

SPEECH OF SENATOR WALL.

His Address to the Republican Club at Lincoln.

The following is an extract from a speech by Judge Wall, delivered Friday at the Republican Club banquet, and which appeared in Saturday's State Journal. His address was greatly applauded.

Mr. Wall said in part: All nations are subjected to two different contending forces. On the one hand, are those of the builders; on the other hand, are those of the destroyer. Along the highway of empire, these forces combat for the mastery. The history of our country furnishes no exception to this rule. And while the patriot, with his face set towards the stars, has built upwards towards the level of his opportunities, the unpatriotic, has been filling faithfully the roll of the destroyer. Their handiwork is plainly visible in the trains of waste, ruin and mouldering decay. For-saken temples bear witness, and the whitened sepulchers of the virtues and ambitions of the people show how deadly the struggle, and how thorough the paralysis of the arms which should have sustained the state.

"It is not my purpose to narrate. History keeps the records of both, and neither years nor books, nor the waste of famine avail to extirpate the distemper which has rioted in the veins of the destroyers of empires.

"And while the world saw that the heritage of trial of this fair young nation was no stinted allotment, the obstructionist pointed to these as the unanswerable symbols of national decay. The true statesman saw it to be his duty to break the way for the generations to follow, and light the beacon fires which should illumine the pathway of country-loving men and women.

"They saw that the hope of life of our brave young nation was in the pure sentiments lying at the hearts of its men and women. And seeking to excite the world-life in their veins to run at fever heat, as the blood sap courses the arteries of the athlete, they taught lessons of patriotism, of love of country, to the sons and daughters of the republic. The golden pages of this country's history have been written by the republican party. It has ushered a strange new life force into the forest of men and women that has stimulated them to have a share in the work of the great, seething world; a life force unseen and unheard of before, which saturated the world's thought with the color of their own.

"The republican party, while upholding the flag, has also sustained the arms which have been working out the purposes of life, until the golden glow of promise not only kisses the mountain top, but illumines the valleys below.

"It has been diligent in wearing away the world's restraints and in lifting thousands of its burdens. It has the good sense to know that a nation can no more live upon its past than can political parties. In season and out of season, it has stood for the upbuilding of the glory of our beautiful country, and the supremacy of its blue flag. It has coined the key-words of that grand combination which have opened the magazines of American possibilities, magnificence and glory; the key-words which have been made for the perpetuity of our glorious country and the sacred liberties of mankind.

"Its history is more absorbing than romance; more inspiring than poem or song. It has protected the rights of minorities, settled the most perplexing questions of state craft, civil and municipal procedure, and been engaged in commercial activity, manufacture, transportation, enlarging the possibilities of the soil by scientific agriculture, and among all, it has held the inheritance of the poor and lowly as precious and sacred as are those of the crimson clad scions of wealth.

"Never in the history of nations has the birth of a country been watched with such interest and concern as that of our own.

"But to-day, she is the acknowledged queen of the western world, the warder of the western hemisphere.

"He who dreamed a dream of self-forgetfulness, saw not the length of day, nor the golden sunshine in store for this beautiful country. Under the principles of republicanism, the glory of our country has

shown as it illuminated by the red blaze of a new planet, lit by the gods to reflect its splendor. Yet through all how often has it become the lot of republicans to roll away the stone from the sepulchre of American liberties as laid to rest by the delicate touch of diplomacy.

"It has been the faith which men have had in their great just government which has stimulated them to build an empire. A country where every man is a prince, and every woman is a princess. A country where every man is a citizen, a soldier, a statesman. The possibilities of such a country can never be foretold. A land where its loving people stand in the pure sunlight of American possibilities, where the spirit of freedom rides on the wings of every wind. We have caught the sunshine in the brick and mortar of this splendid fabric. We have twined it with garlands of freedom around the noblest men and women ever kissed by the sun. We have bound state unto state in the grandest federation of freedom ever erected for the shelter of man. And while each state stands distinct like the mighty billows, yet they are one like the fathomless sea.

"You will pardon my reference to the prince of men and rulers, Theodore Roosevelt, The adopted of the West. You will tell your sons in the glomring, the story of his peerless leadership, the storming of the heights of San Juan. How by the splendor of his deeds he leaped at a single bound, to be caught in the fond embrace of a loving nation. The patriotic voters of our country will again show their appreciation of his lofty citizenship. They will, in the near future, wherever may be found, call together their country's cohorts, the toilers from the work shop and fields, the deliver, the soldier, the scholar, the farmer, the painter and the cowboy, and lined up in solid phalanx of battle with their helmets and spears to the front, booted and spurred, they will ride with him again into power in 1904."

Judge Sullivan is dubbed a coward and a traitor to his party, by the Times-Independent, because he resigned in favor of his former law partner, a republican, and presumably because the judge, by this act, has placed a few district court legal publication fees in the reach of the republican newspapers of the district. Still, this ought not to worry Brown, because we have just such men in all parties and he is getting his full share of the rake-off. No need to get excited about it. Every publisher has his day, and we expect to have ours in the "Sweet By and By".

The Times-Independent jumped onto J. S. Pedler last week and said that already he has got his hands in the county's pocket, referring to the fact that he had been allowed \$100 for office rent, fuel, stationery, stamps, etc. While we do not approve of this method of fixing these amounts before it is known just what they will foot up to, and think that it would have been better and more satisfactory to have filed itemized claims as they accrue, yet we must condemn in the most emphatic terms the manner in which Mr. Brown seeks to mislead his readers. As yet, Mr. Pedler has not received one penny from the county, and very likely will not ask for it until it is due, while he advances the money out of his own pocket to defray the expenses of his office. The supervisors, on request, simply agreed to pay this amount. The supervisors have had to buy a new statute book for the county attorney every two years, at a cost to the county of \$5.00, on account of changes in the laws, but in this agreement Mr. Pedler is to furnish his own statute book, which actually reduces the expenses, office rent, fuel, etc., to \$95, which is doubtless as cheap, or cheaper than that office has ever been run. Last year, the county attorney's salary was \$650.00. This year, it has been cut down by law to \$600.00. In both cases this additional expense account of running the office has been added, and the usual cost, salary and all, has been from \$750.00 to \$800.00 per year. This year Mr. Pedler will receive the stated sum of \$700, all told, for his salary and expense sheet, save other moneys laid out for telephone, telegrams, or traveling expenses which may be necessary at times, and which items are always added, even under reform rule. If Mr. Brown

would do the fair thing, he would say to the readers of the Times that he told an untruth when he said that Mr. Pedler had already gotten hands into the county's pocket.

LINCOLN LETTER

EDITOR NORTHWESTERN:

Two weeks of hard work of sixteen hours to the day has not quite completed the bill but before this reaches the eyes of your numerous readers it will have become the property of the legislature. On railroad property it leaves the law very much as it is at present except it provides for taxing the franchises of all corporations in cities and towns where they use its streets and alleys; it also provides for a county assessor, with authority to examine books, invoices and property where he deems it advisable, also that he may appoint deputy assessors with the advice of the board of county commissioners or supervisors and makes the assessor a member of the board of equalization. It gives the county treasurer a seal so that he can give a tax deed on property when sold instead of going through the process of foreclosure. It further makes the county treasurer and his bondsmen responsible for delinquent taxes unless he can show he issued a distress warrant and no property could be found. The full value of all property is to be ascertained by the assessor and the assessment of the property is to be one-fourth value. The main features of the law, as near as it can be learned now, will be to secure the assessment of all property in the state and enforce the collection of taxes, so that within five years the nearly two million dollars indebtedness of the state will be wiped out and the state may have a small surplus in the general fund. It is hoped the bill will be in the hands of the printer on Friday of this week.

House roll 232, relating to pharmacy, is creating considerable interest. It provides that a druggist's certificate shall be good for three years and is to cost but one dollar.

Senate file 13, which passed the senate Friday, relates to bridge building and if it passes the house, will give our counties better bridges for less money than we have been getting.

This week will be a busy one for Senator Wall as the bills to make the railroads grant the privilege to grain and stock buyers to erect elevators on their right of way are to be heard. The railroads opposing and the state association formed by the farmers last week favoring the bill. There is not much question but what the bill will pass.

An effort is being made by eastern members of the legislature to repeal the bounty law giving a bounty on the scalps of the gray wolf and coyote.

The fusion members are quite anxious that the majority should make some big mistake or fail to pass a revenue measure, and the republicans, from principal, are determined to make not many laws, but good ones. As yet the fusionists have not had an opportunity to get together on any question to prevent or pass legislation. NORYN.

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BRIDGE NOTICE. Sealed bids, with plans and specifications will be received at the office of the county clerk of Sherman county, Nebraska, at Loup City, in said county, on or before noon of the third day of March, 1903 for the building of all the bridges that may be required to be constructed by said county during the term of one year from the letting of the contract; for the construction of said bridges, such bids to be by the lineal foot and contract to be let for the building of such bridges as may be required at a specified sum per lineal foot; plans, specifications and bids to be made on wood bridges, on low water bridges and on high water bridges. Plans for low water bridges to be prepared to suit quick and heavy currents, to be 10 to 24 feet long, and the high water bridges to be spans 24 to 40 feet long, with suitable approaches. All bridges to be set on good, long oak piling and span timbers to be full length of span. Bids also to be filed for replacing spans in Loup river bridges in said county, that may require replacing during the term of one year. The county board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Dated at Loup City, Nebraska, January 31st, 1903. GEO. GIBSON, County Clerk.

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