

OBJECT TO JUDGE HOLCOMB

Hold to Be Disqualified to Sit in Hearing of Bartley Bondman Case.

H.S. FORMER CONNECTION IS SUGGESTIVE

Conduct When Governor Might Influence or Prejudice the Action of the Present Judge.

LINCOLN, May 4.—(Special.)—Objections to the qualifications of Judge Holcomb to sit in the supreme court by the attorneys for the bondman, it is argued that because Holcomb was governor at the time Bartley gave his official bond he should not consider the case, it being inferred that he would naturally be prejudiced on certain important points.

One very important point in this case involves the manner and time of approving and filing the bond, concerning which Judge Holcomb gave extensive testimony during the trial of the case in the district court in Douglas county. The case will probably be advanced for an early hearing, and some action may be taken on the objections at the next sitting of court. At the last sitting the court overruled a motion for an immediate hearing, but this will not prevent calling the case up again for some time in the near future.

Objections of a similar nature, filed in the Omaha fire and police commission case, were overruled by the court. Judge Holcomb announced that he would listen to the argument in the case and that afterwards, if he felt prejudiced in favor or against either party to the suit, he would withdraw.

Harrington's Letter Sets 'Em Up.

The publication of the letter written to the State Board of Equalization by M. P. Harrington of O'Neill has occasioned considerable comment at the state house and may be productive in calling forth a similar storm of protest from other sources. At nearly every meeting for the past five years the board has been appealed to by taxpayers over the state to raise the assessment against the railroads. Last year A. E. Shepley and several other men went before the board and demonstrated the inequality and unjustness of the railroad assessment, but the taxes were levied on the same basis as before, notwithstanding the protests.

The following table shows the assessed valuation on all kinds of property for the last seven years:

Year	Total of all property	Personal	Real estate	Leaves
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1895	1,280,000	520,000	760,000	205,000
1896	1,370,000	540,000	830,000	215,000
1897	1,460,000	560,000	900,000	225,000
1898	1,550,000	580,000	970,000	235,000
1899	1,640,000	600,000	1,040,000	245,000
1900	1,730,000	620,000	1,110,000	255,000

First District Fusionists.

The democratic, populist and free silver requirements for the first congressional district will be held in Auburn, May 23. Lancaster county now has three aspirants for this position, Cass county one, Richardson county one and several more in other sections of the district are being mentioned as congressional possibilities. George W. Berger of this county, the candidate for the same nomination before the populist conventions two and four years ago, is again a candidate and will probably go into the convention with the Lancaster county delegation instructed for him. James Manahan, the last fusion nominee, has not decided whether to make another attempt to secure the office, but if he does conclude to try J. H. Broady and other Lancaster county candidates will withdraw from the race. Arthur J. Weaver of Richardson county is anxious to represent the district in congress, but as he is a member of the free silver party the chances are considered to be somewhat against him. Matthew Gearing of Platte county will have a strong following in the convention and the prospects for his success are generally considered to be as good as anybody's.

The following cases have been set for hearing at the next sitting of the supreme court, which begins May 22:

13-525—Estate of McKenna against McCormick, Stry.

131-520—Longcor against Romine, Dawes.

133-522—Grand National Mercantile Co. against McMeans, Hall.

134-523—National Life Insurance Company against Burr, Lancaster.

135-524—Truett against Pike, Lancaster.

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MRS. L. COOK, PITTSFORD, N.Y.

MISS ANNIE ZLOTT, NEWARK, N.J.

MRS. ANNA ROES, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

So many housewives suffer from nervous depression due to catarrhal weakness peculiar to their sex, and suffer on year after year, not knowing what their ailment is. Mrs. Mary Cook of Pittsford, N. Y., suffered for six years before she learned of Peruna. Mrs. Cook recently wrote the following letter to Dr. Hartman:

"I was not well for six years, paid many doctor bills, but never improved very much. I gave up hopes of ever recovering.

"Finally, I wrote to Dr. Hartman, and I am thankful to say that I am now well, through his good advice and medicine. I am gaining in flesh and feel young again. I was very emaciated, but now my own children are surprised at the great change in me when they visit me."

Miss Annie Zlott, 72 Livingston street, Newark, N. J., took Peruna for extreme nervousness. She says: "I was very ill and thought I would die. I had a terrible headache and my head swam; I thought I would never get well; I seemed to have a great complication of diseases and bought medicines, but they did me no good.

"Finally I gave up and thought I would wait for my end. One day I happened to pick up one of your books. I read of other women who were near death and had been cured by Peruna, so I thought I would try it.

"I took a couple of bottles and began to feel better. I continued its use until now I am a well woman. I praise Peruna highly and wish other women would use it."

Mrs. Anna Roes, 2513 North Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

"Four weeks ago I believed I had consumption; I took a severe cold and although for the first few days the mucus in my throat and chest was loose, it finally became so bad that it was difficult to breathe.

Pain in the shoulders followed. As I had placed my confidence in you and Peruna, I followed your directions strictly, and improved from day to day, and am now well again.

Most women feel the need of a tonic to counteract the debilitating effects of summer weather. Peruna is such a remedy. It cures all catarrhal conditions, whether it be weakness, nervous depression or summer catarrh. For a free book on summer catarrh, address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

WARMER IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN NEBRASKA TODAY—SHOWERS AND COOLER FOR SUNDAY.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Forecast for Saturday and Sunday:

For Nebraska and South Dakota—Fair Saturday, with warmer in central and northern portions; Sunday showers and cooler; east to southeast winds.

For Iowa: Fair and warmer Saturday; increasing cloudiness Sunday; fresh southerly winds.

For Missouri—Fair Saturday; warmer in northern and eastern portion; cloudy Sunday; southerly winds.

For Kansas—Fairly cloudy Saturday; showers and cooler Sunday; easterly winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 4.—Official record of temperature and precipitation, compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

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