Methodist Church. 9:45 a. m., Sunday school. 11:00 a. m., Preaching by the pastor. 6:30 p. m., Young Peoples meeting. 7:30 p. m., Preaching. Subject: "Tongue."

Special music in the evening. A choir of 20 voices will sing, and an excellent orchestra will assist in the music. You are invited.

W. H. ROPER, Minister.

Presbyterian Church.

Services both morning and evening at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor will preach at both services. This is "Peace Sunday," and the services will correspond with the idea of peace among men. You are especially invited to these services.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Classes for men, women, boys and girls.

Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m.

It makes no difference who you are you will receive Christian greeting at our services.

W. O. DAVIS, Pastor.

ORDER RELEASE ELECTION JUDGES

Criminal Court of Appeals Acts in Kingfisher County Cases.

Oklahoma City, Dec. 14.—An order was issued by the criminal court of appeals Friday commanding Sheriff Clyde Smith of Kingfisher to liberate Frank Guinn and O. A. Sloan from the county jail at Kingfisher, where they have been held without bond for closing up the election polls of Union township, Kingfisher county, at the election November 5, and removing ballots, tally sheets and boxes from the voting places early in the day. At the time Guinn and Sloan declared this action was taken because negroes insisted on voting without qualifying to the "grandfather clause" in the state election laws.

Guinn and Sloan are commanded to appear before the criminal court of appeals January 21, 1913. They were released immediately upon information by telephone that the appellate court had granted their freedom. In their petition for release, Guinn and Sloan declared their imprisonment was brought about by republicans for the purpose of harassing the election inspectors who are democrats.

E. E. Griffin today opened his new restaurant and short order parlor in the Empire block.

SNAKE 'CHARMER' IS ARRESTED AS WHITE SLAVER

Permitted to Transport Her to Kansas Town, Went to Joplin Against Her Entreaties.

Joplin, Mo., Dec. 14.—J. C. Young, who recently came to Joplin from Ottawa county, Oklahoma, was arrested yesterday on a charge of violating the white slave act by bringing Mrs. Mary Newell, 14 years old, into the state for immoral purposes. He denied the charge when arraigned last night before United States Commission E. F. Yeyton. In default of \$2,500 bond he was committed to the city jail, pending trial December 21.

Young and the Newell girl, with Nellie Williams, 35 years old, and his 6-year-old daughter, came here in a mover's wagon. Mrs. Newell says her father, A. J. Barr, who lives seven miles northwest of Miami, consented to let her go to Chetopa, Kans., where she has relatives, in Young's wagon. Instead of going to Chetopa, she said, Young drove to Baxter Springs, then to Galena and from there to Joplin. It was early last week when she left home, and when her parents learned she had not been taken to Chetopa they began a search for her.

Sheriff C. D. Garman of Ottawa county came here from Miami Thursday night, and with the assistance of the police located the four, camped on Joplin creek, north of the city, yesterday afternoon. They were taken to police headquarters and questioned. The girl said Young had refused to allow her to return home. The Williams woman verified her story.

Exhibits Sanke and Eagle.

The campers were poorly provisioned and were living in squalor. Besides a covered wagon and three horses, a box of snakes and a caged eagle were found in the camp. These were used by Young to give shows in country school houses, while traveling from place to place.

After Young's arraignment last night the two women were placed in jail in default of \$200 bond each, being held as witnesses for the government against the prisoner. Young's daughter will be cared for in Joplin.

Separated From Wife.

The Williams woman says she met Young in Cassville, Mo., about three months ago, and had since been traveling with him. She says he promised to marry her as soon as he obtained a divorce from his wife, from whom he has been separated some time.

Although only 14 years old now, the Newell girl was married several months ago. She said she had not been living with her husband for some time.

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Till Xmas**
Closing at 8 P. M.
instead of 6

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