EDMISTEN DOES THE JOB

Turns Down Congressman Sutherland for a Democratic National Banker.

TRICK OPENS THE EYES OF THE POPULISTS

Fifth District Pops Surprised, and Dismayed at the Way They Are Duped and Party Machinery Given to Democrats.

NELSON, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—That the populists of this congressional district, and especially those who were the friends of Congressman Sutherland, are surprised, astounded and bewildered is putting it mildly. Many of the friends of Mr. Sutherland who have heretofore been denouncing the actions of the mid-road populists have suddenly come to the conclusion that the mid-roaders knew what they were talking about and that they themselves were the ones that were fooled.

Congressman Sutherland's friends confidently relied upon the support of Chairman Edmisten, as he has led them to believe he was supporting Sutherland for renomination. Now they find that the Shellenbarger forces had not only been depending upon, but had actually been receiving Edmisten's hearty support. Since it is too late Sutherland's friends also see evidence of the "sting of ingratitude" and they openly charge that it played an important part in the turning down of the present congressman.

It is stated upon good authority by persons generally given credit for knowing what they are talking about that just before Edmisten left for Topeka to preside over the meeting where Bryan was to be notified of having received the populist nomination he issued ironclad instructions to every friend of his that was a delegate to the congressional convention that they should eventually come to the support of Shellenbarger's candidacy; that they were given to understand that they would be permitted to stand out for Sutherland as long as it would not be "dangerous," but that whenever it appeared that Sutherland might receive the nomination that they were to "weaken" and thereby give strength to the Shellenbarger movement.

It is charged that the owner of the "sting of ingratitude" and Chairman Edmisten were wokrnig hand-in-glove together to accomplish Sutherland's downfall. This is in line with Chairman Edmisten's past political history. Sutherland's friends point to the fact that Chairman Edmisten supported Hitchcock, a democrat, for senator in preference to Allen, a populist.

It has just dawned upon them also that Edmisten always gives preference to democrats when a contest is on between the democrats and poulists. During the last few days many of Edmisten's friends in this district have been challenged to point to one instance where Edmisten had taken the side of a populist for an appointive office against a democratic applicant.

Already many of the supporters of Sutherland are beginning to ask when the mid-road convention will be held, which is called to meet at Oxford September 13, and it will not be surprising if many of the delegates who attended the convention where Sutherland was turned down are also delegates to the mid-road convention. It seemed to have never dawned upon these people before that the party organization was being gradually slipped from under them. The populists of this district have always had a populist candidate for congress and would not believe that the party was being led into a democratic camp. The whole matter now opens before them and they see the light for the first time.

It is safe to say that there are more mad populists in this congressional district today than in all the rest of the state of Nebraska. They have not realized until just now the predicament into which they have been placed. The district is purely agricultural and 85 per cent of the voters are farmers and they, as tillers of the soil, are now asked to vote, not only for a democrat, but for a democrat who is a national banker and whose friends are democrats of the old school, many having served the administration under Grover Cleveland in various appointive positions. Many populists in this district, regardless of the past affiliations with the democratic party, are ready to support a good, honest farmer for congress and a number have given expression to the belief that if the mid-roaders nominate a first-class man at Oxford the nominee will receive more votes than will Shellenbarger, the democratic national banker. Some even go so far as to claim that a good farmer candidate nominated at Oxford could be elected.

SPIRIT OF HARMONY IS LACKING.

Populists at Holdrege Convention Object Seriously to Fusion.

HOLDREGE, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—At the joint state senatorial convention held here today by the democrats and populists B. Hodges of Phelps county was nominated for senator on the third joint ballot. There was considerable kicking among the populists against fusion and when the fusion candidates were requested to appear before the democratic convention one prominent candidate said he was an independent and he did not have to run to every Tom, Dick and Harry who made a call. The congressional convention left numerous sore spots on the populists of this county, which was manifest in today's proceedings.

Not Pleased with Nomination

NELSON, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—The nomination of a democrat at the Holdrege convention has cast quite a gloom over many of the populists in this county. Many of them are ex-republicans and they affiliated with the populist party when it was organized because they honestly hoped to better their condition in so doing. Recent developments have driven them to the conclusion that they are only being used as a means to help democrats into office. This they cannot and will not do, and when it comes to making a choice between republicanism or democracy the grand old party that protects the flag and brings prosperity to every class of American citizens will get their support.

ONE OF POLK COUNTY'S BEST

N. P. Hult, Who is Candidate for the Legislature, a Pioneer and a Pillar.

STROMSBURG, Neb., Aug. 24.—To the Editor of The Bee: Polk county is one of the best agricultural districts in the state, and that reputation the county will maintain this year also. The crops are good, plenty of rain and in good time to "save the crops." A great number of the citizens of the county are of Swedish birth or parentage, frugal, thrifty, conservative and prosperous. They are by nature, so to speak, republicans, and although there has been a wavering of the republican ranks for apparently good reasons, it seems that this fall they will return to their old party, and as good republicans once more help to "save the republic." The older ones did that in '60, '64 and '68, and they and their boys will rally round the old banner and carry it to victory.

They have one of their own nationality, a sturdy old pioneer, Mr. N. P. Hult, as a candidate for representative, and they will evidently do all in their power to get him elected and feel proud over it. And irrespective of national descent or church connection every republican will, as a matter of course, work for him and vote for him, because he is a man that can be relied upon for that position. He can neither be bought nor fooled nor frightened. He has had considerable experience in the work of deliberating assemblies, for he has upon several occasions served as delegate to the meetings of the conference to which his church belongs and was this summer delegate to the Augustana synod of North America at its meeting at Burlington, Ia. He has been a member of the board of directors of Luther academy at Wahoo and of the board of home missions of the Nebraska conference. He has served as treasurer of the conference for several years and has besides held many places of trust and honor in his own community.

Mr. Hult is a very good English scholar, although in his education he, like most of the pioneers, is a self-made man. He is giving his children the advantages of a college education. The oldest daughter is the wife of Rev. C. J. Renhard of St. Louis, Mo., a former Swedeborne boy, and one daughter and one son pursue their studies at Luther academy, Wahoo.

Mr. Hult carries a badge of honor from the early days when he helped to make Polk county out of the great American desert. The fire fiend had broken loose as an enemy of civilization, bent upon the destruction of the pioneer homes, the dug-outs and sod houses. He fought to rescue his aged parents from the clutch of the destroyer and succeeded in getting them away alive. But they were so severely injured that they both died. He himself was also on the verge of death, but his robust constitution and good nursing helped to bring him out. He carries, however, the scars from that fiery battle and they are to him certainly a badge of honor. S. M. HILL.

HASTINGS ENTERTAINS EDITORS.

Republican Newspaper Federation of Fifth District Holds Its Session.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—The Republican Newspaper Federation of the Fifth congressional district met here today to discuss the political situation of the day and to further perfect that organization. There was a large attendance of editors from Wilcox, Riverton, Minden, Grand Island, Cambridge, Oxford, Imperial, Juniata and other Fifth congressional district towns.

Adam Breede of the Hastings Tribune was made chairman and F. A. Merwin of the Beaver Valley Tribune officiated as secretary. Several important resolutions were passed and a thorough discussion was given to state politics. Many of the republican state candidates were present at the opening of the meeting and addressed the federation. It was the opinion of all the editors present that Nebraska would be redeemed this fall and placed back in the republican ranks with the entire state ticket behind it.

Bad Name for Sturdivent.

BLUE HILL, Neb., Aug. 24.—To the Editor of The Bee: You would be doing the people of Nebraska a valuable favor through your excellent paper by warning them to avoid a traveling tooth extractor named Dr. Sturdivent. A few days ago he worked Blue Hill for a few days and after doing a large business in his line, he packed away a suit of clothes belonging to the hotel proprietor. The owner of the clothes missed them and went to the depot just before the train pulled in and compelled the silk-hat tooth-puller to give up the clothes, and at the same time he gave up $50 to prevent the sheriff from making an arrest.

At Cowles he was caught in one of the bedrooms, hiding behind some clothes. The young lady that occupied the room heard a strange noise. She went upstairs and found him in the act of hiding behind a clothes closet. She gave the alarm and he skipped. He is considered a bad crook and ought to be watched all over the state. These statements will be vouched for by any first-class citizen of Cowles or Blue Hill.

SUBSCRIBER.

York Solicits for Park.

YORK, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—One dollar from each member of every family residing in York is the amount that will be asked as contribution toward purchasing Goosen park, situated five blocks from the heart of the city. At a mass meeting of citizens held Saturday night one man and one woman for each block was appointed to solicit and all report that citizens are liberally paying in their dollars.

York will have one of the finest and best parks in the state. It is a natural park and needs but little work. Lincoln creek runs through and around it, furnishing good boating, fishing and bathing. Two railroads run alongside the park.

May Relocate County Seat.

CREIGHTON, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—The question of relocating the county seat of this county will be submitted to the people at a special election called for August 28. It is proposed to locate the county seat in the center, thereby settling the year after year fights engaged in by different towns in the county.

Boy Run Down by Team.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—Last evening about 8 o'clock, during the open air concert by the Plattsmouth B. & M. band, the son of J. Schiappacasse was knocked down and run over by a team, receiving severe bruises on the ankle and side, but it is not thought the injuries will prove serious.

SOLDIERS RIOT AT HASTINGS

Barkeep Smashes Doughboy and Doughboys Move His Place of Business.

WILD NIGHT SCENE ON THE CITY STREETS

Police Unable to Quell the Row and Troops Are Brought in to Make the Young Guardsmen Behave.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—There was a disastrous riot in Hastings tonight, which resulted in several broken heads and $500 or $600 worth of damage to Tyler's saloon. The riot grew out of a saloon row. It is said that a young private of Company L, Second regiment, whose first name is Perry, was in the Tyler saloon drinking, when he began to have words with the bartender, and before anyone could interfere the two got into a fight. It is also said that the bartender hit young Perry in the face and over the head with a large revolver. This caused his comrades to interfere and a general riot followed.

The soldiers made their way to the street, where they secured bricks and huge rocks which they hurled through the large plate glass. Every plate glass was smashed to pieces and the bar fixtures were badly shattered. The city police were helpless and the riot continued until a telephone message was sent to Camp Lee Forby for military assistance.

Captain John C. Hartigan of Company H, Second regiment, immediately brought down his company and a half dozen other detachments followed, but before they arrived the rioters made their escape. The streets were jammed and excitement was running high. The city is being thoroughly searched, but it is doubtful if any of the rioters will be captured. The saloon looks a perfect wreck and is closed and being closely guarded.

POYNTER REVIEWS TROOPS

Officials Express Great Admiration Over the Way the Troops Conduct Themselves.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—The heavy rain of last night laid the dust in fine shape at Camp Lee Forby and acted as an elixir of life to the militia boys who have been chewing more dust this week than almost anything else. The feature of today was the reception of the governor and his staff. The governor came in last night and went out to the asylum. His staff came in at 1:45 p. m. today and was met at the Burlington depot by the entire guard.

The troops marched from the camp through the city to the depot, where the governor and his staff were received. The procession marched back through the city upon another street and thence came back to the camp grounds. This gave all the people an opportunity to see a column of soldiers in line of march.

Arriving at the camp Governor Poynter and staff and General Barry rode in front of the general's headquarters and remained mounted until the troops rode past, when the governor's salute was fired. On account of the long march to the city and back drill exercises were dispensed with.

There were perhaps 2,000 visitors upon the camp grounds when the troops returned. Governor Poynter expressed himself as being highly pleased at the general appearance of the troops, the perfect order in which they marched and with the unusual cleanliness of the camp. The soldiers have been very careful to not have any rubbish lying around in sight. Every old paper, melon rind and waste of all kinds is barred from the encampment. Unusual as it may seem, every soldier will be ready to start home at the breaking of camp tomorrow. There are no sick in camp.

Several of the soldiers have been well repaid for coming here by finding friends and relatives whom they have not met in years. One woman hearing the troops were here, drove eighteen miles today and was rewarded by meeting a brother whom she had not seen for eight years.

The review of the troops took place at 7 o'clock in the presence of at least 3,000 people. The line was formed with the First regiment on the right, followed by the Second regiment, the Wymore battery and cavalry troop A. When all was ready a single gun was fired by the battery, after which Governor Poynter and General Barry entered, followed by the governor's staff. They rode in front of the line and returned along the rear. Old soldiers standing near The Bee correspondent said that the review reminded them of their army days more than anything they had seen for years. After the review the troops were put through the manual of arms and some of the evolutions of the line.

PICKPOCKETS FOLLOW BRYAN

Thieves Systematically Work in the Wake of the Great Popocratic Show.

BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—A gang of about twenty pickpockets from Kansas City and Topeka were on the train that carried W. J. Bryan from Manhattan to this city. Their game was to circulate among the crowds at the places where Bryan spoke and then take the train again with him. Sheriff Waddington of this county happened to be on the train and when it entered his jurisdiction he proceeded to nab a few of them on suspicion. Shortly after leaving Barneston the sheriff arrested one fellow and while going from one car to another with his prisoner the man jumped from the train while it was running about thirty-five miles an hour and escaped. The sheriff arrested four more of the gang and turned them over to the Blue Springs authorities and then corraled ten more and herded them together in the smoking car and placed a guard over them when the train arrived at Beatrice. All ten were compelled to leave town on the train for Lincoln under a guard to make sure that they did not get a chance at the crowd assembled at Beatrice.

Excursion Train Into Wyoming.

GERING, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—The first excursion train on the new Alliance and Guernsey line of the Burlington was run into Guernsey, Wyo., yesterday from this city. Almost 150 passengers availed themselves of the opportunity to make the mining section of Wyoming a visit, the train going up in the morning and returning in the evening. A base ball game was the principal attraction, Guernsey being defeated by the Gering team by a score of 8 to 7. A side trip on the Colorado F. & I. railroad took the excursionists to the old Hartville mining camp and the Sunrise mines.

Old Soldiers Break Camp.

FORT CALHOUN, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—A somewhat lighter attendance marked the closing day of the twenty-second anniversary of the old soldiers of Washington county at this place. The morning was spent in the election of officers. Those elected were: Colonel, L. Crounse; lieutenant colonel, John Patric; major, A. Brewster; chaplain, L. D. Booce; sergeant, W. E. Switart; adjutant general, P. De Temple. After the election of officers the old soldiers spent an hour singing old army songs and delivering short speeches. The afternoon was spent in having a general good time and watching a fine program of races, after which camp was broken and the old soldiers returned to their homes.

BIG DAY AT WOODMEN PICNIC

Fifth Annual Gathering is Held at McCool on the Blue River.

YORK, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—The big annual county Modern Woodman and Royal Neighbor picnic was held at McCool yesterday in the Blue River park. It was the fifth annual picnic and was by far the largest attended of any picnic in years past. Every arrangement for the reception and entertainment was made by the local committee of McCool and everyone had a good time. The Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railroad made excursion rates to York, connecting with the Kansas City & Omaha railroad. The Kansas City & Omaha railroad ran special trains from York to McCool, leaving York nearly every hour. The program was successfully carried out and was one of the very best. T. W. Smith delivered the address of welcome, to which, on behalf of the Woodmen, N. M. Myrick responded.

B. A. Ward gave a short, interesting history of the Woodmen camps of York county. The Thayer camp gave a history of the Royal Neighbors of York county. There was excellent vocal and instrumental music, besides recitations and addresses. There were contests that were exciting and closely fought. In the woman's drill contest, McCool won over York. In the tug of war, York as usual won, pulling the McCool team into and through the Blue river. York won the $5 prize for having the largest number of Woodmen in procession.

Lightning Kills Nebraska Man.

WAYNE, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—William Pfeil, jr., who resides two and one-half miles north of Hoskins, in this county, was struck by lightning and instantly killed during the storm last night, while he was closing a pasture gate. His head was badly mutilated.

Physician Taken Home Ill.

BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Dr. H. H. Smith of this city, who has been engaged as physician on the Union Pacific construction work, was brought back to this city last night in a stretcher dangerously ill with typhoid fever.

Family Injured in Runaway.

GENEVA, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Soon after leaving the fair ground the team of Lee Houston, superintendent of the Fillmore Agricultural society, ran away, throwing out his family and injuring some of them badly.

PUBLISH HUNTINGTON WILL

Widow and Archer Huntington Get Major Portion—Million for Princess Hatzfeldt.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—The will of C. P. Huntington was made public today. It gives $1,000,000 in trust for Princess Hatzfeldt during her life, principal to go to her issue at her death; $500,000 in trust is given for the benefit of Mrs. Huntington, the widow, for life, afterward for the benefit of Archer M. Huntington for life; two-thirds of the Southern Pacific railway stock is to be given to Mrs. Huntington and one-third to Henry Edwards Huntington, on condition that no part thereof shall be sold during the lifetime of either, except with the consent of both. The Fifty-seventh street and Fifth avenue residence in this city, together with all articles therein, is given to Mrs. Huntington, afterward to be given to Archer M. Huntington; $270,000 is given in trust for the benefit of Harriet S. Huntington, Elizabeth Purdy Susan Porter and Allen Gates, in portions of $50,000 each; $20,000 for the benefit of C. H. Sammis and $20,000 each for the benefit of Eleanora Loveland and Frank Pardee. Various other special bequests are made.

Mrs. Huntington, Charles H. Tweed and Isaac E. Gates, Mr. Huntington's brother-in-law, are made executors of the will. All of Mr. Huntington's pictures are given to Mrs. Huntington for life, afterward to Archer M. Huntington for life, and at his death to the Metropolitan Museum of Art of New York City absolutely.

Tragedy in Texas.

DALLAS, Tex., Aug. 24.—At Grapevine, Prairie county, fifteen miles north of Dallas, Frank Kinnermer today shot and killed S. Estill and was himself badly stabbed. They quarreled over business matters.

LOOK FOR WESTERLY WINDS

Washington Forecast for Saturday and Sunday is Fair Weather with Increase in Temperature.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—Forecast for Saturday and Sunday:

Nebraska—Fair and warmer Saturday; Sunday, fair; westerly winds.

Western Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Generally fair and cooler Saturday; Sunday, fair; northwesterly winds.

Arkansas—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; cooler in western portion; southerly winds.

Illinois—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday, except local rains in northern portion Saturday; fresh southerly winds.

Iowa and South Dakota—Fair and warmer Saturday; Sunday, fair; westerly winds.

Missouri—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; southerly winds.

For Kansas—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; warmer Sunday; southerly winds.

North Dakota—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; warmer Sunday; southerly winds.

Colorado and Wyoming—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; warmer Saturday; westerly winds.

Montana—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; warmer in western portion Saturday; westerly winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Aug. 24.—Official record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

	1900.	1899.	1898.	1897.
Maximum temperature	78	80	89	82
Minimum temperature	62	61	65	57
Average temperature	70	70	77	70
Precipitation	1.06	.00	.00	.00

Record of precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1900:

Normal temperature for the day	72
Deficiency for the day	2
Total excess since March 1	465
Normal rainfall	1.[illegible] inch
Excess for the day	.96 inch
Total rainfall since March 1	20.45 inches
Deficiency since March 1	1.61 inches
Deficiency for cor. period 1899	1.70 inches
Deficiency for cor. period 1898	2.50 inches

Reports from Stations at 8 P. M.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.	Temperature at 8 p. m.	Maximum temperature.	Rainfall.
Omaha, clear	76	78	.00
North Platte, partly cloudy	78	80	.00
Cheyenne, cloudy	60	66	.00
Salt Lake, cloudy	68	68	T
Rapid City, clear	62	66	.10
Huron, clear	70	72	.10
Williston, clear	74	76	.00
Chicago, cloudy	82	88	.00
St. Louis, cloudy	88	92	.00
St. Paul, partly cloudy	70	74	.06
Davenport, partly cloudy	78	86	.20
Kansas City, partly cloudy	80	84	T
Helena, cloudy	64	66	.00
Havre, clear	76	78	.00
Bismarck, cloudy	76	76	.00
Galveston, partly cloudy	84	88	.01

T indicates trace of precipitation.

L. A. WELSH,
Local Forecast Official.

SOCIETY LADIES

Use Peruna for Catarrhal Derangements.

Mrs. C. H. Buck, 2923 Douglas street, Omaha, Neb., writes:

"I have used Peruna and can cheerfully recommend it as being the best remedy for catarrh and general debility that I have ever used." Yours gratefully,
Mrs C. H. Buck.

The symptoms of catarrhal debility are: A flabby, pale condition of the mucous surfaces, with a sticky, stringy mucous secretion, which causes much hawking or coughing, coated tongue, white specks in the back part of the throat, and a very red, ragged appearance of the tonsils.

Besides the usual symptoms of catarrh, the patient has brown specks before his eyes, slight dizziness, roaring in the ears, attacks of nervous headache, palpitation of the hart, flashes of heat, followed by slight chilly sensations, faintness, depression, despondency, forebodings, foolish fears, and many other similar ones.

In such cases local treatment can do nothing but harm. Peruna has again and again been found of great value in these cases. The first dose gives prompt relief to the most distressing symptoms, and a persistent use of it for a reasonable length of time will permanently cure cases of long standing.

A dose of Peruna before each meal during the hot season is a safeguard of priceless value. Catarrh cannot be cured by local treatment. A thorough course of internal treatment with Peruna affords the only reasonable prospect of cure. Sprays, douches, inhalants and gargles sometimes relieve but never cure. Peruna cures by removing the cause. It gradually eradicates the catarrh from the system.

Miss Helen Murphy, a popular society woman of Oshkosh, Wis., is an ardent friend to Peruna. The following is a letter written by Miss Murphy, and gives her opinion of Peruna as a preventive as well as cure for catarrhal ailments:

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—"About three months age I contracted a severe cold at an evening reception, which settled on my lungs and threatened to be very serious. As my mother has used Peruna with good results, she sent for a bottle for me and I found that it gave me blessed relief. Before the second bottle was consumed I was well.

"We keep a bottle of it on hand all the time and when I have been out in inclement weather, I take a dose or two of Peruna and it pervents my taking any cold and keeps me perfectly well." Your very truly, Helen Murphy.

At least two people out of three sometime during the winter months have a cold more or less severe. Very few, indeed, escape entirely. Although a cold is not often directly fatal, yet it is the most productive source of incurable diseases that is known to the medical profession. A cold is the most frequent, the most dangerous, the most neglected ill of life.

The treatment of a cold ought to begin with the appearance of the first symptom. Whether the cold has settled in the head and produced catarrh or deafness, or settled in the throat and produced enlarged tonsils or hoarseness, or settled in the bronchial tubes and lungs, producing cough or asthma, or in the pelvic organs, Peruna is the remedy.

Miss Lillian Roenheld, a graduate from the Conservatory of Music, Paris, is the violin soloist of the Chicago Germania Club. Miss Roenheld used Peruna as a tonic when run down by overwork. She speaks of it in the following glowing terms:

Chicago, Ill.

The Puruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—"I cannot give too great praise to Peruna. Last winter my nervous system became so overtaxed from constant overwork with my violin that my right side seemed partially paralyzed.

"I naturally became very anxious and consulted my physician. After giving me a couple of prescriptions without effect, he advised me to try Peruna, and I am glad to say that it effected a speedy and permanent cure.

"Although the past year has been a severe tax on me Peruna has kept me strong and vigorous."
Yours Truly,
Lillian Roenheld.

The cause of nervousness is generally overwork, mental worry, or impoverished blood. Anyone with pure, rich blood, who takes not too much exercise, nor too little, gets plenty of sleep, knows nothing about nervousness. Nervousness means anaemia of the nerve centers. This is brought about either by impure blood or overtaxing the nerve centers. Regular habits, good digestion and careful avoidance of all excesses will cure nervousness. In order to secure these most dangerous things Peruna will be found to be of great assistance. It assists digestion, thereby invigorating the nerve centers.

"Health and Beauty" sent free to women by Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O.

LINCOLN'S SLUMP IN CENSUS

Capital City People Begin to Worry Over Probable Effects.

CUTS DOWN LANCASTER'S EXPENSES

Reduction in Salaries of County Commissioners and Clerical Force at Court House One of the First Results.

LINCOLN, Aug. 24.—(Special.)—The very general slump in the census of leading Nebraska cities and towns has given rise to a fear that the congressional districts of the state may be reorganized and that Nebraska's representation in congress will be decreased by combining the ninety counties into five districts, instead of six, as at present. Lincoln and Lancaster will show a decrease in population and it is not expected that the combined population will be much more than 70,000. Ten years ago it was claimed that Lincoln had a population of 65,000 and until the enumerators began taking the census this year any man would have been regarded as insane who claimed a population of less than 45,000. No official figures concerning the population of either Lincoln or Lancaster have been published, but from various sources which are regarded as reliable it is learned that Lincoln will not be credited with a population of much more than 40,000. Figuring the general decrease under the last census in the same proportion as the decrease in Omaha, Lancaster county's population will fall below the 70,000 mark and will consequently seriously affect the salaries of several county officers. Should the figures not reach the mark the three county commissioners will go back to the $3-per-day-and-expenses basis and will no longer receive $1,800 a year salaries. Provision is made for employing extra help in counties having a population of 70,000 or over and unless that mark is maintained the clerical force in several county offices will be cut down.

State Fair Fund Short.

Auditor Cornell and Secretary of State Porter will probably refuse to approve vouchers drawn on the appropriation for state fair premiums, claiming that it has already been exhausted and that there are no more available funds with which the claims can be paid. Auditor Cornell this afternoon expressed the belief that the money set apart by the last legislature for state fair premiums had all been paid out of the treasury. The records of his office, however, show that only half of the $4,000 appropriation has been paid. In the secretary of state's office the records show that the entire amount has been expended.

Auditor Cornell contends that his former deputy is responsible for the error and that the entire amount of a warrant for $4,000 recently issued should have been charged against the 1899 appropriation. This warrant was issued in compliance with a writ of mandamus from the district court of Lancaster county and it was supposed to be against the 1897 appropriation. As no fairs were held during 1897 or the year following the auditor refused to approve claims against that appropriation and when the case was appealed to the court the writ of mandamus was issued.

A report is being circulated to the effect that the pastor and congregation of the First Presbyterian church are at variance and that the former's resignation is desired by a large portion of the latter. The trouble seems to have arisen during the Wednesday evening prayer meeting, when the pastor, Rev. Hindman, and Dr. Hodgman, a university professor, engaged in a heated discussion before the congregation. When asked this afternoon if the congregation had asked him to resign Rev. Hindman replied: "It is not on the records." So far as can be learned the complaint against the pastor is that he pays too much attention to worldly affairs and not enough to his pastoral duties.

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