

THE NORTHWESTERN

LOUP CITY, NEBRASKA

NEBRASKA NEWS.

Republican City has a reunion of old soldiers Aug. 16 to 21, inclusive.

The state banking board has called upon the Globe savings bank of Omaha for a report.

Last week Col. L. W. Osborn of Blair left for Washington for instructions before he sails for Samoa.

A Mr. Farback of Perkins county will establish a large sheep ranch in the sand hills near Sutherland.

The Long Pine Chautauqua had a very profitable session and a better attendance than for the past three years.

Only seventeen counties remain to report on the mortgage indebtedness and it is hoped to have the table complete soon.

A threshing machine engine exploded on the E. S. Jenkins farm near Spring Ranch. Will Lipps of Hastings was seriously scalded.

The Cedar county teachers institute closed last week, and the prevailing opinion among the teachers is that it was the most successful ever held in the county.

George A. Grunawalt of Van Wert, Ohio, son of H. A. Gunawalt of Exeter, killed in a railroad accident between Celina and Coldwater, was buried in Exeter last week.

The board of public lands and buildings has given permission for the house and senate halls of the capitol to be used for the national irrigation congress the last of September.

Lightning struck Clem Burt's house, north of Hartington totally demolishing it. The building was so shattered as to be entirely beyond recognition. Mr. and Mrs. Burt were sitting in the house at the time, but were uninjured.

Troops D and I of the Sixth cavalry, under the command of Captain C. S. Anderson and Lieut. John T. Nance, which left Yellowstone Park July 8, arrived at Fort Robinson last week. Men and horses are in the pink of condition.

E. A. Peck, who went from Table Rock to the mines at or near Cripple Creek, about eighteen months since, after meeting with severe financial reverses, was brought from there last week by an attendant suffering from insanity.

Dr. F. D. Reynolds, held at Trenton under the charge of bigamy, was released last week and immediately re-arrested by the Hayes county sheriff under similar charges. He was taken to Hayes Center for a preliminary hearing.

The threshing engine of C. W. Piper exploded while at work on the farm of Squire Crosby, seven miles northwest of Bennett. C. W. Piper was so badly injured that his recovery is not probable and a number of others were more or less injured.

The Beatrice canning factory has been leased by J. S. Edwards, manager of the Globe canning company of Leavenworth, Kan., and will be in operation by September 1. The pack will be composed of tomatoes, apples, peaches and pumpkins, of which there is a large crop.

Governor Holcomb has been requested to name two delegates from each congressional district and four from the state at large to attend the national road parliament, which convenes in Nashville, Tenn., September 16, 17 and 18, for the purpose of solving the problem of "good roads."

E. D. Johnson, superintendent of the agricultural department of the state exhibit, was in Omaha last week. He reports that much interest is being manifested throughout the state in the preparation of an exhibit and that farmers and real estate men everywhere have already collected voluntarily some very fine collections of grains and grasses.

H. H. Howard, a photographer who came to York a few months ago and leased the Lee gallery, has departed for parts unknown, leaving it is charged, unpaid bills and contracts to the amount of \$200 or more. He had a lot of agents canvass the country for work, who collected from 25 cents to \$1.50 on pictures for future delivery, and they did a thriving business.

Willie Hall, the 13-year-old son of C. M. Hall, a prominent merchant of Plainview, was killed last week by being run over by a heavily loaded wagon. It was young Hall's thirteenth birthday, and taking advantage of his absence his young friends had planned a surprise party for him at night. All arrangements had been perfected when the boy was brought home dead.

Miss Addie Bishop, 20 years old, a resident of Ashland, has mysteriously disappeared. She left her home during the early part of the month to pay a visit to Mrs. A. L. Horton of Omaha, but has not yet arrived there. Edward Jose, an Ashland ranchman, is trying to trace the girl's whereabouts. He is her affianced lover. He believes she has been foully dealt with, as she had in her possession \$500.

An Emerson dispatch reports that Captain Mercer, the recently appointed Indian agent of the Omahas and Winnebagoes, is fast becoming popular with the Indians and white settlers on the reservation. Additions and alterations are to be made to the two school buildings, the agent's headquarters are to be enlarged, a physician's office will be built and improvements in the buildings amounting to about \$7,000 will be made at once.

On returning home with his wife and children, after visiting relatives in Arlington all day, Fred Heusermann was struck by a light engine at a crossing near his home and both horses instantly killed. Mrs. Heusermann and the children escaped injury.

A number of farmers about Eagle are complaining about a fatal hog disease. It is not cholera, but is different in different hogs.

Henry Mosbacher of Omaha, while engaged in making a coupling in the union depot yards, was accidentally knocked down and run over by a switch engine, being so badly injured that he died soon after.

SHAW IS NOMINATED.

NAMED FOR GOVERNOR BY IOWA REPUBLICANS.

Result Reached on the Fourth Ballot—Nomination is Made Unanimous Amid Much Enthusiasm—Completion of the Ticket—What the Platform Sets Forth.

Iowa Republican State Convention.

For Governor—L. M. Shaw of Crawford county.

For Lieutenant Governor—J. W. Millman of Harrison county.

For Supreme Judge—Judge Waterman of Sioux county.

For Railroad Comptroller—C. L. Davidson of Sioux county.

For Superintendent of Instruction—H. H. Barrett of Mitchell county.

The Iowa republican state convention at Cedar Rapids was largely attended. The gathering was called to order by Hon. John McMillan, chairman of the state central committee, who, after reading the call which brought the convention together, introduced Rev. John Barclay of Cedar Rapids, who invoked divine blessing. He thanked God for the evidences of returning prosperity and prayed that Cuba might be free. Hon. Charles M. Harl of Council Bluffs was then introduced as temporary chairman and made an address. This was followed by adjournment until 2 p. m.

Upon the reconvening the report of the committee on permanent organization, naming Major Samuel Mahon of Wapello county for permanent chairman and W. S. Kenworthy of Mahaska county for secretary, was adopted. The committee also announced that all nominations would be made by a call of districts and that no nominating speeches would be permitted. Chairman Mahon thanked the convention for the honor of his election and attempted to make a speech. After talking about four minutes the convention compelled him to desist, all being anxious for the fray.

The convention at once proceeded to the nomination of a candidate for governor. Seven candidates were placed in the field. On the fourth ballot, L. M. Shaw of Crawford county was nominated, receiving 732 votes. The ticket was completed as above given.



HON. L. M. SHAW.

Leslie M. Shaw, of Dennison, the nominee for governor, was born in Vermont. He came to Iowa in 1869, when he was but 21 years old. For a time he worked on a farm and by industry, perseverance and self-denial he worked his way through Cornell college at Mt. Vernon. Then he went to the Iowa College of Law and graduated in 1876. Immediately after he located at Dennison, where he now resides. He built up one of the best law practices in the state. In addition to his lucrative law practice he has banking interests in two towns in his county. Up to the present time he has never been an aspirant for public office, but has several times taken the stump in the more important political campaigns.

Chairman Harl, in his address before referred to, among other things said: The commanding position of Iowa republicans imposes upon us a duty and responsibility far higher than that of merely selecting incumbents of the offices to be filled at the election next November. As trustees of the republican party of Iowa, we are charged with the duty of so conducting our deliberations that we shall strengthen the hands of the administration, encourage the hope and inspire the faith of all friends of good government and make success a certainty. A weakening in our position, faltering in our declarations, or lessening our majorities would be taken by friend and foe alike as an indication that the people were reconsidering the verdict of 1892. It would discourage the friends of honest money and good government and encourage to renewed assaults those who, however honest and sincere, are, through the measures they advocate, the enemies of everything in the way of national policy to which the republican party stands committed, and by reason of which it has been entrusted with power. In the light of such responsibilities this convention has met to declare anew the principles and nominate the candidate of the party. In view of the history of Iowa republicanism there can be no question but that it will faithfully discharge the trust thus committed to its hands.

We have secured an administration which is ideally republican and, therefore, ideally American. A president who conducts himself with both dignity and the freedom which ought to characterize the chief official representative of a great and free people. Through unity of action and purpose splendid results have been attained. Through unity of action and purpose none can they be preserved. By that means and that alone can the principles of honest money and production alike of American labor institutions and citizenship be embodied in the legislative policy of the nation. The battle of 1892 will be, as to the questions, the culmination of the conflict between wisdom and folly, and by courage, steadfastness and unity the struggle for these great principles will be practically won and the golden doors of the twentieth century shall swing open for our waiting feet.

THE PLATFORM. The report of the committee on resolutions was adopted without a dissenting vote. The financial plank in it is as follows: The republican party of Iowa reaffirms and adopts in every part the declaration of principles announced by the republican national convention of 1892 and it pledges for Iowa that the election in November next shall be a still more emphatic show of strength and justice of republican doctrines. It again especially declares for protection and honest money.

The platform declares that the republicans of Iowa view with the utmost satisfaction the result of the campaign of last year, and congratulate the whole people upon the election of William McKinley. It highly commends his wisdom and energy in directing the whole force of the administration toward an early and complete fulfillment of all the promises made. It lauds congress for its prompt action on the tariff, and refers with gratification to the part taken by Iowa senators and representatives in this legislation. It demands rigid economy in all government expenditures, to the end that the burdens of the people may be lessened, and insists that all individuals and corporations shall be so taxed that they shall not escape a fair and proportionate share of the support of the government. It declares that selfishness should be rebuked, avarice and the power of combination restrained, in order that all may have equal opportunities of advancement. It invokes the birth and history of the party as a guaranty of the pledge that it means only to do justice. The administration of Governor Drake is endorsed and the farmers are congratulated upon the selection of James Wilson as secretary of agriculture. The platform closes with the following paragraph: "We believe in the justice of those laws heretofore enacted by the republican legislatures securing to employes of railways the right of indemnity for personal injuries not resulting from negligence, and we favor such legislation as may be found necessary to perfect such right and prevent its impairment or nullification in letter or spirit."

MINERS DETERMINED.

PREPARING TO MEET THE COAL OPERATORS.

President Hatchford Outlines the Possible Course of the Miners—Will Adopt Other Methods to Meet the Injunctions and Threats of Mine Owners.

No Conservative Policy.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 21.—The report that Pittsburg operators had made the statement that they intended to resume work, even if Gatling guns had to be used and Pinkerton men employed, is characterized by President Hatchford as a "bluff." He says: "There is but one interpretation of this statement—namely, that the operators prefer to shed blood rather than negotiate a peaceful settlement. They cannot build stockades high enough or strong enough in the Pittsburg district to hold non-union workmen, and every effort in that direction will fail. In the first place there is no unanimity among the operators; and, in the second place they cannot hope to get non-union workmen. Further than that, the opinion of the great public will of itself defeat their plans, even though they were agreed and non-union labor could be secured." The national executive committee of the Miners' association met here today. Mr. Dolan of Pittsburg, being asked why they were here, said he did not know, having been summoned without explanation. At headquarters Secretary Pierce said he had no news to give out. Being asked to foreshadow the action of the executive board, Hatchford said: "The conservative policy adopted by our board at the beginning must necessarily be departed from because of the extreme radical policy of the other side. We would much prefer a fight, a battle, along peaceable lines, as we have been doing, but our board will be obliged to test the tactics of the other side and also to take steps to extend the fight into other fields. We have to adopt other methods to meet the injunctions. Our people are being arrested in a wholesale manner for holding public meetings and we do not propose to have injunctions break this strike."

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BOMBS FOR THE SULTAN.

An Explosion in the Royal Palace at Constantinople.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 20.—The city is wild with excitement over the explosion of a bomb in the precincts of the sultan's palace yesterday. It has been definitely learned that one man was killed and several were wounded in the explosion in the palace. The explosion occurred in the distance from the royal apartments, but three other bombs were found in the vicinity of the buildings. An Armenian was arrested having a number of bombs in his possession. It is supposed they were to have been used on the Ottoman bank.

It is the general theory that there was an organized attempt to blow up the principal government buildings of Constantinople and to assassinate the sultan. Mobs of irate citizens were crowding the streets when it was learned that simultaneously with the explosion in the palace an Armenian had been arrested at the Ottoman bank, while in the act of lighting a bomb placed near one of the great doors. It was with great difficulty that the troops secured him from the maddened crowd. He was hustled off to the barracks prison with great haste and securely locked up. A guard of soldiers was placed about the prison.

Three arrests have been made as the result of the explosions. All the prisoners are Armenians. The author of the explosion in the offices of the grand vizier is a native of Kaisish. His hand was injured by the explosion. The police are actively searching the Armenian quarters for evidence against the bomb throwers and the streets are thoroughly scoured by the troops and police.

ONE NEW NATION AFTER ALL.

The Movement for Central American Consolidation About to Collapse.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Private advices from Nicaragua are that Costa Rica and Guatemala will in all probability refuse to proceed further with the scheme for the consolidation of five republics of Central America into one nation and that the present Greater Republic, comprising Salvador, Honduras and Nicaragua, will disintegrate at an early date. The intense jealousy existing between Costa Rica and the states composing the present Greater Republic of Central America, in which Guatemala participates to a lesser degree, is given as the reason of the possible failure to carry out the agreement.

THE KATIE AS A WEAPON.

The knife is a historic weapon in France. Henry III. and Henry IV. were killed with one. Louis XV. was wounded by a knife in the hands of Damians in 1757, and it was with the knife that the duke of Berry, an heir presumptive to the French throne, was murdered by Louvel in 1820. Thus in using a knife against Carnot the anarchist assassin followed a long line of precedents set by regicides in France.—Exchange.

AN OLD COURT.

Northampton county, Va., has the unbroken record of its court from 1632 to the present time. This is believed to be the oldest complete court record in the United States. These are kept in the attic of the old court house on court papers bearing date before the settlement of Jamestown, and relating to the plans of the London company looking to that settlement.

APPLIED CHRISTIANITY.

The one great need of our times is applied to Christianity. It is one that goes ahead of all others, and upon it depends the solution of three great problems of the world, limitation and distribution of wealth, suffrage and education.—Rev. G. P. Sewell.

REWARDING HOUSES.

The mansions pile on earth, outside of jail, in which is being up new children, is the average boarding house. There is in nearly every one a group of people who pay into everybody's business.—Rev. V. D. Talmon.

WEST POINT GUNS SPIKED.

Spite Work Against an Officer May Cause a Court Martial.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Aug. 20.—When the flag was raised yesterday morning no salute was fired and the cadets in charge of the gun reported that it had been spiked with a rat-tail file. The officer of the day ordered the use of one of the half dozen guns of the light battery, but all were found to be similarly spiked. It required all day for the ordnance department to bore out the guns. "Gad" Morgan, a "plebe," who had been on sentinel duty declared that nobody had crossed his post. He will be court martialed. It is believed that dislike of Lieutenant Allair, who had been officer of the night, prompted the deed, and a thorough investigation will be held.

BUCKET SHOPS PROFITS.

Kansas City Speculators Have Made Much Money on the Wheat Rais.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 20.—The recent advance in wheat and the volume of speculation caused by the heavy flow of Kansas wheat through Kansas City has increased the business of the bucket shops enormously. That class of speculators never thrived before as it is thriving now. It is given out in speculative circles that one bucket shop firm cleaned up at the close of Saturday night's market \$45,000 to the good on the week's trading. The managers of this house declare themselves that their net profits for the last twelve months reached \$200,000 which is something few more legitimate business institutions can boast of this year.

ONE BANK ROBBER CAUGHT.

A Pineville, Mo., Desperado Surprised While Eating—Posses Still Out.

ANDERSON, Mo., Aug. 20.—Joe and Scott Yeargin of Southwest City captured one of the Pineville bank robbers about eighteen miles south of here while he was eating supper last evening. Poses are still on the trail of the other two. Sixty silver dollars were found yesterday where the fight took place Tuesday.

CINCINNATI WILL AID THE MINERS.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Aug. 20.—At a joint meeting of the citizens' committee for the relief of the striking miners and the committee of ten of the chamber of commerce appointed for the same purpose, arrangements were made to hold a mass meeting in Government square. The Rev. Dr. David H. Moore, editor of the Methodist Western Christian Advocate, will preside and addresses will be made by the Rev. J. W. McGruder, Father Mackey, Bernard Bettman and General Michael Ryan.

A FIST BLOW CAUSES DEATH.

DENVER, Col., Aug. 20.—Mike Queen, "the stock yards giant" of Chicago, and Thomas McDonald, a telegraph operator from El Paso, Texas, became involved in a row in a Market street saloon Tuesday night, when Queen struck the other man, breaking his nose and badly bruising his face. McDonald was taken to the county hospital, where he died yesterday afternoon while the physicians were operating on the fracture. Queen is in jail.

SHOT BY A DISCARDED LOVER.

ANIMTO, Colo., Aug. 20.—Mrs. Marielina Valdez and a girl named Francisca Mondragon were shot in Guadalupe, a suburb of Conejos, by Pablo Gallegos. Mrs. Valdez was wounded in the head and the girl in the arm and thigh. Both will probably recover. Gallegos was a discarded lover of the girl. He escaped, but is being pursued by a posse with bloodhounds.

KENTUCKY FRANCHISE TAX.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Aug. 20.—The state board of valuation now in session admit that they will carry out their intention to assess a franchise tax against all corporations organized in this state, whether owning property and operating here or not. This catches the Southern Pacific Railroad company for this and five back years, and means that the board will demand of it 5 1/2 cents yearly on every \$100 of a franchise valued up in the millions.

A GREAT TUNNEL IN THE CASCADES.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 20.—Active work upon the tunnel of the Great Northern railroad in the Cascade mountains will commence Friday. The tunnel will be two and one-half miles long, sixteen feet wide and twenty-three feet high. It will cost \$2,000,000 and require two years in building. It will reduce the ascent by 1,000 feet.

COLORADO SPRINGS CARNIVAL.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Aug. 20.—The sun shone bright upon the 40,000 people who lined the streets over which the flower parade of the Colorado Springs carnival passed this afternoon. The parade, in which 2,500 people took part, moved promptly at 3 o'clock and was two and a half miles long.

WATCH MOVEMENTS FRIENDS ADVANCED.

EAGLE, Ill., Aug. 20.—The Eagle watch company has advanced the price of watch movements to 10 per cent. The advance is on all the better grades of movements. Cheap movements have been advanced also from 20 to 25 cents on each.

THE McMINISTERS Attend a Ball.

HOTEL CHAMPLAIN, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Last evening a military ball was given at the hotel and President and Mrs. McKinley were among those present.

SALT WILL COST MORE.

The Michigan Trust Advances All but Salt and Solar Prices. BAINSWICK, Mich., Aug. 20.—The Michigan salt association has advanced the price of salt in all markets of the West 5 cents a barrel, and in the home market 3 cents a barrel, which brings their price up to \$1.25 per ton. The new price also includes the cost of cartage and the cost of a barrel. Salt and solar remains at the former price.

SULLIVAN FOR MAYOR.

The Ex-Puglist Will Run Independent to Try to Beat Mayor Quillen.

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—John L. Sullivan will run as an independent candidate for mayor in the fall, with the avowed intention, if not himself elected, of defeating Mayor Josiah Quincy, who will be the regular Democratic candidate for re-election. This was because Mayor Quillen refused to shake hands with Sullivan at Ten Eyck's reception in Faneuil hall.

Hungary's Wheat Crop Light.

BUDA PEST, Aug. 21.—The official report of the recent floods in Hungary shows the most widespread and serious damage to crops, which this year are among the poorest on record within a decade. The total wheat yield is estimated at 24,470,000 metric hundredweight, a very large part of which is of inferior quality.

Choked to Death by a Cork.

OTTAWA, Kan., Aug. 21.—Lenora Pearce, the 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Pearce of this city, died at about 11 o'clock yesterday as a result of strangling from swallowing a cork. While playing with some other children, she drew the cork into her windpipe and died in a few moments.

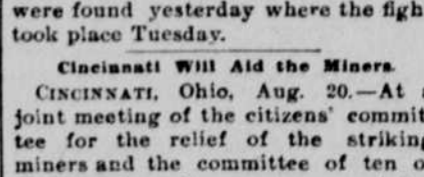
Another Klondike Steamer.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 21.—The steamer City of Kingston left yesterday afternoon for Dyea and Skagway with another large contingent of Klondikers. She had as much freight aboard as she could comfortably carry and she was crowded with miners.

Files Claim for \$200,000.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Lewis Jerome Edward Blanc, an American citizen, has filed with the state department a claim against the government of Ecuador for \$200,000 for false imprisonment and ill treatment over twenty years ago.

Curious Inventions.



Amongst the old patents which have become public property may be found an inexhaustible fund of novel ideas. Above, for instance, are shown two curious gravity escapements found in two expired patents, which may be of interest to those handling machinery. In the first the levers or pallets are supported on an arbor and are raised by the simple central gear wheel which causes the projections shown in the lower end of the levers to check the movement of the larger wheel and come in contact with the teeth thereof. In the second the levers are weighted and separately supported and alternately fall into the escapement wheel. A pendulum is necessary in each case to actuate the levers. Inventors and others desiring information as to patents should address Snes & Co., Patent Experts, Bee Building, Omaha, Nebraska, for free information.

Iowa Patent Office Report.

In the interests of inventors the commissioner of patents has promulgated the following: An applicant, or assignee of the entire interest, may prosecute his own case, but he is advised, unless familiar with such matters, to employ a competent attorney, as the value of patents depends largely upon the skillful preparation of the specification and claims. The office cannot aid in the selection of an attorney. An applicant may be represented by any person who, at the date of approval of this rule is in good standing as a practitioner before the patent office; any attorney at law in good standing in any court of record in the United States or in any of the states and territories thereof; any person of good moral character who shall show to the satisfaction of the commissioner of patents that he is duly qualified to act as attorney in the prosecution of cases before the office. Valuable information about obtaining, valuing and selling patents sent free to any address. Printed copies of the drawings and specifications of any United States patent sent upon receipt of 25 cents. Our practice is not confined to Iowa. Inventors in other states can have our services upon the same terms as Hawkeyes.

THOS. G. AND J. RALPH OWING, Solicitors of Patents.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 14, 1877.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKET.

Quotations From New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Omaha and Elsewhere.

Table with multiple columns listing market prices for various commodities such as butter, sugar, and live stock. Includes sub-sections for 'SOUTH OMAHA STOCK MARKET' and 'CATTLE MARKET'.