

DEPART FOR LINCOLN.

Members of Company L Leave on Morning Train.

TO ATTEND ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT.

The Company is composed of Ten Officers and 34 Men. Lieutenant Colonel Tracy Accompanies the Boys. Will be Absent Ten Days—Roll of the Company.

From Saturday's Daily:

The members of company L left this morning in a special car attached to the 6 o'clock train of the F. E. & M. V. for Lincoln to attend the annual encampment of the Second regiment. The encampment will last ten days, during which time the members composing it will enjoy regular army life and receive army pay.

Lieutenant Colonel E. H. Tracy accompanied the boys of L and will remain during the encampment.

Dr. J. W. Jennings, formerly pastor of the Methodist church here, but now pastor of the Trinity Methodist church of Omaha, is chaplain of the regiment and will probably be in attendance on the encampment.

Arrangements for the meeting have been completed at Lincoln and the contracts for furnishing the rations have been awarded by Adjutant General Barry.

The camp, which has been named after the gallant Stotsenburg of the First, is located near Lincoln park and is a very pleasant place for the purpose.

The feeding of the men composing the regiment is no small task and it will require a vast quantity of provisions. Contracts for furnishing the rations have been let as follows: Fresh beef, the Cadbury Packing company, at 5 1/2 cents per pound and pork at 7 1/2 cents per pound. Armour will furnish bacon at 7 1/2 cents per pound. Mr. True of Lincoln will supply soft bread at three cents per pound, the Beatrice Creamery company will furnish fresh eggs at 10 cents a dozen and Hargreaves Bros. will furnish the balance of the supplies, including potatoes and canned tomatoes.

Company L met at the armory last night to complete their arrangements and this morning as the first sign of day made its appearance in the east the members of the company were summoned from their beds by loud and repeated blasts from the bugle in the hands of the company musician and with their guns and other accoutrements proceeded to the train. The officers and members of the company are as follows, there being ten officers and 34 men:

Captain Gerecke.
Sergeants Amarine, Oesterling, Ehrhardt, Small.
Corporals Fox, Mills, Potter, Ellis, Light.

Privates Beebe, Bilger, Brueggeman, Davenport, Durham, Gerecke, Howell, Inhelder, Kientz, Kuhl, Lobnow, Wm. Marquardt, Ed Marquardt, Mayer, Marvin, Osterling, Piller, Rainey, Spaulding, Stucker, Chase, Davis, Decker, Freeland, Allen, Massick, McDonald, Patrick, Peterson, Rembe, Schneider, Meinke, Feyerherm, King.

Second Ward Caucus.

The second ward caucus met at the city hall last evening, and was called to order by the chairman. W. M. Robertson was elected chairman and Clyde Eiseley clerk.

S. McFarland was chosen judge and H. E. Hardy clerk of the primary election which is being held today at the latter's coal office.

H. M. Roberts was recommended for judge and L. M. Gaylord for clerk of the general election.

The chairman stated that the two candidates for sheriff had a proposition to make to the caucus. The proposition was stated and accepted, and the candidates were allowed to select the delegation, Mr. Gardner choosing four and Mr. Clements three of the seven the ward is entitled to in the county convention.

The following named are the delegates selected: W. M. Robertson, J. W. Ransom, Gay Halverstein, W. L. Kern, J. Stockwell, H. M. Robertson, Clyde Eiseley.

Delegates to the precinct convention were selected as follows: C. W. Lamont, Sam McFarland, J. J. Jefferies, Ray Parks, Geo. N. Beels, L. M. Gaylord, H. G. Brueggeman.

Delegates to both conventions were empowered to cast the full vote the ward is entitled to.

The delegates to the county convention were also empowered to appoint substitutes to the conference of the precinct delegates to decide on a candidate for sheriff, should any of them be unable to attend.

Outside Precinct.

The caucus of the outside precinct was held at the city hall at 3 o'clock this afternoon and was organized by the election of A. L. Carter as chairman and Geo. D. Smith as secretary.

After a discussion the caucus decided to allow Messrs. Clements and Gardner each to name a man who should select three delegates apiece to the county convention. The result was the choice of A. L. Carter, C. P. Byerly and G. D. Smith as Clements delegates; E. J. Rix, A. Osborn and Storrs Mathewson as Gardner delegates.

The same delegates were elected to represent the precinct at the precinct convention when called.

MORE RAILROAD RUMORS.

Statement that the Union Pacific and Northwestern are to Dissolve.

The Omaha Bee tells the following story concerning the prospective dissolution of the Union Pacific and the Northwestern systems, which, if there is any foundation to it, may mean a considerable to Norfolk: "Nothing has been said in the newspapers within the immediate past regarding the dissolution of the present existing combine between the Union Pacific and Northwestern as soon as the Illinois Central shall have completed its line into Omaha, but the reported activity of the Northwestern in certain directions is of itself almost rather convincing proof to some persons that such a change of affairs may take place. It is asserted that the Northwestern is negotiating for the extension of its line from Casper, Wyo., to Salt Lake City and the only necessity for such an addition would arise in the future lack of a western outlet now furnished by the Union Pacific. With its line extended from Casper to Salt Lake, the Northwestern would be in a position of independence and possess a direct route from Chicago to the Mormon city almost as good as any other line.

"Information comes from Salt Lake that the Northwestern has been negotiating with the owners of valuable franchises through Emigration and Chalk Creek canyons into Salt Lake. These franchises are now in possession of a Salt Lake company, which has had in project the building of a railroad, but so far has never passed beyond the elementary paper stage. In possession of the Northwestern, the problem of its entry into Salt Lake would be settled most satisfactorily and no difficulty would be encountered in effecting an entrance. The distance between Casper and Salt Lake is about 500 miles and the country lying between is readily accessible to railroad building. The only hitch thus far has been in securing a suitable entrance into the capital city of Utah, and the acquisition of the franchises above mentioned would remove that difficulty."

Y. M. C. A. MEETINGS.

Interesting Services Held Yesterday at the Various Churches.

From Monday's Daily:

The gentleman, representing the Young Men's Christian association, who conducted services Saturday and Sunday at the various churches of the city completely captured the hearts of the christian people of Norfolk and their efforts will undoubtedly result in much good to the christian sentiment of the people, especially the young manhood, as well as helping the cause of the association they represent. These meetings were the last of a series that have been conducted in the principal cities of Nebraska by the state committee. The association has, along with other organizations, experienced the depressing influences of the hard times through which the country has just passed and these meetings are among the first evidences of their re-awakening to life. Those who had the pleasure of listening to their talks and attending their meetings sincerely hope that they may again visit Norfolk in the near future.

The first service was held at the Congregational church Saturday evening and was a very successful one, much interest being awakened. The early service at 9 o'clock yesterday morning in the M. E. was not largely attended but proved very interesting.

The regular morning service at the Congregational church was in charge of F. H. Willis, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Omaha. He gave an interesting address and delighted the audience with some singing, he having a most pleasing voice.

Mr. Overton and Mr. Moore had charge of the regular services at the M. E. church and very successfully entertained those in attendance.

A men's meeting was held at the Baptist church in the afternoon, at which there was a fair attendance and the meeting was very successful in its objects. This meeting was led by Mr. Overton.

In the evening there was a big union service at the M. E. church, with Mr. Willis and Mr. Moore in charge. Both gentlemen gave very entertaining talks telling something of the organization and what it had accomplished. Mr. Willis again entertained the people with several solos that were heartily appreciated.

At the Second Congregational church at the Junction there were also interesting services last evening. At both services collections were taken to aid in the work, which are said to have been very liberal.

Southern Literature.

Interesting literature regarding the South is now being distributed by the Southern Railway—"Southern Homes" folders, large map folders, "Land of the Sky" booklets, Southern Fields, "Minerals and Mines" books, etc., mailed free to any address. "The Empire of the South," a very handsome volume of about 300 pages, profusely illustrated, also issued by the Southern Railway, and sent to any address upon receipt of 25 cents, which amount approximates cost of delivery. Address—

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"Two heads are better than one." If the one you have is dull and heavy you need Hood's Sarsaparilla. It will give you prompt relief.

GARDNER IS CHOSEN.

Selected as Candidate for Sheriff Saturday Evening.

THE CONFERENCE IS HARMONIOUS.

After the Ninth Ballot Mr. Clements Withdrew His Name and Requested His Friends to Vote for Gardner, Who Then Secured the Choice by Acclamation.

From Monday's Daily:

The result of the republican conference at the city hall Saturday evening was the selection of S. L. Gardner as the choice of Norfolk precinct for candidate for sheriff, and he will receive the entire 30 votes of the precinct at the county convention to be held at Battle Creek next Saturday. Throughout the proceedings of the conference a surprising spirit of good feeling prevailed, when the magnitude of the stake being played for was considered. The feeling of friendship that has been maintained between the two principals since this contest commenced was apparently unbroken, and Mr. Clements gave assurance of his hearty support to Mr. Gardner and the whole ticket.

Shortly after 8 o'clock the conference was called to order and organized by the election of W. N. Huse as chairman and G. M. Thompson as secretary.

Roll call of the wards showed the following named delegates and proxies present:

First ward—Geo. Spear by F. K. Fulton, J. W. Edwards by F. K. Fulton, E. J. Schorogge by F. K. Fulton, F. K. Fulton and Eli Rasley.

Second ward—W. M. Robertson, J. W. Ransom, Gay Halverstein by Geo. N. Beels, W. L. Kern, Jeff Stockwell, H. M. Roberts, Clyde Eiseley by W. M. Robertson.

Third ward—W. N. Huse, M. C. Hazen, Bert Mapes, M. C. Walker, J. B. Barnes, E. A. Bullock, G. M. Thompson, J. S. McClary.

Fourth ward—W. H. Rish, J. H. Thompson, J. L. Hersheriser. Outside—A. L. Carter, C. P. Byerly, C. D. Smith, E. J. Rix by A. K. Leonard, A. Osborn, S. Mathewson by P. H. Salter.

M. C. Hazen and W. H. Buehler were appointed tellers, and after a motion had been carried that neither candidate should be considered choice of the conference until he had received 20 votes, ballot was ordered. This resulted, as had been expected, giving 15 votes for Clements and 15 votes for Gardner.

After nine ballots all resulting in the same manner, a motion was made to adjourn. This was amended to adjourn until 9:45, and carried.

When the caucus was reconvened, Mr. Gardner secured the floor and stated that he would release his delegates from any further obligation to him, and stated that they were free to vote as they thought best from that time on. Mr. Clements followed with the same kind of statement, and before the discussion of what was the next best thing to do was finished, Mr. Clements again arose and formally withdrew his name, requesting that his friends cast their votes for Mr. Gardner.

It was moved and seconded that S. L. Gardner be nominated by acclamation, and that the delegates from Norfolk precinct cast the entire 30 votes for him in the county convention at Battle Creek next Saturday for candidate for sheriff. Rising vote was called and all but two of the delegates voted aye.

Another recess was taken, after which Mr. Gardner thanked the conference for the action taken. Mr. Clements also thanked his friends and expressed the hope that every one of them would support Mr. Gardner and the entire republican ticket.

Commissioners' Proceedings.

MADISON, Neb., Sept. 5, 1899, at 1 p. m.—Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Winter and Hughes present, A. C. Johnson absent.

On motion the minutes of special meeting held August 8, and adjourned meeting held August 10, 1899, were read and approved.

On motion claims were allowed as follows:

Austin & Western Co., two scrapers.....\$ 12 00
Western Wheeled Scraper Co., repairs..... 6 75
American Express Co., charges..... 1 75

Geo. Davenport, livery for commissioners..... 6 50
Gust Kaul, janitor, for August..... 30 00
L. W. Lyon, grading..... 92 50
D. H. Persons, grading..... 55 50

W. F. F. Winter, work on bridges..... 28 50
A. Degner, nails for bridges..... 13 65
M. W. Carmody, work on grade less personal tax \$4.55 balance..... 37 00
Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account M. W. Carmody..... 4 55

J. F. Flynn, work on Meadow Grove grade..... 158 50
J. F. Flynn, graveling grade..... 125 00
Alvah E. Crooks, ditching..... 11 10

On motion board adjourned for supper and met at 7:30 p. m. Members all present.

On motion claims were allowed as follows: Joseph Sheets, work on bridge.....\$ 7 50
R. E. F. Crozier, repairing in jail..... 1 00
State Journal Co., supplies..... 15 50

Fremont Tribune, fee book for clerk district court..... 7 50
Edwards & Bradford Lumber Co., material for bridges..... 63 02
Perkins Bros. Co., type writer ribbons..... 4 09
Hammond Bros. & Son, examination paper..... 4 50
W. A. Sutherland, paint and painting bridge at Battle Creek..... 10 50
James B. Hume, lumber..... 103 10
James B. Hume, coal for jail..... 6 75
Brausch & Zuelow, goods for sick paupers..... 7 40
C. W. Crum, county superintendent, salary for August..... 100 00
Geo. W. Losey, expense account..... 117 81
H. E. Reavis, moving grader (applied on personal tax)..... 1 50
Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax Reavis..... 1 50
C. F. Montross, stationery and printing..... 11 50
J. W. Walker, conveying Bolofski to poor house (applied on personal tax)..... 1 50
Carl Wilde, county treasurer, account tax J. W. Walker..... 1 50
On motion board adjourned until tomorrow at 8 a. m.
Board met at 8 a. m. September 6, 1899.

On motion bond of Carl Reiche, road overseer of district No. 9, was approved.

On motion claims were allowed as follows:

Canton Bridge Co., to a ply on contract.....\$1000 00
Howard Miller Lumber Co., lumber..... 239 96
O. H. Gillespie, goods for jail..... 10 15

It appearing that C. C. Carey was assessed with the same personal property in both Madison and Union precincts and having paid his taxes for the year 1897 in Madison precinct, the clerk was directed to strike taxes for 1897 in Union precinct.

On motion the following resolution was passed:

Whereas, There is now in the Union Pacific R. R. bond fund a surplus of \$3,499.00, and whereas the statutes provide that such funds shall be distributed among the several road districts situated in the precincts from which said funds have accrued, to be expended for the improvement of public highways, therefore,

Resolved, That the county treasurer be and is hereby instructed to apportion the said funds as follows:

The sum of \$1,200.00 belonging to Norfolk precinct, including Warnerville, is apportioned to wit:

To road district No. 34.....\$ 550 00
To road district No. 1..... 250 00
To road district No. 8..... 250 00
To road district No. 9..... 100 00
To road district No. 16..... 100 00

The sum of \$625.00 belonging to Fairview precinct is apportioned as follows: Road district No. 18.....\$ 300 00
Road district No. 23..... 325 00

The sum of \$1024.00 belonging to Union precinct including Madison and Green Garden is apportioned as follows: Road district No. 17.....\$ 174 00
Road district No. 23..... 190 00
Road district No. 25..... 215 00
Road district No. 26..... 210 00
Road district No. 31..... 250 00
Road district No. 32..... 210 00
Road district No. 33..... 375 00

Be it further Resolved, That it is recommended by this board that the funds so appropriated be expended for the improvement of the main thoroughfares leading to the cities and that the road overseers consult with the county commissioners and determine on what roads the money shall be expended.

Commissioners Hughes and Johnson reported that they had viewed the road petitioned for by J. Hoepfinger and others, commencing at the nw corner of the sw 1/4 of the nw 1/4 of section 9, 24, 4, west, running thence north to the county line, and stated that the proposed road is practicable and for the public good and the clerk was authorized to advertise and proceed according to law.

On motion board adjourned to meet October 3, 1899, at 1 o'clock p. m., as provided by law. E. G. HELLMAN, County Clerk.

Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice September 11, 1899:

O. Burchard, W. J. Creamer, Claud L. Davis, R. C. Deimon, W. E. Foster, S. B. Holloway, Cora, Mann, Della Neuhauser, Davis Pk, Thos. Salter, Clara Smith, Augusta Virgutz.

If not called for in 30 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

Parties calling for any of the above please say advertised.

P. F. SPRECHER, P. M.

EASE AND DISEASE.

A Short Lesson on the Meaning of a Familiar Word.

Disease is the opposite of ease. Webster defines disease as "lack of ease, uneasiness, trouble, vexation, disquiet." It is a condition due to some derangement of the physical organism. A vast majority of the "disease" from which people suffer is due to impure blood. Disease of this kind is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla which purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures scrofula, salt rheum, pimples and all eruptions. It tones the stomach and creates a good appetite, and it gives vigor and vitality to the whole body. It reverses the condition of things, giving health, comfort and "ease" in place of "disease."

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CITY COUNCIL.

Regular Meeting and Regular Routine of Business Last Night.

The regular meeting of the city council was held last evening, when there were present Mayor Simpson, Councilmen Brummond, Bucholz, Degner, Dexter, Uhle, Vile, absent, Bullock and Heckman.

Minutes of the meeting of August 3 were read and approved.

Treasurer's statement for August was read and referred to the auditing committee, showing balances as follows: General fund, \$395.74; interest fund, \$3,506.53; road fund, \$113.59; water fund, \$398.04; sinking fund, \$3,632.00; fire department fund, \$159.90.

Statement of the police judge for August, showing \$25.00 collected and \$12.00 unpaid, was read and referred to the auditing committee.

A warranty deed was read, Dr. Verges conveying to the city the tract of land necessary to open Prospect avenue; consideration \$100.00.

It was moved to accept the deed and the clerk was authorized to draw warrant to Dr. Verges for \$100.00 and record deed. On roll call all present voted aye to the motion.

The committee on fire and police was given further time to report on life saving appliances at the Northfork river.

The water commissioner reported a claim of W. C. Roland for \$4.75, on account of repairing his service pipe, frozen as the result of grading the street, thereby uncovering the pipe. Referred to the committee on public works.

The matter of posting numbers and street names was referred to the committee on streets and alleys.

Read of M. J. Best, as substitute policeman, was read and approved. The following claims were read and ordered paid:

H. E. Hardy, coal, \$96.13.
Frank Roedel, 16 1/2 days' work mowing weeds, \$19.29.

D. Amarine, plastering at city hall \$4.25.

Crane-Churchill company, supplies for waterworks \$7.13.

O. A. Richey, unloading and moving rock \$8.25.

Wm. Reinhardt, 40 hours' labor and washing jail blankets \$8.20.

Al Degner, dipper and nails \$5.00.

Geo. W. Beymer, salary police to July 31, \$33.33.

Aug. Pasewalk, blacksmithing and supplies \$7.05.

H. C. Truman, painting roof of city hall and jail, two coats \$20.00.

C. W. Brausch, coal \$101.35.

Winter & Schulz, straps and sewing costs for city jail \$2.50.

Pardon Marshall, five days' labor laying stone crossings \$7.50.

Burt Mapes, salary city attorney May 1 to August 1 \$50.00.

M. J. Best, five days' work on stone crossings \$7.50.

T. E. Odiorne, 18 loads gravel \$1.80.

Martin Kane, salary for August \$50.00.

W. H. Widaman, salary chief police for August \$50.00.

Wm. Blucher, mowing weeds and scythe \$15.75.

Nebraska Telephone company, rent for three phones \$5.45.

Northwest Publishing company, four city maps and county plat book \$50.00.

T. A. Ayers, special police, one day and one night \$3.00.

J. A. Light, 12 days' labor hauling dirt and mowing weeds \$30.25.

Geo. W. Beymer, salary for August and disposing of one dog \$40.50.

H. H. Hoyt, five days' work with team and one half day without \$13.12.

A. H. Kiesau, one gross pens \$1.50.

F. Kientz, street sprinkling during August \$20.00.

W. H. Law, special police one and one-half days \$2.25.

C. St. P. M. & O. Ry. Co., freight on car of stone \$36.96.

C. W. Babcock & Co., Kasota, Minn., stone for crossings \$107.04.

H. H. Patterson, salary water commissioner for August \$50.00.

H. H. Patterson, salary for July \$50.00.

Anton Bucholz, furniture and supplies for city jail \$6.00.

H. H. Patterson, lessee, street lighting for July \$100.00.

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C. O. Manweiler, salary for August \$45.00.

C. O. Manweiler, salary for July and amount paid for repairs to clock \$47.00.

Albert Degner, supplies \$39.33.

Times-Tribune, printing and stationery \$19.50.

W. N. Huse, printing and stationery \$41.95.

U. S. Supply company, supplies for waterworks \$49.25.

W. J. Gow & Bro., error in payment of fire insurance tax by Nebraska Merchants' Mutual Insurance company of Lincoln \$5.00.

M. J. Best, special police 16 nights and one-half day \$24.75.

W. H. Law, 18 days labor \$27.00.

A. H. Kiesau, wall paper \$5.06.

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