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For the Campaign. In order to give every reader in this state and Iowa an opportunity to keep posted on the progress of the campaign in both these states we have decided to offer THE WEEKLY BEE for the balance of this year for twenty-five cents...

To the city council: Turn the easels out. ALL honor the solid Reese delegations.

CHURCH HOWE and Tom Majors were for Cobb.

Who said the railroads were ready to go out of politics?

THERE was no swarming train out of Lincoln last night.

OTR republican platform makers were in a very cheerful mood.

GEORGE H. THUMMELL was an absolutely unbiased chairman.

FOR once the North Platte county was in it and captured everything.

THE Board of Transportation was let down very easy by the state convention.

JUDGE BROADY will be at liberty now to withdraw from the democratic ticket.

THERE was less bitterness than usual in close contests. Everybody was good natured.

THE republican state central committee has a great deal of hard work to do before election.

MR. CHARLES H. GERR'S term as regent of the university expires December 31 or thereabouts.

DR. S. D. MERCEUR as chairman of the state central committee means a great deal for the ticket.

JUDGE COBB's friends were desperately in earnest but the persimmon pole was not long enough.

EX-CONGRESSMAN DORSEY voted for Cobb for three ballots. In fact the old politicians were nearly all for him.

THE Real Estate Owners' committee is evidently not a whitewash machine. It employs vicious English, to say the least.

WILL Judge Broady accept the nomination tendered him by the democrats? This is a leading question, but not an important one.

PROBABLY the worthy chief justice is by this time convinced that the little sensation he sprang recently developed a life-size boomranger.

DOUGLAS county had its little fracas and required a poll of the vote but there were thirty-seven votes for Reese and they were not ashamed to announce their preferences.

UNPLEASANT inferences may be drawn from recent editorial expressions of the Chicago Tribune. It is thought that that paper is opposed to Omaha's candidacy for the national republican convention.

JUDGE COBB made a remarkable showing in the convention. His defeat was not the result of a want of organization, for he had on his side the best known political leaders in the state and the undisputed sympathy of the B. & M. railroad.

A QUESTION which a great many democrats are asking themselves is, where did the democratic convention of New York leave Mr. Cleveland? According to good mugwump testimony the name of the ex-president was not mentioned there except by his special friends, and there was no marked or distinct manifestation of interest in him. Such indifference to the claimant on the part of a New York democratic convention is certainly significant.

THE STATE TICKET.

After a spirited but by no means acrimonious contest Judge Albert M. Post of Platte county was selected by the republican state convention at Lincoln yesterday as the standard bearer of the republican party in the ensuing campaign. He was the most available man as the five ballots distinctly proved and united all factions having no sore places to be healed. The contest was waged fairly and Judge Post's friends honestly earned their success.

The railroad strength stood by Judge Cobb from first to last and died in the ditch with its favorite. Judge Reese's friends fought manfully from start to finish and proved both their staying qualities and his large vote the elements of popularity which have made him the first choice of a very strong element in the party.

Judge A. M. Post, the nominee of the convention is a lawyer of good ability who is extremely popular among the people who know him best. He has experience as well as ability and a name which has never been assailed. He is an upright judge, a just man and will wear well in the campaign before the people because his public and private record is above reproach.

The nominees for regents are Mr. William H. Marple of Douglas county and Senator Shumway of Dixon county. Both are active, cultured competent men. Senator Shumway and his friends stood by Judge Reese throughout the struggle this year as in the Hastings convention two years ago and faced possible defeat to their home candidate by so doing.

They would not barter away their choice for the head of the ticket to advance their own interests. Mr. Shumway will add strength to the ticket in northeast Nebraska. Mr. Marple has a host of young lawyer and other friends in Douglas county who will take off their coats for him and give him a large vote in this city.

DR. S. D. Merceur of Omaha was elected chairman of the state central committee, which insures to the campaign a vigorous management. No better selection was possible and the compliment was most graciously made unanimous after the announcement of the first ballot, although he was several votes short of a majority.

Taken all in all, though the action of the convention was not exactly what THE BEE had desired, the ticket is one which every republican can heartily endorse, and the convention did itself credit. It leaves fewer wounds than any convention in years. It demonstrated the fact that the republicans of Nebraska are both in earnest and in harmony and can go into the contest with success in November.

THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM. The platform of the republican party of Nebraska is cheerful and cheering document. There is not in it a single suggestion of pessimism. In sharp contrast with the democratic platform, which is a series of denunciations, the republicans offer nothing but congratulations. The characteristics of the two parties are shown in their convention addresses. One is a prophet of evil, the other of good.

THE NEW YORK CAMPAIGN. A prominent New York politician recently referred to the selection of Mr. Fassett at the republican candidate for governor as an inspiration. At any rate it is proving to be a very wise choice. Fassett has not only harmonized the party, but he has infused into it earnestness, enthusiasm and confidence. His public speeches have a freshness and vigor about them that make a most favorable impression. He is a man of intelligence and of ideas, and he states his opinions in language that permits no doubt of his meaning and his sincerity.

which proposed to appropriate \$10,000,000 as a guarantee fund to enable New York city to get the Columbian exposition. The truth is that this was a scheme to place a large sum of money within the reach of Tammany, to be used in the interest of the democratic party, and the republicans in the legislature very properly opposed and killed it.

The nomination of Mr. Flower by the democrats has not improved the chances of that party. He is a weak man to be put in leadership, except that he is very wealthy and liberal with his money for political purposes. The selection of this millionaire candidate was a striking example of the inconsistency of the democracy, which claims to be the only party that is the friend of labor and the foe of plutocracy.

The prospect of republican success in New York is altogether encouraging. The party has never been in better fighting form than it is at the present time, and there is every reason to expect that harmony will be maintained and that earnestness and enthusiasm will increase as the campaign progresses. Republican victory in the Empire state this year would practically settle the presidential contest of next year in favor of that party.

THE democratic party urges that this country ought to have reciprocity with the countries of Europe, with England, France and Germany—but it does not say how with such an arrangement the government would raise the revenues lost by the abolition or heavy reduction of customs duties on the products of those nations.

THE late Congressman Scott. Hon. William L. Scott, who died yesterday, was a conspicuous example of a self-willed man. Although in recent years prominent in national politics, he was perhaps his six years' service as a member of the house of representatives when he was a boy helped to qualify him, he was between those periods a very active and successful business man.

HOLD YOUR WHEAT. Again the farmers of the west and northwest have been advised to hold their wheat for a rise. They are assured that the prices within a few months will reach \$1.50 or \$2.00.

THE farmers' alliance of Ohio has repudiated the alliance of the party. A circular issued by the officers of the alliance declares that that organization is in no way identified with the new party, and states that the proper attitude of the alliance politically is to be prepared to criticize or admire the actions of any party.

THE republicans of Nebraska are not behind those of any other state in their admiration of Secretary Blaine, as was evidenced by the enthusiasm with which his name was greeted in the state convention, but at the same time they have a just appreciation of the distinguished ability that has marked the administration of President Harrison, who certainly deserves a very large share of the credit for what has been accomplished during the last two years.

OUR shabby contemporary down the hill is wabbling a bit on the monetary question. Lately it will be found demanding "a 10-cent dollar."

A HARMONIOUS convention, a united platform and a strong ticket are the elements of success with which the republican party enters the campaign.

A Slight Difference. Balmaceda is dead physically. This is the only respect in which he differs from Grover Cleveland.

Waited 'Till His Beard Grew. He is said, to the credit of the young emperor of Germany, that he waited until his beard was grown before he referred to Napoleon Bonaparte as the "little parvenu from Corsica."

Child-like Humor. Minister Pandofoff's note to the State department relative to the excess of seal skins taken in Behring Sea furnishes ground for the inference that he believes that the modus vivendi is a veritable skin game.

And Cranberries Plentiful. With a 600,000 bushel crop of cranberries, a 2,000,000 bushel corn crop, good crops of cotton, rye, oats and barley, and unusually abundant fruit and vegetable crops, the people are growing impatient for Thanksgiving day, more than two months ahead.

Nebraska Democrats and Silver. The democrats of Nebraska did not think it necessary to hedge on the silver question or to speak in words of uncertain meaning.

Kansas Prohibition. Prohibition has made an upward stride in Atchison, Kan. The saloons have all been ordered to move upstairs, and no ground floor liquor selling will be permitted henceforth.

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HE MAY RESUME BUSINESS.

Howell's Creditors Accepting His Proposal for a Settlement. LEASED AN IMMENSE BUILDING.

Chicago Bureau of THE BEE, Chicago, Ill., Sept. 24.—It is said that S. R. Howell & Co., the lumber firm which failed a few months ago for over \$1,000,000, is about to resume business.

LEASED AN IMMENSE BUILDING. The great Letter block on State street has been leased at a rental of over \$100,000. The leasees are Siegel, Cooper & Co., who by the transaction will secure control of the largest single mercantile building in the United States.

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