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CANVASSERS MEET FOR PLAY

Some Believe Adjournment Over Day Illegal, So Session Held.

NOTHING TO DO BUT TALK

Opportunity Made Most of by Few Members in Lincoln at the Time—Brian Wants It Ended.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Believeing the law povided that the state canvassing board must adjourn "from day to day," until the returns of the primary have been canvassed, State Canvasser Brian had the board meet this morning, rather than wait until tomorrow morning, to which time it had adjourned. Those present were State Treasurer Brian; L. G. Brian, Member Brian, State Canvasser Brian. Thoses absent were Governor Shallenberger, Secretary of State Junkin, Attorney General Thompson and State Auditor Barton.

"What is the further pleasure of the board?" inquired Acting Chairman Brian, who was unanimously selected for the position amid great applause in the absence of Governor Shallenberger, chiefly concerned in the recount.

"I can see no further pleasure," replied Brian, late defeated candidate for the republican nomination for congress in the Third district, and loud laughter from thm present followed.

"Well we have to do something. We can't drag this canvass along until after election," said Treasurer Brian." It looks to me like we ought to get busy and find out whose nominated."

"I think you are right about that," said State Canvasser Brian, "but what about the Douglas county returns? Has the abstract come back without that rider."

"What's Ryder got to do with the canvass," interposed Acting Chairman Brian, who was going at a map of Texas. "Wait is nominated, isn't he?"

A Waiting Game.

"If you are going to say Wait's nominated before the returns are canvassed," said the state treasurer, "it seems to me we ought to issue a certificate of nomination to Mayor Dahlman. Unofficially we know that Dahlman is nominated. That's the only way that we know Wait is nominated. If we make Dahlman wait, then make Wait wait a little while to. Make 'em all wait. I believe in treating all alike in this thing. I'm for the law, but I don't believe in taking any advantage of anyone."

"I don't believe we should make Wait wait any longer than he has had to wait for his certificate, just because Dahlman has to wait. Wait waited years longer than Dahlman has waited. If Dahlman had waited as long as Wait's waited, then he might have some kick, but Dahlman only waited one-quarter as long as Wait's waited," interposed State Canvasser Brian. "I believe we should give Wait the certificate and let Dahlman wait as long as Wait waited."

"Do you make that as a motion?" asked Acting Chairman Brain.

"Well, I wouldn't say it is exactly a motion," answered State Canvasser Brain," but it looks to me like a good suggestion. But if you want it to go as a motion, I'll stand for it."

"Any second to the motion?" inquired Acting Chairman Brain. There being no second, Mr. Wait waits for his certificate.

"I move you, Mr. Acting Chairman," said State Treasurer Brain, "that we tear the rider off of the Douglas county abstract, canvass the vote and declare Mayor Dahlman nominated for governor, and adopt the reports in the newspapers for the remainder of the two tickets."

"I second the motion," said Brain, the late defeated candidate for congress in the Third district.

The motion was carried, unanimously.

"Bring in the Douglas county abstract," said Acting Chairman Brain to T. W. Smith, keeper of the royal table (election table, not stable).

"Mr. Barton took it to Omaha with him," replied Smith.

"This thing will be settled tomorrow morning or there will be an absence of a quorum hereafter when the board meets," declared State Treasurer Brain, as the meeting adjourned. "If Barton hadn't carried away the Douglas county abstract the vote would have been canvassed today. What do you suppose Roosevelt thinks of the way this board has acted?"

State House Deserted.

Colonel Roosevelt was such an attraction in Omaha that every state officer except State Treasurer Brian went to the big city to see him. So did every member of the Board of Purchase and Supplies, except Brian; and all the members of the Board of Public Lands and Buildings, except Brian; and al lthe members of the Board of Health, all the members of the Boards of Pharmacy, Osteopathy and other boards of which state officers recall only when some one notifies them they are members. Provided, however, that State Railway Commissioner Cowgill did not go.

Walthill to Make Improvements.

State Treasurer Brian took over $22,500 worth of bonds issued by the village of Walthill this morning. These bonds net the state 4½ per cent interest. The money will be used in the construction of a heating, lighting and water plant.

Honors Iowa Requisition.

Charles Brown will have to go back to Iowa to the county of Polk and stand trial on a charge of wife desertion. Governor Shallenberger this morning honored a requisition issued by the governor of Iowa for his return. Brown is under arrst at Omaha.

CHANGES AT DOANE COLLEGE

Extensive Alterations and Improvements for the College Year.

CRETE, Neb., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—During ahis past summer extensive alterations and improvements have been made in the Doane college buildings. The biological, physiological and chemical departments have been transferred from Merrill hall to the new Carnegie Science building, which is nearly ready for use. The rooms formerly used by these departments will now be employed for the offices of the president and the treasurer, and will provide for several classes, and the social meetings of the Y. M. C. A.

A few changes in the faculty have taken place. Prof. Hosford has returned and will resume his work in physics and chemistry. Miss Meston will be preceptress in charge of the young women's department in Gaylord hall. Miss Ada G. James will teach elocution and assist in the conservatory. She is a graduate of Pulaski institute, Virginia, and a graduate and postgraduate of the Boston School of Expression, from which school she has two diplomas, one general and one for special proficiency in platform work. She has taught successfully for several years. Prof. J. E. Taylor has been assigned the work in history and Mr. Perry C. Swift will have charge of the English and English literature. Miss Edith Gnatt has been added to the faculty of the academy.

Mr. W. A. Luke, captain of the foot ball team, is now in Crete and will be joined soon by Coach Johnson. Preparations for early foot ball practice are now being made.

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PIONEER PRIEST IS DEAD

Father Hartig, Who Founded Many Churches in Southeast Nebraska, Passes Away.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—News was received in this city last evening of the death of Father Emanuel Hartig, at Atchison, Kan., where he went several years ago on account of his failure ing health. He was 80 years old May 1 and one of the oldest Catholic priests in the state, and was ordained at Leavenworth, Kan., September, 1860, and was appointed to a professorship and to do missionary work. In 1861 he came to Nebraska City and began his life work. At that time there were few Catholic churches in the territory, and his mission included Plattsmouth, Brownville and often went to Crete. He aided in erecting many of the churches in this section, and among them the first church at Lincoln. He remained here until 1875, when he was transferred to Seneca, Kan., where he remained for three years and returned here, where he remained until three years ago, when he gave up the work and went to Atchison, where he went into retirement. He erected the first church in Lincoln in 1868, the same year one at Tecumseh, and in 1874 one at Palmyra. He also aided in the matter of many others in this part of the state. He never cared for money, but gave it to the poor as fast as it was given to him. He was one of the most charitable of men, and often raised money among his congregation so as to supply the necessaries of life for the poor and needy about him. His funeral will be held Saturday at Atchison.

SPEAKERS AT MERRICK FAIR

Governor Shallenberger and Senators Burkett and Aldrich to Talk.

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—The management of the Merrick County fair, to be held at Clarks September 14, 15 and 16, have succeeded in booking the speakers for the entire program and have just given out an announcement which includes some of the leading men in the state in both parties. Senator Chester H. Aldrich of David City, republican candidate for governor, will be the attraction on the 14th, and a government veterinary expert from Washington, whose specialty is hog cholera, will be present and will give a practical talk to the farmers and stockraisers. On the next day Governor A. C. Shallenberger will deliver an address on "Improved Live Stock," and on the 16th Senator E. J. Burkett will be the orator. The list includes other speakers of prominence, and there will also be excellent music, as the Stromsburg band has been secured for all three days. Ball games will be played every day, and President L. C. Lawson of the fair association announces that the vegetable, grain and live stock exhibits already registered surpass anything shown at a previous fair, so that this part of the fair will be ample.

Nebraska News Notes.

SEWARD—The Home hotel, operated by August Ruckdaschiel, has been sold by him to parties now at Grand Island.

SEWARD—The annual Seward County German picnic will be held at the fair grounds on September 15. Annually 6,000 or 7,000 people attend this affair.

EMERSON—Miss Ella Holt and Alvin Bring surprised their friends by being quietly married at Lamar, S. D., Thursday. They will reside here, where the groom is manager for a grain elevator.

SEWARD—The oldest settler living Seward county is Mrs. Clemesia Long, who settled in this county June 10, 1863, forty-seven years ago. She was born in Kentucky in 1828, and walks a mile a day now.

BEATRICE—Word was received here yesterday from Des Moines, Ia., that J. H. Smith of this city had won five firsts, seven seconds, three thirds and four fourth premiums on his herd of Jersey cattle at the state fair.

BROKEN BOW—The Taylor-Dean Fusion vote at Merna was misquoted the first part of the week. Instead of 109 to 51, as originally sent out, the actual fusion vote in that place was 109 to 4, in favor of Taylor.

EMERSON—A. D. Coffman has gone to Aurelia, Ia., to accept a position as assistant cashier in the First National bank there. The position of bookkeeper in the First National bank here will be filled by Claunce M. Isenburg.

EMERSON—Frank B. Smith who has been operator and station agent here for sixteen years, has resigned and will accept a position as assistant cashier in the Farmers' State bank here. B. N. Flack of Hastings, Neb., will be his successor.

BEATRICE—Following is the mortgage record for the month of August: Number of farm mortgages filed, ten; amount, $38,124. Number of farm mortgages released, eight; amount, $13,250. Number of city mortgages filed, thirty; amount, $21,393. Number of city mortgages released, fifteen; amount, $7,775.

ALBION—The county institute at Albion the last week has proved to be successful. The credit is primarily due to the management of the county superintendent, Miss Hannah Johnson, and to the instructors, Prof. J. W. Searson of Manhattan, Kan.; Miss Rose Shonka of the Lincoln schools, and to Superintendent I. G. Wilson of Pawnee City.

BROKEN BOW—Miss Marian Holcomb, eldest daughter of ex-Governor Silas Holcomb, started last night for New York, where she will join thirteen young women appointed by the government as teachers in Porto Rico. Miss Holcomb will be in New York until September 10, when she will sal for Porto Rico to enter into her new duties.

BEATRICE—At the annual meeting of th Court of Honor Thursday night the following officers were elected: J. W. Conley, chancellor; Mrs. J. J. Deardorf, vice chancellor; Mrs. C. G. Drew, chaplain; Mrs. A. G. Strauss, recorder; B. M. Thomas, conductor; Jesse Stutzman, guard; John Deardorf, sentinel. C. A. Hoff was elected a director for a term of three years.

BROKEN BOW—Judge Hostetler, wha has been sitting in district court since Monday, adjourned the sessio last night. The term was entirely devoted to divorce and equity cases. In ekght divorce cases, seven decrees were granted and the eighth taken under advisement. This comes near being a record breaker for three days' work. It is said the percentage of divorce cases is greater here than anywhere else in the judicial district.

ALMOST SUFFOCATED.

Narrow Escape of Prominent Real Estate Broker.

Mr. L. Ph. Van Gelderen of 1329 7th St., Brooklyn, N. Y., nearly died through asthmatic suffocation two years ago, but accidentally came across an advertisement of a remedy known as Breathe E. Z. that is guaranteed to relieve any case of Hay Fever or Asthma no matter of how long standing or how bad.

He recently wrote the International Laboratories the following letter: "I wish to state that two years ago I was at the point of death through suffocation as a result of asthmatic attacks, same having returned to me regularly for the last 7 or 8 years during my hay fever and stronger every year. ecidently I came across your ad in the New York Evening Journal, recommend Breathe E. Z., and after using two bottles found myself tremendously benefited, so much so that I suffered very slightly last year and hope and expect not to suffer at all this year. Yours gratefully, (Signed) L. Ph. Van Gelderen."

If you will write to T. Bruce Furnival of 1135 S. Geddes St., Syracuse, N. Y., he will send you full information free regarding this remarkable remedy, or if you will send 10c to cover postage and packing, he will send you enough of the remedy postpaid to show you some relief in a week's time.

SHORT AND UGLY WORD USED

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earnings of the Rock Island proper were greater on an average than those of the whole system, he stated. The subsidiary lines reduced the average, he said. Attorney Thorne then read from a report of the road to the Interstate Commerce commission. He said that the report controverted the witness; that the earnings of the system averaged more than those of the railroad proper.

"The difference may be accounted for," explained the witness, "by the fact that my tables and those which you have are prepared by different methods."

Mr. Thorne demanded the formula by which earnings are arrived at, and was interrupted by Attorney Brown, who said:

"The witness has explained that his statistics were based on a different method of bookkeeping. Do you think there is a 'nigger in the woodpile,?"

"I do," was the prompt reply.

"Then go after it," replied the examiner.

Questions by Live Stock Man.

Attorney Clifford Thorne, representing the American National Live Stock association at the Interstate Commerce commission rate hearing, insisted today that officers of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad company be subpoenaed to testify concerning the capitalization of the company.

The demand came after Comptroller May, under cross-examination, had said that the stock of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway company was largely, if not entirely, held by the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad company.

A heated discussion followed as to the relevancy of the desired testimony. Attorney E. D. Pierce of the railway company insisted that the capitalization of the railroad company was not germane to the hearing. Mr. Pierce said that the capital stock of the railroad company was $145,000,000, and that it was a matter of common knowledge that it owned the greater part of the stock of the railroad company.

"It does not matter," he said, "what the railroad company is capitalized at. We, the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway company are not asking for increased rates in connection with any company except the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway company, and we do not know, nor are we concerned with the capitalization of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad company."

Destiny of Tariff.

The controversy concluded with the statement that the shippers could subpoena officers of the railroad company and question them concerning the density of traffic on different sections of the Rock Island line.

Taking up the cross-examination of Comptroller Nay, Attorney Thorne asked the witness if the latter's estimate of the compensation per ton mile shown in statistics introduced yesterday, included mail, passenger and express labor charges as well as freight and labor compensation. Mr. Nay replied that all labor was included in the estimate.

He said that in estimating the probable operating expenses for the road for 1911 he had not taken into account any probable increase in freight revenue for the reason that the figures showed that there has been a decrease of $355,000 in gross freight revenues during the first seven weeks of the present fiscal year as compared with the corresponding period a year ago.

Attorney Thorne sought to show that a decrease for seven weeks was not a good indication of a yearly decrease, but Mr. Nay refused to coincide with this. Witness stated that the interstate traffic on the Rock Island system amounts to from 80 to 85 per cent of the total.

A Burning Shame

is not to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve to cure burns, sores, piles, cuts, wounds and ulcers. 25c. For sale by Beaton Drug Co.

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