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Fictitions Positions to Which Good Salaries and Little Work Are Attached Held by Men Who "Fix Fences,"

LINCOLN, Aug. 6 .- (Special.) - In spite of the many pretenses of reform and economy capitol building a number of deputies who and drawing 41/2 per cent interest. have no legitimate duties to perform, and who spend their whole time in fixing up or tearing down political fences. These men are allowed good fat salaries under the Young People's Christian Union of the law, and the reform officials approve their Pawnee presbytery will be held in this city monthly vouchers with the full knowledge next ?; nday and Tuesday at the United that the money is being paid by the tax. Presbyterian church. payers without value received. Two of recording of insurance articles and other City for interment. matters coming into that department. This deputy insurance commissioner, and the at 3020 T street. clerk who draws the pay utilizes his time entirely in political work. The first man present auditor was W. B. Price, a lawyer place. of this city, who wanted the salary as a reward for having turned "silver repub- dell-M. E. King, A. R. Edminsten, E. W. lican." He attended to the work of cashing Avery. At the Lincoln-J. F. Magee, W. H. the vouchers for a year, when he was pro- McCue. moted to the position of "bond clerk" at a reduced salary, and Fred Jewell took the place in the insurance department. Shortly afterward Jewell was promoted and the insurance clerkship was handed over to J. J. Everingham, a Douglas county statesman who has since then never missed a pay

convention in the cast end of the state.

This Job Went Round. The bond clerkship is another one of the political snaps in the office, and it has been utilized in a variety of ways since the present auditor was inducted into office. The first bond clerk named was J. A. Simpson, a nephew of the auditor. He drew \$583.24 for attending to the alleged labors of the position, and then the auditor's wife held the place for two months, drawing \$166.67 for her services. Then W. B. Price, the Lancaster county statesman, took the job tabernacle was well filled during the prothe meantime paying strict attention to his gram. other duties as adviser and director of all the popocratic parties of the county. The clerk is to index the series of municipal and school district bonds that are filed in the office, previous to their being sent over to the secretary of state's office to be recorded Since January 1, 1897, there have been filed twelve sets of county and municipal bonds, and ninety-nine sets of school district bonds. During the two years' term the actual labor in taking care of all the bonds filed would not occupy a clerical man over five days. The bond clerkship in the treasurer's office has been abolished, and the work of recording in the office of secretary of state is done by the bookkeeper at odd times in addition to his other duties, and is in a more extended form than the recording in the auditor's office. The fact that the bond clerk and the insurance clerk in the auditor's office perform ne duties is well known all over the state house and is the subject of much merriment among the other deputies. Yet the expense to the state during a two-years'

Other Soft Snaps.

house that are equally scandalous. The three living at Trunk Butte, while leading a fracsecretaries of the Board of Transportation tious broncho yesterday, was attacked by draw \$6,000 per year for looking after the the animal and knocked to the ground, political welfare of the popocratic party, and where the colt kicked him and maimed him pastures. yet there is much complaint that the work terribly. He lingered a few hours before is not being well done. The official duties death put an end to his suffering.

of the "private secretary to the governor SAMPLE OF REFORM ECONOMY under the present administration are entirely fictitious, the \$2,000 a year being expended to pay a man for looking after political affairs exclusively. The other soft outside institutions, are well known to the présent reform officials, and no efforts at reform in these matters are attempted, the salaries being gladly paid over to men as

> The following notaries have been commissioned this week: O. A. Stubbs, Bradshaw; Clark A. Coats, Stockham; Henry E. Goodell, Ogalalla; S. R. Rush, Omaha; L. J. lager, Chadron; W. A. Rathsack, Schuyler; L. B. Stines, Fairfield; F. M. Broome, Alliance; Thomas L. Doherty, Loomis.

There were recorded at the state depart ments today a series of refunding bonds the present state officers maintain at the from Valley county, amounting to \$32,000

### Lincoln Local Notes.

The eighth annual convention of the

Mrs. F. W. Ledigh, mother of Warden these fictitious clerkships are in the auditor's Ledigh of the state penitentiary, died last office. Since January 1, 1897, there has been night, aged 73 years and 9 months. The paid \$91.66 per month to an "insurance funeral services will be held Monday, and clerk" whose duties are supposed to be the the remains will be shipped to Nebraska

Mayor Tower of LaPorte, Tex., is here work has all the time been done by the visiting his son, A. R. Tower, who resides Superintendent J. F. Saylor of the city

schools has gone to Fairbury to assist in to be appointed to this fictitious job by the the holding of the teachers' institute at that Omaha pcople at the hotels: At the Lin-

SOAKED AT THE CAMP GROUNDS

Epworth Leaguers Get a Good Wetting, but Do Little Grumbling. LINCOLN, Aug. 6 .- (Special.) - The people camping at the Epworth assembly got a good wetting down last night, some of the tents day, and has very rarely missed a caucus or being thoroughly flooded. The rain fell unceasingly for several hours and tents that were on low ground or had ditches around them got a good soaking on the inside. No damage was done, however, and the campers made little complaint over the slight discomforts, being happy that such a good rain had fallen when it was so much needed by the crops of the country. Today the weather has been perfect and the rain had little effect in decreasing the attendance. Large numbers of people came down from town both afternoon and evening and the

The announcement has been publicly made during the week that no tickets would be work to be performed by the bond destring that so far as possible no business sold on Sunday, the assembly management should be done on the Sabbath day. The precaution was taken, however, to remind everybody that tickets purchased today would be good at the gate tomorrow and every effort has been made to sell a large number of tickets in advance, so that it is now apparent that tomorrow will see a very large attendance on the grounds in spite of the absence of the ticket seller,

The chorus class is growing in strength and is doing good work under the leadership of Prof. Apmadoc. Tuesday the afternoon lecture will be 'The Theology of Negro Plantation Melodien" by Prof. J. W. Bowen, the learned

colored lecturer and preacher, and it is expected that this will be one of the best drawing cards of the assembly. The Red Ribbon club of Lincoln will hold a temperance rally at the assembly tomorrow and a number of able speakers has been seneduled.

Fatally Kicked.

CHADRON, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Tele-There are other political jobs at the state gram.)-Simon Traynor, a prosperous farmer

Copious Showers Fall All Over the

Rejoices at the Outlook-Special Reports from the Bee's Correspondents.

Specials to The Bee from its correspondnts in Nebraska report a fine downpour of rain all over the state Friday night and Saturday morning. . This insures the corn crop and puts pastures in excellent condi-

Detailed reports follow. ASHLAND, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-Ashland was visited last night by one of the winds yesterday. heaviest rains of the season. It began rainng about 11:30 and continued to rain in torrents for about an hour. All during the needed and will do much good, as the corn night the storm prevailed at irregular intertire rainfall for the month of July-1.18 west, and the streams from that direction are flooded, washing the corn from many of the fields.

BRADSHAW, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) -A plendid rainfall visited this vicinity last night. About 11/2 inches fell and farmers are feeling quite jubilant, as it assures a fair corn crop and renders the work of fall plow-

BRAINARD, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-This vicinity was visited by a 1.84 inches rain last night, the first of any importance n several weeks. CALHOUN, Neb., Aug. 6,-(Special.)-

heavy rain fell here last night and this morning. It will help out late corn. CENTRAL CITY, Neb., Aug. 6.—(Special.)
-Merrick county had the heaviest rain of the season last night. In the northern part of the county three inches of water fell. COLUMBUS, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-About 8 o'clock last evening a rain began to fall here and continued steadily until 5 o'clock this morning. The gauge at the government station registered 3.33 inches, and it will do a vast amount of good to crops and put the soil in good condition for fall plowing and seeding. The total rainfall for July was less than one inch-being 0.82 inch. There are some pieces of corn in this county which will prove to be

DAVID CITY, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) A sonking rain visited this section of Butler county last night, commencing about 10 o'clock. Two and a quarter inches of water fell before daylight. During the storm lightning struck the electric light wires and burned out the dynamo for the incandescent light, but doing no further damage. This rain puts the ground in splendid condition for plowing and is of untold benefit to the

DUNCAN, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-A terrific electrical storm passed over this deinity during last night. It first came up from the north and after a heavy rain the wind changed to the south and the storm continued until daybreak. About three inches of rain fell and the corn crop is now an assured fact. Lightning struck in M. Weisenfluh's herd of blooded Poland China hogs. paralyzing several of them. Small grain is nost all in the stack in good shape.

EDGAR, Neb., Aug. 6.-(Special.)hunder storm of unusual proportions visted this section last night. The rain fell n torrents for nearly two hours, the preipitation amounting to about two inches. Corn and all other crops were suffering for rain and this timely shower will greatly improve crop prospects in this section,

FAIRFIELD, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)five one hundredths nches of rain fell. There is a good prospect now that corn will make one-half to wo-thirds of a crop. FAIRMONT, Ncb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-

t commenced raining here last night at 11 clock. Two and a half inches of water fell in four hours. This insures a fair corn crop and puts the land in excellent shape for fall wheat.

FREMONT, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-There was a fine shower here last night which moistened the ground in good shape nd will help the corn crop. About one inch of rain fell. The rain was preceded by a heavy wind. Several branches were broken off the trees in the park where the veterans were encamped, but no tents were hit.

GENEVA, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-Yeserday was an excessively warm, windy day, but clouds were gathering during the afternoon and at about 10 p. m. a heavy thunder storm from the northwest reached here and min fell the rest of the night, with some wind. Between three and four inches of vater fell. Rain was never more acceptable. GRAND ISLAND, Nob., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) -A fine rain of two and a half inches fell all over Hall county last night, and there is immense rejoicing among the farmers.

t makes absolutely sure an immense beet rop and a fine corn crop. The rain was accompanied by a severe wind and elecrical storm which did some damage to rees and fences. The jewelry store of Max Egge and the residence of Frank Manley were struck by lightning, but little lamage was caused.

HARVARD, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-One of the worst thunder storms experienced in years came up last night from 10 p. m o 1 o'clock this morning, during which time two inches of water fell. This will insure all that can be made from the corn crop, at this time, the amount being unknown of damage done by dry weather,

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-A rainfall of four inches and sixty-eight hundreths fell in Adams county last night. This was the heaviest rainfall that has fallen here this year. Although corn is not in very favorable condition yet the heavy rain of last night will do much toward making a corn crop of about 65 per cent.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Aug. 6,-(Special.)-This section of the state was visited by a soaking rain Friday night and the farmers are correspondingly pleased. The recent dry spell had begun to tell on the corn crop in some parts of the county and some fields

were begining to burn slightly. KEARNEY, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) -A heavy wind and rainstorm passed over this section of the county last night, but no damage was done so far as reported except to blow down and break off a few shade trees. The rain insures a heavy corn crop unless something very unexpected happens in the near future. Wheat is turning out from twelve to thirty bushels per acre and oats are yielding very well.

This part of Cass county was visited by a G. Harrison. heavy rain last night which lasted for several hours. The corn crop in this section good condition and will yield well. MALMO, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) -A heavy shower passed over this section of ministration of President McKinley. the state last night, accompanied by considerable lightning and heavy thunder. Previous to the rainfall the evening was very

LOUISVILLE, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) --

fair crop of corn in Saunders county. ORD, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) -A fine rain

fell here last evening, which will be of great J. A. Habegger, A. M. Bartlett, E. J. Carbenefit to late corn and will brighten up the penter, G. A. Eckles, W. H. Fanning, T. F. RANDOLPH, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) --

in all about four inches. The greater part of the large wheat and out crop is in shock. Corn is earing well and except in very few

places of fine color. ST. EDWARD, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-A heavy rainstorm set in here at 8 o'clock last night and continued all night.

ST. PAUL, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) -A violent thunderstorm, accompanied by a heavy rain, came up over St. Paul and vicinity last evening about 7:30 and with Vieregg, J. G. Mott, W. R. Watson, W. R. short intervals continued until lafter 12 Morse, O. F. Brown, W. C. Shelton, L. R. midnight. The rainfall here Richardson, N. D. Keyes, E. Hansen. o'clock amounted to 1.95 inches and will save corn. SCHUYLER, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-Three and one-fourth inches of rain tin, W. C. Kerr, A. F. Jewell, N. R. Perfell here last night, the first good rain singer, James Eatough. since the middle of June. It enhances the Senatorial-W. T. Thompson, S. E. Evans

prospects for corn 20 to 40 per cent. SEWARD, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-Ninety-one-hundredths of an inch of rain Templin, J. C. Rice, fell in this vicinity last night, which will be of great benefit to the corn crop, some of which was nearly burned up by the hot

SHELTON, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-A fine rain fell here last night which was was wilting considerably from the hot wind vals. The total amount of rainfall for the of the last two days. Corn in this locality night was 2.5-10 inches more than the en- will make a good half crop. New oats are coming to market and the quality is firstinches. The storm was heavier north and class and the yield from forty to fifty-five bushels. SILVER CREEK, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special

relegram.)-Rain fell nearly all night, soaking the ground thoroughly, insuring at least a fair crop. Comparatively little corn was already past help. SUTTON, Neb., Aug. 6,-(Special.)-The ng spell of dry weather was broken last

night by a heavy rain. Plowing will now begin for winter wheat. The corn crop will be light. SURPRISE, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) -One and a quarter inches of rain fell last night, which will help corn very much and

high as fifty bushels to the acre. Wheat averages eighteen bushels. SYRACUSE, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Tele gram.)-The drouth in this section is broken. Rain fell last night to depth of 1.07 inches. Within the past three weeks over sixty cars of winter wheat has been shipped from

make plowing good. Oats is turning out as

TEKAMAH, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-This vicinity was visited by a heavy rain last night, being the heaviest of the season. It began about 9:30 last evening and continued until about 7 o'clock this morning, during which time over three inches of

water fell. TOBIAS, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) -The routh was broken here last night by a good rain of 2.9 inches. Although rather late it vill be of great benefit to the corn crop. VALPARAISO, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)

The much needed rain came last night in sufficient quantity to insure the corn crop of the central committee for ensuing year is up to a three-quarter crop, some being past he stage of recovery.

WAHOO, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) -- About wo inches of rain fell over Saunders county last night. The clouds gathered in the northwest in the afternoon with a southeast wind blowing, but about 10 o'clock in the evening the wind shifted to the northwest and blew furiously for a time and then calmed, when a steady rain set in and coninued for hours. This is the first good soaking this county has had for about two months and as a result the corn crop has been shortened about one-third. This rain, nowever, will not only improve the corn prospects, but bring out the pasturage and place the land in condition for fall seeding. WEEPING WATER, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Spe cial.)-There was a nice rain in which about in inch of water fell last night. This prac-

tically makes the corn and the prospects for an abundant yield were never better. WESTERN, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-The long drouth was broken here last night by a rain of two and twenty-three one hundredths inches, insuring the corn crop. WEST POINT, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-This section was visited last night with a record-breaking rain, torrents of water falling for over seven hours without the slightest intermission. Immense benefit will result to the corn, especially the late planted. The potato crop will only realize about 60 per cent of the usual aver-

it a critical stage of growth. WYMORE, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) -A nice rain fell last night. About one-half ive weeks, but it comes too late to save the

### REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTIONS.

Wayne County Instructs for Judge Norris for Congress. BASSETT, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Tele-

gram.)-The republicans of Rock county net in delegate convention here today and selected the following persons to attend the several conventions: State-W. H. Hart, D. Mauric, E. L. Meyrs and J. A. Douglas. Congressional-F. N. Morgan, W. H. Al

en, George M. Hopkins and H. H. Tyler. Senatorial-Bailie Rugg, A. Armstrong, lugh Miller and Morgan James.

Representative-G. S. Haller, George Cornany, J. E. McBurney and H. Armstrong. J. A. Douglas was nominated for the ofice of county attorney and Fred N. Morgan was elected as chairman of the county central committee. All the delegations go congressional delegation. nstructed. James Hall and J. H. Layne of Newport and A. H. Gale of Bassett were candidates before the convention for the support of the delegation to the representaive convention, and upon the fifth ballot for reference A. H. Gale received a majority. The representative convention will be held

t Long Pine August 20. BLAIR, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.) -The Washington county republicans held land commissioner, and are for Hayward for their convention here today. F. H. Clarge was chosen chairman and Z. Russell, secetary. Only delegates to the different onventions were selected. The selection of thorn, J. E. Hathorn and H. W. Keyes, county representatives and county attorney was deferred till a future date not yet de-

cided upon. The delegates to the state convention are: W. J. Cook, Grant Johnel, William Gray, W. K. Fowler, J. J. Wall, A. W. Sprick, L. C. Webber, Frank Curtis, A. T. Johns, B. F. Monroe, R. Blaco, E. L. Tiffiney, L. A. Williams.

Senatorial delegates: W. D. Haller, S. E. Russell, A. L. Johns, F. H. Claridge, T. A. power to name his accretary. President Hillingkamp, W. W. McKinney, G. W. Berkmire, Henry Schmidt.

J. H. Chambers was endorsed as represenative for the float district with Burt sanguine of success in the fall. ounty and was allowed to select his own lelegates, who are John Patrick, Charles Carpenter, O. N. Onthank, H. Stephenson, met in this city today to select delegates hardt, L. A. Williams, E. M. Cook, Henry Horn, Theodore Haller, Giles Meade, W.

A resolution was passed endorsing T. L. Mathews of Dodge county for auditor of state. A resolution was introduced and passed with loud cheers indorsing the ad- J. Weeks, B. A. Deyarman, J. A. Rice, John and Prof. O. A. Preston of Osmond, secre CHADRON, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-

William H. Fanning, a prominent attorney of Crawford, was nominated by the repubwarm and continued so until late. At 10:20 licans at their county convention held in J. J. Halloran o'clock the rain commenced and continued Crawford yesterday for county attorney. until near'y morning. It will be of much Fourteen of the sixteen precincts in M. Thornton, D. C. Harrison, R. E. Bowden, the county were represented. J. MEAD, Neb., Aug. 6.-(Special.)-A fine Schmidt was chairman and E. W. rain fell here last evening which assures Julian and J. E. Porter, secretaries. The following delegations were chosen: Representative convention-J. E. Porter,

Powers, M. E. Rose. State convention-W. H. Reynolds, J. In a week this vicinity has had four nice Habegger, G. E. Gorton, A. J. Palmer, G. A.

Evans, S. F. Parish, C. E. Foster, F. R. Winfield, W. H. Fanning. W. H. Reynolds of Chadron was endorsed

for state senator. CENTRAL CITY, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram )-At the republican county con vention here today the following delegates were elected to the state convention: J. W. Congressional-C. T. Smith, E. T. Fishburn, C. H. Lee, J. B. Templin, J. C. Mar-

J. G. Holden, W. J. Brant, W. W. Wolcott, J. W. Porter, C. Newcomer, H. J. Judicial-John Patterson, Elmer Ross, W.

Thompson, J. J. Gallagey, J. C. Martin, M. L. Rossiter, H. V. Porsons, R. W. Campbell and S. L. Wiser. W. C. Kerr was elected chairman of the

county central committee. ELWOOD, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-The republicans of Gosper county met in convention and nominated A. M. White for county attorney and John W. Coder for commissioner of the First district. Delegates to the state convention Walker Smith, W. E. Smith, C. P. Boynton, H. R. Jonson. Delegates to senatorial onvention: George Scale, Fred Alverd, D. . Haworth, John Wiley and Pearl Kaiser.

Junkin, J. P. Pickering, C. F. Knapple, A. L. White. Delegates to congressional convention; W. T. Parkinson, William Hanson, A. W. Searl, S. J. Groshart, W. E. Smith. Delegates to none of the conventions were instructed and have no preference for governor.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-The republican county convention this afternoon was attended by a large and enthusiastic body of delegates The only contention was over the nomination for county attorney, E. E. Thompson winning easily. George L. Rouse and W. A. rince were nominated for representatives. Delegates were selected to the state, con gressional and senatorial conventions. The tate delegation was instructed for Judge Hayward for governor.

IMPERIAL, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Tele ram.)-The following delegates were chosen at the republican convention today to attend the state convention: C. W. Meeker, James Burke, Frank McLain.

HARRISON, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Teleram.)-The republican county convention for Sioux county met here today and elected delegates to the different conventions in favor of Hayward for governor and I. E. Lash of Hemingford for commissioner of public lands and buildings. The chairman

F. Forse; secretary, W. H. Davis. HARTINGTON, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)—Republican county convention met here today. G. W. Wiltz was chosen chairman and A. E. Ward secretary. Benamin Wend was nominated for county at orney and W. H. Burney commissioner J. C. Robinson was elected chairman of the county central committee and Q. E. Ward ecretary.

State convention delegates: Dr. H. E. Mc Kenzie, A. E. Ward, G. W. Hutton, L. H. Burns, J. F. Chamberlin, E. R. Gurney, J. E. Jenal, Z. B. Oughn, Ben Hall. Congressional convention: O. G. Ritchie

C. Robinson, N. G. Behring, S. O. Reese T. B. Watson, E. Crellin, G. W. Wiltz, E. R. Gurney, Franz Neldon. Senatorial convention: E. L. Dimick, J C. Elliott, J. F. Rosenberger, L. H. Bruner Albert E. Ridenburger, S. O. Reese, G. W.

Wiltz, George Kinkald, Andrew McNeal, Dr. Ingham, William Mitchell. Cedar county being entitled to name the candidate for state senator this year and Judge Miller being the unanimous choice of the convention, he was allowed to select his

delegates. To representative convention: Lewis Andrews, S. T. McFall, Carl Quist, J. L. Stewart, J. M. Simpson, Adolph Beget, C. W.

R. Locke, R. Mitchell, F. R. Speckt, KEARNEY, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Buffalo county republican conage, due solely to the absence of moisture vention for the election of delegates to the state, congressional and senatorial conventions was held at the court house this afternoon and the following were elected to nch of water fell. This is the first rain in the state convention: George W. Whitaker, O. G. Smith, B. O. Hostetter, Fred Jasper, J. M. Forrestall, per B. H. Goodell, alternate: Thomas Dillon, C. S. Bone, Henry Fieldgrove, C. H. North, George Shepard, Phil Bessor, J. A. Field, H. M. Allen, J.

E. Decker, J. W. Dunkin and S. E. Phelps Congressional Convention-J. C. Sammons. Joseph Black, J. G. Lowe, J. P. Norcross, Ben Goodell, A. M. Calhoun, Dan Stonebarger, E. A. Wescott, F. E. Beeman, P. T. Lambert, J. D. Harrison, J. S. Trott Thomas Pratt, W. H. Bartz, F. D. Reed

and T. J. Fisher. Senatorial Convention-George J. Shepard, L. P. Main, J. C. Hall, W. G. Bishoo, J. A. Larimer, Ed. Cronau, M. A. Hostoler M. A. Brown, John Brady, J. F. McNee, J. P. Norcross, L. G. Brown, J. A. Kirk, Cyrus Robinson, G. W. Graham and H. H. Hardy. A resolution that Norris Brown be the choice of Buffalo county republicans for congress was unanimously adopted and he

was authorized to fill any vacancies in the M'COOK, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Red Willow county republicans were in convention here today and named the following ticket: J. E. Hathorn of Bartley, representative; W. R. Starr of Mc-Cook county, attorney; Stephen Bolles of

Box Elder, commissioner. The delegates to the state convention were named by R. P. High, our candidate for governor, viz.: W. S. Morian, J. W. Dolan, William Valentine, H. H. Berry, Frank Moore, Charles Waterman, W. W. Hen-The congressional delegates are: S. W.

Smith, E. Sexton, J. C. Moore, H. W. Cole, G. S. Bishop and A. Barnett. Senatorial-Samuel Premier, A. W. Campbell, E. M. Woods, C. W. Hodkin, B. F. Bradbury, J. S. Brittain, C. L. Hall, C. W. Barnes and W. A. Brown.

William H. Smith of Indianola was made notable political paper. Republicans feel

O'NEILL. Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-The republican county convention A. C. Jones, F. W. Kennedy, sr., Sam Gere- to the state congressional and senatorial conventions. J. A. Trommershausser was elected chairman and S. W. Green secretary. Following are the delegates elected to the several conventions:

> State-J. A. Trommershausser, D. Cronin, W. E. Scott, Thomas Simonson, S. H. S. Beck of Pierce was chosen chairman, Skirving. Congressional-D. H. Cronin, R. H. Jenness, J. E. McDonald, R. C. Wry, S. W.

Green, F. W. Phillips, George Hahn, jr., W. H. A. Allen, Wallace Johnson, H. C. How-

S. J. Weeks was elected chairman of the county central committee and F. W. Phillips secretary. ORD, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.)-The republican county convention met here yesterday to elect delegates to the state, con-

# Eckles, A. M. Bartlett, V. Chladek, A. A. McFadon. Congressional convention—E. W. Julian, G. T. H. Babcock, Thomas Lockett, George Evans, S. F. Parish, C. E. Foster, F. R.

SYMPTOMS OF CATARRH AS GIVEN BY DR. SHEPARD

Conditions that Inevitably Betoken Disease of a Catarrhal Origin-Trifling Expense of a Radical and Permanent Cure Under the Shepard System of Treatment.

Great numbers of people suffer from the malien poisons of catarrin, as from other subtile chronic maladies, without any correct or definite idea of the hature of their affliction. The following symptoms have been carefully arranged to enable many sufferers to understand what it is that all them. Many diseases known under various specific names are really of a catarrinationism and nature. Every part of the mucous membrane, the nose, throat, eyes, ears, head, lungs, stomach, liver, bowels, kidneys and bladder are subject to disease and blight by catarrin. The proper course for sufferers is this: Read these symptoms carefully over, mark those that apply to your case and bring this with you to Dr. Shepard. If you live away from the city send them by mail and ask for mail treatment. In either instance, and whether by mail or office treatment, the patient may be assured of the speedlest relief and care possible to enlightened medicine.

CATARRH OF BEAD AND THROAT.

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The most prevalent form of catarrh, and suits from neglected colds:

"Is the breath foul?"

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"Do you spit up slime?"

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"Do you show out scabs?"

"Is the nose stopped up?"

"Do you snore at night?"

"Does your nose discharge?"

"Does the nose bleed casily?"

"Is there tickling in the throat?"

"Do crusts form in the nose?"

"Is the nose sore and tender?"

"Do you sneeze a great deal?"

"Is this worse toward night?"

"Does the nose itch and burn?"

"Is there a pain in front of head?"

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"Is there pain in the throat?"

"Is there a dropping in the throat?"

"Is the throat dry in the morning?"

"Are you losing your sense of taste?"

"Do you sleen with the mouth open?" Delegates to representative convention: C

"Are you losing your sense of taste?"
"Do you sleep with the mouth open?"
"Does the nose stop up toward night?"
This form of catarrh is the easiest to

EAR SYMPTOMS. Deafness and ear troubles result from entarch passing through the Eustachian tubes that lead from the broat to the ear.

throat to the ear.

"Is your hearing failing?"
"Do your ears discharge?"
"Do the ears itch and burn?"
"Are the ears dry and scaly?"
"Is the wax dry in the ears?"
"Is there a throbbing in the ears?"
"Is there a buzzing sound heard?"
"Do you have a ringing in the ears?"
"Are there crackling sounds heard?"
"Is your hearing bad cloudy days?"
"Do you have earache occasionally?"
"Are there sounds like escaping steam?"
"Do your ears hurt when you blow your osse?"

"When you blow your nose do the ears "Do noises in your ears keep you wake?"

"Hear better some days than others?"
"Do you constantly hear noises in the ears?"
"Is the hearing worse when you have a cold?"
"Is there a roaring like a waterfall in the head?" CATARRH OF THE BRONCHIAL

When catarrh of the head and throat is ft unchecked it extends down the wind-ing into the bronchial tubes, and after a hile attacks the lungs.

while attacks the lungs.

"Have you a cough?"

"Are you loshing flesh?"

"Have you a pain in the side?"

"Do you take cold eastly?"

"Is your appetite variable?"

"Have you stitches in the side?"

"Do you cough until you gag?"

"Are you low-spirited at times?"

"Do you raise frothy material?"

"Do you spit up yellow matter?"

"Do you cough on going to bed?"

"Do you cough in the mornings?"

"Is your cough short and hacking?"

"Do you spit up jittle cheesy lumps?"

"Have you a disgust for fatty food?"

"Is there a tickling behind the pulate?"

"Have you a pain behind the breast-bone?"

and W. L. McNut of Noble, secretary, Reso- called to order by T. C. Hacker, chairman lutions indorsing President McKinley and of the central committee, and C. F. Cather

were passed. Delegates to the state convention are as nominated for state representative on the follows: C. C. Jewett, J. A. Patton, E. J. first formal ballot. Randolph McNitt was Babcock, P. W. Rounds, S. W. J. Brown, then nominated for county attorney.

O. H. Carter and D. O. Hawley. be delegates.

Norris Brown of Kearney is a popular can- of protection didate here. Hughes and P. Mortensen. There are no A. J. Hayes, C. W. Kaley.

could be learned. PAPILLION, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-The republican county convention met here today and elected the following coln next Wednesday: Gilbert Bolen, C. L. Hover, W. S. Raker, A. C. Nichols, J. M. Ward, Byron Sage. The following compose the new county central committee: J. J. Comte, C. E. Keyes, Louis Iske, E. G. Fase, Byron Sage. The new committee elected J.

secretary. PENDER. Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Thurston county republican convention was held in this city this afternoon and nominated Hon. Hiram Chase, formerly county judge of this county, for Alexander, W. H. Merry, David St. Cyr,

W. T. Diddock. Congressional convention: F. C. Waggoner, C. M. McKnight, Walter Diddock, C. . Cerverson, W. C. Alexander, G. A. Barnes. Senatorial convention: Joel Frost, J. S. Clark, Charles Goben, J. H. Lewis, Howel Lemmon, C. M. McKnight, Oscar Waggoner, W. H. Merry, A. Nash.

Representative convention: F. C. Waggoner, T. M. Rice, E. Phillips, W. T. Diddock, O. H. Sweet, Julius Porath. The delegates are not instructed to any

of these conventions. The congressional delegates favor Judge Norris for congress chairman of the central committee, with The fight in the primary caucuses last night was the hardest ever held in the Williams, R. Blaco, Frank Johnel, Henry McKinley's war course was endorsed with county and resulted in the anti-Peebles enthusiasm. The address of the retiring faction carrying the county convention by chairman of the central committee was a a vote of 38 to 27. The convention was harmonious and wound up by the Peebles delegates promising that the fight being waged on the Indian agency would be stopped and in consequence good feeling prevails on all sides.

PIERCE, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Tele-

gram.)-The republicans of Pierce county met in convention here today and selected delegates to the state congressional, genatorial and representative conventions. Twelve out of thirteen precincts were represented. tary. The following were selected as delegates to the state convention: Thomas Chilvers, H. S. Back, P. D. Corell, E. O. Parke., J. H. Stewart and W. E. Bishop. The delegates are uninstructed. On motion Senatorial-F. W. Phillips, Clyde King, J. A. Ballantyne of Osmond was allowed to conventions. The convention will be comname the delegates to the representative convention. W. W. Quivey of Pierce was nominated for county attorney. After the county convention adjourned the delegates to the Third district commissioners' convention met and nominated H. J. Manske of Slough precinct for commissioner

RED CLOUD, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) --The republican county convention was held gressional and senstorial conventions. M. here Thursday and there was much en-L. Fries of Arcadia was elected chairman, thusiasm manifested. The convention was

Do you feel you are growing weaker?\*
"Is there a burning pain in the throat?"
"Do you cough worse night and morn-Ing?"
Do you have to sit up at night to get breath?"

If you have these symptoms you have Catarrh of the Bronchial Tubes. CATARRH OF THE KIDNEYS. Catarrh of the kidneys results in two vays, first by taking cold; second by overneating the kidneys in separating from the 
slood the poisons that have been absorbed 
rom catarrh, which affects all organs. 
"Do your hands and feet swell?" 
"Is this more noticeable in the mornness."

ngs."
"Are you cold and clammy?"
"Is there pain in small of back?"
"Is the urine dark and cloudy?"
"Does a deposit form when left stand-

"Is there a desire to get up at night?"
"Do you see spot floating before the "Do you see spot floating before the yes?"
"Is the skin dry and harsh?"
"Is the hair dry and brittle?"
"Is there nausea after eating?"
"Has the perspiration a bad odor?"
"Is there puffiness under the eyes?"
"Are there dark rings around the eyes?"
"Is the skin pale and dry?"
"Has the skin a waxy look?"
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Have you chilly feelings down the "Do the joints pain and ache?"
"Do the legs feel too heavy?" CATABRH OF THE LIVER.

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The liver is affected by catarrh through the disease extending from the stomach into the tubes in the liver.

"Are you irritable?"

"Are you nervous?"

"Baye you have cold feet?"

"Do you have cold feet?"

"Do you get tired easily?"

"Do you get tired easily?"

"Are your eyes blurred?"

"Can't you explain where?"

"Have you pain in the back?"

"Is your flesh soft and flabby?"

"Are your spirits low at times?"

"Have you a pain around the loins?"

"Do you where growling in bowels?"

"Do you wafter from pains in temples?"

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"Do you suffer from pains in temples?"

"Do you have palpitation of the heart?"

"Is there a general feeling of lassitude?"

"Do these feelings affect your memory?"

CATARRII OF THE STOMACH. Catarrh of the Stomach is usually caused by swallowing poisonous mucous, which drops down from the head and throat at

"Is there nausea?"
"Are you costive?"
'Do you beich up i "Is there nausea?"
"Are you costive?"
"Do you belch up gas?"
"Are you light-headed?"
"Is your tongue coated?"
"Have you water brash?"
"Do you hawk and spit?"
"Is there pain after eating?"
"Do you have sick headaches?"
"Do you bloat up after eating?"
"Is there a disgust after breakfast?"
"Have you distress after eating?"
"Is your throat filled with slime?"
"Do you at times have diarrhoca?" you at times have diarrhoea?" there rush of blood to the head?" there constant bad taste in there gnawing sensation "When you get up suddenly are dizzy?"
"When stomach is empty do you feel faint?" "Do you belch up material that burns the

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"When stomach is full do you feel de-pressed?"

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effirming faith in the St. Louis platform was elected temporary chairman, with D. C. Jenkins secretary. J. S. White was

The convention passed resolutions ten-Hayward seems to be the preference of dering thanks to President McKinley and congress for the annexation of Hawaii and Delegates to the congressional convention in favor of holding the Spanish West Inare: W. W. Haskell, E. P. Clements, M. dies until satisfactory arrangements are . Fries, T. Trindle, H. D. Leggett, W. made for a republican form of government; Hutchins and J. E. Hawley. None of the also declaring the present prosperity due delegates have a decided preference, but to the Dingley bill and the republican policy

Delegates to the state convention are as Delegates to the Fifth district senatorial follows: R. A. Simpson, T. C. Hacker, A. onvention are: A. M. Robbins, H. C. Perry, Galusha, A. G. Willis, J. T. Mills, John John Wall, Dr. Barboo, H. A. Chase, James McCallum, George J. Warren, E. B. Smith,

candidates from Valley county as far as C. B. Crone was elected chairman of the county central committee and L. H. Fort secretary.

WAKEFIELD, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) --The republican county convention met here delegates to the state convention at Lin- today with a full attendance. William Warnock of Emerson was nominated for representative and J. M. Hench of Ponca for county attorney. Hon. A. E. Barnes of Ponca was endorsed for attorney general and Zurcher, J. R. Wilson, W. S. Raker, Frank the following delegates to the state convention were selected: H. H. Hart, George Acres, H. P. Shumway, J. J. McCarthy, S. R. Wilson chairman and Hon. C. E. Keyes E. Cobb, George Matson, Charles Mathewson, J. F. Ekroth, J. J. McCarthy. The delegates to the Third district congressional convention are: William Wheeler, E. F. Campbell, W. F. Filley, W. W. Cooper, A. A. Davis, Jay Koech, W. P. Logan, Will Thomson. To the senatorial convention: H. county attorney. The following are the C. Fields, Joseph Bockenhour, Elmer Rice, delegates chosen to the various conventions. D. Mathewson, L. M. Laughlin, Chris State convention: Oscar Waggoner, W. C. Wischoff, W. Jenkens, Ed Wilkinson, A. S. Palmer. H. H. Hart was elected chairman

> central committee. Perfect harmony and great enthusiasm were manifested in the proceedings. WAYNE, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.)-The republican county convention held here today was a well attended and enthusiastic one. A resolution was adopted unanimously authorizing Judge W. F. Norris to select the delegates to the congressional convention to be held at Norfolk August 23, and the delegates were instructed to use all honorable means to secure his

and John Ekroth secretary of the county

nomination. State Delegation-W. H. Michael, W. M. Gue, A. J. Swartz, E. A. Limburg, J. T. Bressler, Nels Grimsley, Dan McManelale, Ernest Behmer, E. J. Shulties.

Congressional-E. Cunningham, B. W. McKean, J. R. Manning, A. A. Welch, C. S. Beebe, J. T. Bressler, Dr. Williams, N. Grimsty, George Harrigfeld. Senatorial-H. L. Kimball, J. H. Gall, John Donner, R. C. Osborne, A. B. Carter,

J. S. French, Grant Mears, George C. Merrill, W. H. Gildersleeve. Representative-Ben Welbaum, sr., E. C. Cunningham, C. Beebe, J. R. Manning, L. C. Gildersleeve, T. Shannon, Joel Hancock,

C. A. Chace, S. K. West. WEST POINT, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special.) Chairman Beemer has called a republican county convention to meet in West Point on August 20 to nominate delegates to the congressional, senatorial and float

posed of eighty-four delegates. YORK, Neb., Aug. 6 .- (Special Telegram.) -The York county republicans today nominated Miss Mary Holdeman for county superintendent and N. V. Harlan for county attorney and J. M. Tucker and Andrew Sandall were nominated for representatives. The convention was well attended and in every way a success. Resolutions were

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