

CANDIDATES BEGIN TO GET BUSY

Republicans Much Dissatisfied Over Machine's Slate

The county clerk's office has had three more applications filed for places on the primary ballots. Frank Schlater is the first Democrat to file and he will run once again for County Treasurer and be re-elected by an increased margin. Allen J. Beeson present County Judge thinks there is lucre eno in the position to warrant him striving once more for it and he has filed for the republican nomination. L. H. Daft of Greenwood thinks that E. E. Hilton has no rights in the register of deeds fight and he wants to run on the republican ticket, therefore he also adds his name to the list and thus runs on the stream. The friends of George Luschnisky and John Busche have not yet filed their petitions for office but it is rumored they will be duly filed for republican nominations. Another strong movement which has started in the city is that for the nomination of D. B. Smith for county commissioner by the Republicans. It is not known whether Mr. Smith countenances the movement or not but he will make a strong candidate should he be nominated. The Democrats seem to be at sea as to their ticket although a wide-eyed, asinine rumor was started by a discredited and disgruntled politician to the effect that a ring was selecting candidates for that party. As a matter of fact one man mentioned as a member of the ring has never been consulted on candidates nor does he volunteer his advice and the others can speak for themselves but it is sure they never conferred together upon a ticket and each one favors different candidates for the different offices. As an inventor of myths and whirlwinds, the politician mentioned is a great and shining success, but as a winner he has proven through campaign after campaign, about the sorriest lot the Republicans have ever been burdened with. Why he should waste so splendid an imagination on politics when the field for dime novels is so wide, is a mystery.

Considerable speculation is indulged in as to the course which the politician referred to will take with the publication which he is attempting to edit. An emissary departed this day for Nehawka to see wherein T. Jefferson O'Day has failed to come to law on the management of the publication. It is said in some quarters that the proposal to have T. Jefferson write scathing editorials rebuking his late colleagues in the field of democracy did not rest well with some of the prospective republican candidates and they raised a howl which traversed the land from Dan to Nehawka and caused his indefinite suspension. Another piece of information is to the effect that the was-to-be-editor got cold extremities and could see where his \$1,500 stood to go into the melting pot, and declined to invest. Anyway, it seems clear that in a few days Mr. O'Day will have to ante or pass the buck, as the poet has put it. Should he ante there is every prospect of merry cain in the Republican camp and should he pass up the deal the prospects for grief in selecting a successor are equally good.

In the last few days the sentiment in the Democratic ranks for W. E. Rosencrans, the present county clerk, for sheriff, has crystallized rapidly and if he could be induced to run, there is a strong probability of his nomination, for it would spell defeat for Sheriff Quinton. He has not yet permitted the use of his name for the nomination, but his friends are seriously talking of putting him up and running him in the primaries without his consent, if necessary. Sheriff Quinton's friends are actively engaged in trying to prevent this nomination, but they are mistaken if they believe he is the only dangerous man for the office of sheriff. The Democracy have a number of good men who can win and they are all being talked of by their friends.

The indications all around are for a red-hot campaign all along the line this fall, and the workers in both parties seem very confident. One feature is the apparent unitedness of the Democracy and their determination to put good officers in control of the county.

Got Them Some Beating.

The Plattsmouth baseball team, which yesterday morning journeyed into the wilds of Auburn for two games of baseball, got a fine beating in the first game. They were most unmercifully swiped and the pitcher whom they took along, Torrence from Glenwood, got such a severe swatting that it loosened his back teeth. Reports received here were to the effect that the ball was constantly in the air, the heavy hitters of Auburn smiting his shoots and curves, both hip and thigh, and keeping Plattsmouth's hustling young fielders on the constant jump. On the other hand, the Auburn young man who twirled the sphere had the Plattsmouth lads guessing, and kept their hits at a low ebb and very much apart. Incidentally, the unfeeling fielders of the Auburn team developed a voracious appetite for gobbling base hits and sies, and the score at the end was a disappointing one for Manager Warren's young men. When it is remembered that Auburn has a team which is nearly all paid players and one which is regarded as a strong bidder for the state championship, the result is not near so bad and shows that the boys played good ball. They hope to win today, when McCauley will do the slab work. Anyway, for a strictly amateur team they play rattling good ball and are the best team in the city in years. The score yesterday was: Auburn, 10, Plattsmouth, 0—the first shut-out of the year.

The locals return home after this game and Friday evening at 5 o'clock they cross bats with the Sargeant-Rice company team of Nebraska City. On Friday, July 23, they are hooked for a game with Glenwood at the latter point. The team is playing so well that they ought to have better crowds and more encouragement.

PLATFORM DANCE.

Remember there is a good time in store for you at the old Pitcher farm platform dance Saturday evening, July 17th. to be given by Will Vallery.

Miss Gertrude Morgan on Monday afternoon last entertained a number of her young lady friends at progressive carroms. Refreshments were served following, Katherine Oliver assisting in serving. The prize at the games was carried off by Miss Leona Asemissen. The entertainment was a very delightful one and the guests certainly enjoyed the afternoon.

Those attending included Misses Mattie Larson, Elizabeth Kerr, Hazel Tney, Jennie Batten, Ina Hatt, Edna Shopp, Hattie Hoffman, Leona Asemissen, Hilda Brinkman, Ruth Chapman and Rachel Livingston.

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Returns From Denver.

E. H. Booth and wife returned last evening from a two week's trip to Denver and Colorado points, which was taken primarily for the benefit of Mrs. Booth's health. It is pleasant to note that they return much improved by their vacation, especially Mrs. Booth, whose health is materially improved by it. During the time they were there they had delightful weather and this enabled them to be out of doors and going all the time. Mrs. Booth was especially pleased with the trip, and feels that it has done her a great deal of good. While delighted to return home they also were sorry to have their trip come to an end.

Life 100,000 Years Ago.

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men, who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger of wild beasts. Today the danger as shown by A. W. Brown of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stubborn cough to cure sore lungs, colds, obstinate, coughs, and prevent pneumonia, it is the best medicine on earth. 50c and \$1.00 Guaranteed by F. G. Fricke & Co. Trial bottles free.

Shorthorns for Sale.

Three good registered Shorthorn yearling bulls for sale. Also good fresh milk cows. Mark White.

Gets Into More Trouble.

Last evening Bert Eledge, having been trying with John Barleycorn to an excessive degree and losing that urbanity of mind and disposition which marks the entire gentleman, proceeded to cut some diodes at Mr. William Barclay's cafe for ladies and gentlemen. Bert waxed exceedingly eloquent in his remarks while about this palatial eating palace and some of his oratory smelled strongly of brimstone and hell's fire. Mr. Barclay, who is pre-eminently a man of peace and quietude, took cognizance of the odor from Bert's remarks, which are said to be sizzling hot, and counseled him to be more moderate in his expressions under sundry pains, penalties, etc., whereupon Bert fell into a great rage and as Mr. Barclay conveyed him gently but firmly to the door he vowed he would do strange, cruel and unusual doings to the kindly disposed Mr. Barclay. As was said before, Mr. Barclay being a man of peace, restrained himself from caving Mr. Eledge in, but continued his fatherly advice. At length El Toro Chief Rainey scented the trouble from afar and came upon Bert and William as their voices rose in musical cadence upon the air, and as Bert was announcing large and julely intentions to carve sundry steaks and things off of William, emphasizing his remarks by exhibiting a large piece of pocket cutlery yclept a knife. El Toro Rainey frowns upon such unseemly conduct and at once squeezed Bert, hurrying him away to goal to consider of the unwisdom of his acts. Herein reposed he until the a. m., when he was hailed before Judge Archer, there to receive equal and exact justice for being intoxicated and using abusive language. As Bert felt unwell and was not ready for taking his medicine, the Judge consented to postpone the listening to the tales of all concerned until Friday at 9 of the clock. At that hour the mills of justice will grind and they are warranted to grind exceedingly fine.

Last night Judge Archer had Low Kinnaman before him to answer to having cracked Andrew Robb a swift punch upon the beak. Also came the Toros, and many witnesses who were duly called, sworn and examined to find wherein Low was warranted in pushing in Andrew's face and otherwise desecrating his features. Each and every one they swore that Andrew was certainly an inoffensive man and that to their knowledge Low had tested his muscle on Andrew with disastrous results to that aged citizen. When all was over and said Judge Archer cast a baleful eye upon ye culprit and asked him what he considered of the matter. Low responded that there seemed an overwhelming preponderance of the evidence against him, but as sure as he was born, he could not help but believe somebody lied. Judge Archer seemed to be not much impressed with Low's belief in the premises and proceeded to apply his happy and efficient remedy for such difficulties, dealing out justice to Low to the tune of five pieces of silver and trimmings, amounting to many more pesos. In view of Low being a workman and desiring to continue at work, he permitted him time in which to secure said fine, and sent him hence poorer in purse, but immensely richer in wisdom and worldly knowledge.

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Evening Sermons to Young Men.

A series of Sunday evening sermons to young men will be given at the M. E. church at Mynard by the pastor, Rev. W. B. Cornish. The first of this series will be preached on next Sunday evening and will be called "The Young Man and His Mother." Mr. Cornish, who is a former Young Men's Christian association secretary, and is familiar with every phase of a young man's life, will no doubt present in this series of sermons truths which are of vital interest to every young man. All are invited to be present at these services, which are devotional in spirit and yet attractive throughout.

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Improving Its Appearance.

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Rebekahs, Notice.

All members of Rebekah lodge are requested to meet next Saturday evening at their lodge room for installation of officers.

At Rest in Oak Hill.

DIED—Norval, Norva, at Omaha, Neb., on July 12, 1909, of sunstroke, aged 29 years 9 months and 22 days. Funeral at Plattsmouth, Neb., on July 13, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. Interment at Oak Hill cemetery.

As was chronicled in the Journal of yesterday, death claimed Norva Norval, well known in this city and vicinity. The young man died from the effects of sunstroke, succumbing while the ambulance was on the way to a hospital with him. The body was brought to this city last evening. His many friends in the city and vicinity heard of his taking away with the deepest regret. Having lived here practically all his life, he had made himself well known to a host and one and all they liked him for the good traits which he possessed.

Deceased was born at Hillsdale, Mills county, Iowa, on September 20, 1879, and, therefore, was just entering upon the prime of life. Moving to this city when a child, he suffered the loss of his parents at a tender age, and was taken in charge by his wife's folks, the Densons, whence he came to be known by the family name of Denson. Deceased had lived in this city up to a comparatively short time ago, when he moved to Omaha, being a married man and being survived by a widow and a stepson. He is survived by five uncles, J. H. John R., Fred E., J. J. and Lincoln Denson, and one aunt, Mrs. Simon Hansen of Nehawka.

The funeral took place this morning from the Methodist church, services being conducted by Rev. A. A. Kendall, who made a sermon of much worth, touching upon the lessons which the passed life had taught and the symbol which it told of the future. There was appropriate music by members of the Methodist choir.

Interment was had at Oak Hill, west of the city, a long cortege of relatives and friends paying the last tribute at his grave. The pallbearers were all old-time friends of deceased in his life time, being Sam Henderson, Charles Renner, P. A. McCrary, T. B. Stokes, H. A. Rice and Will Grebe.

Likes The Hills.

Matt Luke and family came in last evening from their home at Edgemont, S. D., for an overnight's visit with George Ulrich and family, departing this evening for Chicago, Ill., where they will visit with relatives for several days. Matt and his entire family are looking the picture of health, and state that they certainly do like the climate of Edgemont, though they deplore the fact that it does not rain in that country. Owing to the high altitude the air is light and the climate is an ideal one. Mrs. Luke remarked upon the heaviness of the atmosphere in this altitude, having become acclimated during her one year's stay in the hills. Their many friends in this city, where they lived for so long, were delighted to see them back once more.

To Visit in Omaha.

Miss Greenwald, who conducts the studio on North Sixth street, formerly run by the Sopers, departs tomorrow for Omaha, where she will spend the day in attendance upon the Eastman School of Photography. On that account her studio will be closed for the day. Miss Greenwald is a close student of her art and takes every possible opportunity to learn the latest developments in it. At these schools, which are held periodically, all the latest improvements in mechanism and the most improved methods of photography are explained and those attending return prepared to execute work by the best methods. From the above her patrons will understand that her studio will be closed for the day.

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HUSTLERS' CONTEST FOR BOYS

Master Milton McMaken Wins Out While Here on Visit

Always alert and wide-awake for ideas that are original and taking, Herbert Coffeen last April conceived the plan of a boys' contest which became known as "Coffeen's Champion Hustlers' Contest for Boys."

The scheme was for each boy to distribute as many slips on which it was stated that each slip was practically a vote for the boy whose name appeared on it, and at the same time a credit on goods bought by whoever he had lined up, the cream of the young lads of Sheridan aggregating exactly 200 in all were interested. The contest has been going on for nearly three months and many is the lad who as he lay down at night wondered where he would come out in the running. The fantastic dreams of "Little Nemo" were not to be compared with those of our "little sons of Sheridan" over the great "Coffeen Marathon."

Master Milton McMaken, who won the first prize, leading with 2,709 slips, does not know at this writing that he is the winner of prize No. 1,

as he and his family have been called by telegraph to the home of his grandfather in Nebraska. The grandfather is lying at the point of death, and Mr. Coffeen, with that delicacy and tact which characterizes his every act, has thus far refrained from telegraphing the good news to the victorious Milton. It may be that the first word of his success may be conveyed by the news columns of the Enterprise.

The first prize, won by Milton McMaken, comprises a splendid saddle outfit, being one of Otto Ernst's finest makes of boys' saddles, a fine Navajo blanket, bridle and Mexican quilt, valued at \$40.—Sheridan (Wyo.) Enterprise.

Master Milton McMaken, mentioned above, is a son of Ed. McMaken, and a grandson of Col. H. C. McMaken of this city. The young man was a visitor here a few days since with his parents. He will be highly elated at his good luck, as he will not likely learn of it until his arrival at his home in Sheridan.

Changes in Foreman.

Changes which have taken place at the shops recently and which went into effect yesterday consisted of the promotion of W. C. Tippens to be foreman of the planing mill, to succeed J. F. Robinson, who recently resigned to go to the northwest, and the appointment of C. M. Parker as foreman of the freight car shops in place of Foreman Richmond, who also recently resigned. The promotion of Mr. Tippens was hailed by his many friends in this city with delight. Mr. Tippens has been connected with the Burlington for many years, and is considered one of that company's best workmen. He is thoroughly at home in all the details of the department of which he has taken hold, and knows the ins and outs of the business thoroughly. That he will make a success of his new position goes without saying, as he has not alone the qualifications, but is personally popular with the men under him. Mr. Parker, who succeeds Foreman Richmond, is said to be not so well versed in the details of the work, but is a young man with the necessary qualifications for making an excellent foreman. His friends in the shops and in the city were gratified to note his promotion and are confident he will give a good account of himself in his new position.

"It would be hard to overstate the wonderful change in my mother since she began to use Electric Bitters," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick of Danforth, Me. "Although past 70 years she seems really to be growing young again. She suffered untold misery from dyspepsia for 20 years. At last she could neither eat, drink or sleep. Doctors gave her up and all remedies failed until Electric Bitters worked such wonders for her health." They invigorate the vital organs, cure liver and kidney troubles, induce sleep, impart strength and appetite. Only 50c at F. G. Fricke & Co.

Self-Control.

Everybody has the right to arrange his mode of life as it pleases him but in the limits of the law. In the great multitude of people the man, who is able to control himself, that is, to subordinate his desires to his reason, will come ahead. The reason will command him to be temperate in eating, drinking, enjoyment; in cases of indisposition it will command him to seek help at once. The most common sins of the people are committed against the digestive system. Let your reason tell you that you should at once use Triner's American Elixir of Bitter Wine, the great remedy for indigestion and weakness. It should be used as soon as a change in the appetite is noticed, or other symptoms of a poor digestion. During summer it always should be in the household. At drug stores, Jos. Triner, 616-622 S. Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill.

The undersigned has about 40 acres of good grass to rent for pasturing horses only.

Good running water and plenty of shade. One dollar per month per head. C. Bengen, 7 1/2 miles south of Plattsmouth.

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New Land Chances!

FLATHEAD INDIAN RESERVATION: Register at Kalispell, Mont., on the Great Northern Railway.

COEUR D'ALENE RESERVATION: Register at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. (Buy tickets to Spokane.)

SPOKANE RESERVATION: Register at Spokane, Washington. Registration dates July 15th to August 5th, inclusive. This is another of the remaining few chances for this generation to obtain good government lands. Call on nearest ticket agent for descriptive leaflet, showing conditions, excursion rates, train service, ect.

The Burlington-Great Northern, Spokane and Seattle train takes you through the wealth producing Wenatchee fruit country, and shows you the wonderful upper northwest empire; every mile is interesting.

BIG HORN BASIN: A splendid choice of the government irrigated lands is still left to homesteaders in this fast growing country.

320-ACRE MONDELL LANDS: Thousands of acres of these larger sized tracts are now available for free homesteading in eastern Wyoming and are going fast.



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