

REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE MEETING.

The members of the Republican County Central Committee of Lincoln County are hereby called to meet at the court house in North Platte on Tuesday, August 2d 1887, at 2 p. m. for the purpose of issuing a call for a Republican County convention, agreeing upon a basis of representation thereon, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the committee.

JOHN TAYLOR, head of the Mormon Church, died on Monday. He was a native of England.

The Republicans of Keith county are early in the field with their call for county convention. It will be held in Ogallala Tuesday, Sept. 27.

At the election held in Cheyenne county on Tuesday last, the question being for or against herd law, the affirmative was carried by a large majority. The range cattle must go.

A NEW paper has reached this office, the "Western Wine, Beer and Spirit Review." It has a good long name, but what its life will be is not easy to determine. Its mission is to oppose prohibition.

THOS. CARDINELL is a candidate for the nomination for sheriff by the Republican Convention, in addition to those mentioned last week. Mr. C. is a locomotive engineer, and has been on the road quite a number of years.

The latest pension movement is to put the drafted men on the pension list. The mental strain and consequent wear and tear on the constitution of a drafted man is something appalling. Put him on the list, with Grover the Good at the head.

The county commissioner to be elected this year must come from the first district, which is that portion of the county south of the river. We understand the friends and neighbors of Fred Kade are urging him to be a candidate. Mr. K. is an old citizen and would make a good commissioner.

The hanging of umpire Krier in effigy was a piece of business in bad taste, and does not reflect any honor upon the persons whose work it was. It should take a greater crime than a few mistakes in umpiring a base ball game to cause such treatment.

The Ohio Republican state convention very properly endorsed John Sherman for President. It was the proper thing to do; indeed to those outside the state it seemed strange there could be any opposition to such a resolution. It looks very much now as though Sherman is the coming man.

IN THE escape of McGarigle the convicted Chicago hoodler, the Tweed case is paralleled. Unlike the old New York gentleman, McGarigle is young and in prime health. It will take a powerful sight of district attorney to kill him.

THE politicians who have Grover Cleveland in training have succeeded in getting the fat boy's promise to visit St. Louis. What was to hinder him from going without an invitation? Who invited him to go ashing on Decoration Day?

ANARCHISM is doing much to revive some of the principles of the Know-Nothing party, which had quite a run more than thirty years ago. It don't take long to make a native American. The boy of that period born of foreign born parents is a radical American now.

DULL times are reported in railroad circles, travel being lighter than customary at this season. This being the case, passenger agents and managers will have time to consider the problem of reducing fares, their time being not more than half occupied in counting coupons.

IF THE Democrats should conclude not to take the man of destiny, then a southern man is certainly entitled to the nomination. Gen. Joseph E. Johnston would be the strongest and best man they could take up, but if he is not radical enough to suit the copperheads and old democracy, they may have their old and honored leader, Jeff. Davis himself. Give Jeff. another trial.

THE ASSESSORS' CHARGES. EDITORS TRIBUNE:—In your last week's issue you comment on the charges of the assessors but you give no data in order that your readers may see if there was any just grounds for criticism. I will

furnish you with a few facts and figures. They may not be absolutely correct, but if they err it is as likely to be either side. I will give the work done by both country and city assessors. Red Willow precinct is twelve miles square, 144 square miles, with no towns or villages, it was assessed in twenty-four days at the rate of 7 1/2 names per day, making 174 assessment sheets returned by the assessor and all duly signed and sworn to. The assessor had to come to town twice, forty miles each way and four days' time and his bill was only \$89.50.

Now let us analyze the work done by the city assessors:

Table with 3 columns: Personal of 1887, 1887, and Dec. 3, 1886. Rows include First ward, Second ward, and Third ward with various numerical values.

The number of persons, including firms, returned by assessors:

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The number of votes polled in each ward April 5th, 1887:

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In the first ward, according to the blanks returned, there were 166 voters names, being 54 less than the number cast on April 5th in that ward, and there was 89 names less than in 1887 than there was in 1886, which would indicate a great number of empty houses.

The number of assessment sheets returned was 182, eight signed with firm name instead of by one of the partners and sworn to, and thirty-four sheets not signed by the assessor, making forty-two imperfect returns, leaving 140 perfect returns.

The shrinkage in values as compared to 1886 is \$9,998; the cost of the job was \$109. Thirty-five days of solid work was sworn to and for the amusement of the dear taxpayer I give the number of assessments made on each day as appears by the dates on assessment sheets:

April 17, 20 and 27, one each day; April 24, 4th, 15th and 19th, two each day; 23d, three per day; 12th, four per day; 26th, six per day; 25th, seven per day; 9th, nine per day; 16th, 15 per day; 14th, sixteen per day; 23d, eighteen per day; May 4th, 9th, 10th, 12th, 21st and 28th, one each day; 5th, 14th, 23d, 30th and 31st, two each day; 26th, three per day; 7th, 20th and 24th, four per day; 2d, seven per day; 11th, eight per day; 13th, thirteen per day. There were three or four in June, making thirty-five days, a daily average of five and one-fifth names.

The territory worked over is less than a half mile wide and three-fourths of a mile long. The assessor in the Second ward returned 242 assessment sheets all properly signed and sworn to. The increase over 1886 was \$17,179.74 in personal property; charges \$124. The assessor in the Third ward returned 166 assessment sheets; ninety-three were signed and sworn to, seventy-three were not signed or sworn to. The decrease of personal property over 1886 was \$20,412.

The foregoing ought to be sufficient to enable the most stupid mind to judge of the correctness of your criticisms. JAS. BELTON.

MCGARIGLE AND EXTRADITION. If McGarigle is in Canada he safe from return to his prison by any process under the extradition treaty of 1843. Murder, attempt to murder, piracy, arson, robbery, and forgery are the only offenses extraditable by the two parties to the Anglo-American treaty.

For all that he may not be beyond the reach of determined men who are bent on his capture. Tweed escaped to Spain, with which America has no treaty of extradition, but means were found to render the authorities blind to his seizure. John Surratt escaped to Italy after the murder of Abraham Lincoln and enlisted in the Papal Guards. There was no extradition treaty with Italy, but the enormity of the crime was such that King Victor Emmanuel consented to his arrest by seamen of a United States vessel upon which he was brought across the sea. Many minor cases might be cited in which either the vigilance of foreign authorities has been eluded or a natural hatred of crime has led them to connive at technically illegal arrests.

Whether Canada would be as liberal in the matter of McGarigle as Spain was in the matter of Tweed is very doubtful. England has always cherished a belief in the protective power of her flag. Even Palmerston's great popularity was not able to save him from obloquy when he desired to surrender some alleged conspirators upon request of his friend Napoleon III. Still there is such a difference between natural and political crime that it is not safe to argue from the premier of England to a Canadian mayor. And there are mayors and mayors. The mayor of a great city like Montreal or Toronto would be likely to stand upon strict construction of the treaty; the mayor of a smaller city might take larger views.

But if the escaped felon has reached Canada it will take very fine work to get him out of it. The possibility of such as he and the hoodlers of New York living luxuriously in easy reach of the people whom they have plundered suggests the wisdom of an early enlargement of the provisions of the treaty of extradition.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Bed Willow Precinct. The showers of the past few days have been quite refreshing. A Mr. O'Reak living in the eastern part of the county while trying to board a west-bound moving freight train Tuesday fell under the train in such a manner as to have one of legs crushed off just below the knee. The unfortunate man was taken to Curtis and comfortably cared for.

C. Myers is putting in a new store to be occupied by Seaton & Star as a drug and hardware store. J. W. Nation has the contract for the carpenter work. Mr. Hatcher, who has been running the Howard Bros' lumber yard, went west to some point in Colorado to take charge of a new yard for the same company. Several strangers have been here the past week looking up locations for business. We expect a big boom as soon as the town lots are on sale.

In our last we stated that Mr. Reynolds' crop was partially destroyed by hail; it was Mr. Myers' instead. AGRICULTURE. Garfield Precinct. This community is being blessed with a few gentle showers which is helping corn and potatoes wonderfully. Our Oregon man, S. S. Brown, who has been with us for a month or more is expecting to start for Oregon home in a few days. W. F. Campbell is about losing his loafing place in R. C. Hardin's store. He has been absent for two days at a time. F. A. Clark, of Callaway, was in our midst a few days ago. He is living on chicken late.

Mart Yinkhon and family of Broken Bow are visiting our ex-blacksmith Mr. Miller. Our neighbors are having a feast on sand cherries which grow in abundance in the sand hills south of here. Farmers in this vicinity are about through harvesting, except a few pieces of oats. They are talking of threshing soon.

L. P. and Jacob Smith have bought John Griffith's interest in the threshing machine formerly owned by Griffith & Alexander. Real estate is beginning to change hands in this community. We understand Jacob Miller sold his homestead. Hope he is not going to leave us. We are sorry we can't report a wedding from this corner, but think the prospect is good for a couple in the near future. FELTER.

Real Estate Transfers. Recorded in the office of the county clerk from July 23d to July 29th, 1887, all are by warranty deed unless otherwise noted: Rt. Rev. James O'Connor to St. Patrick's church of North Platte, lots 5 and 6, block 135, \$1. Ann E. Heed to Geo. W. Rhodes, ne or ne qr 23-30, \$400. Wilson Ong to Wm. D. Kuhns, se qr 26-13-33, \$1,500.

A. F. Streitz to Thos. J. Kelly, lots 5 and 6, block 95, city, \$500. Wm. Grady, trustee, to Chas. McDonald, lots 5 and 6, block 4, Miller's addition. Tax deed. A. J. Garna to Marianna Beyerle, lots 6 and 7, block 12, Miller's addition, \$200. C. C. Hawkins to W. H. McCormick, se qr 5-13-31, \$1,600. James Beacham and wife to M. C. Keith, nw qr 10-13-29, \$1,000. Wm. C. Edis and wife to James Belmont, three acres in sw qr 28-14-30, \$580. James Belmont to Franklin Peale, same property, \$380. J. H. McConnell and wife to the Sperry Electric Light Company, lot 8, blk 86, city, \$60.

Daniel Courtney to Sarah Hough, north half lots 3 and 4, block 26, city, \$215. Sarah Hough and husband to Albert M. Stoddard, same property, \$500. Gordon E. Thomson to Samuel K. Ross lots 5 and 6, block 99, North Platte, \$1,100. Mary Thompson and husband to Elizabeth P. Stebbins, middle 44 feet of lots 1 and 2, block 117, city, \$550. U. P. Ry. Co. to J. H. McConnell, lot 8 block 86, city, \$55. U. P. Ry. Co. to Mrs. Jane Treacy, lot 8, block 182, city, contracted 1881, \$150. U. P. Ry. Co. to Augustus Smith, lot 7, block 136, city, contracted 1881, \$60. U. P. Ry. Co. to Cain Brunt, se qr ne qr 23-14-30, \$100. Thomas Kelly to Andrew Struthers, lots 3 and 4, block 95, city, \$400. J. H. Hershey and wife to Lizzie O. Clark, lot 7, block 161, city, \$2,000. Samuel Jolly and wife to A. M. Stoddard, lot 3, block 16, Miller's addition, \$250.

M. Burke & Sons to Adam Stump, lots 1 and 2, block 76, city, \$150. Chas. W. Keyes and wife to Wm. H. Paxton, sw qr 14-14-33, \$1,000. Maurice J. Cronan and wife to Perry Corbett, lots 5 and 6, block 73, city, \$300. Matthias Hook and wife to Jane Butcher, all of block 74, city, \$1,550. Regular meeting of the city council Monday evening.

Several parties are getting ready to commence the erection of residence buildings as soon as the heated term has abated somewhat. Mr. Foley is figuring on the erection of a large brick building on Spruce street on the site at present occupied by his warehouse. It will be covered by a self-supporting mansard roof, making the upper story one large hall about 45x60 feet in size without the obstruction of supports. Such a hall would be very convenient for many purposes.

Harrison W. Garrett, Robert Garrett, Jr., and John W. Garrett, sons of Robert Garrett, of Baltimore, are studying American geography in a pleasant manner. They left Baltimore in May with their tutor, and have traveled on a special car through Mexico, Texas, Colorado, and other parts of the country. They recently passed through Utah on their way to California.

The rewards are now coming in to Arthur Robinson, the colored cook, who was the hero of the Mystery disaster. He declines all dime museum offers, though a Rockaway showman offered \$350 for a week's engagement. He has a cut-away suit among his gifts, saying nothing of medals or testimonials. He doesn't know the exact year of his birth, can't read or write, was born a Virginia slave, and had already saved two persons from drowning. He looks modest and innocent.

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The dog of George Marion, of Rensselaer, Ind., began barking at a hole in the ground. Marion dug down and killed 113 blue racers and twenty-seven ball snakes.

PIERCE, Dak., July 25.—During a terrific thunder and rainstorm this morning, Charles Hurst, of Fort Pierce, took his family into a cyclone cellar and went out to take a last look at the storm. While at the window he was struck by lightning and killed. A hole as large as a pea was found in his head. All the bones were melted, and his body had turned perfectly black.

Thos. E. Powell, the democratic nominee for Governor of Ohio is 43 years old. He is of Welsh descent and was born at Delaware, Delaware county, Ohio. While a student at the Ohio Wesleyan university, in 1864, he enlisted as a private in an Ohio regiment and served four months. Subsequently he graduated, and having studied law with Colonel W. Reid formed a partnership with him. His political career began in 1872, when he was a speaker for Greeley. In 1875 he was nominated for attorney general and had the distinction of a defeat by a smaller majority than that of Governor William Allen.

Contra to his wish, he was nominated for Congress in 1882, and was defeated by General James S. Robinson. He reduced the Republican majority to 400. In 1884 he headed the Democratic electoral ticket, and 1885 he served as chairman of the Democratic State committee. During the past four years he has had a law office in Columbus.

In Brief, And To The Point. Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered liver is misery. Indigestion is a foe to good nature. The human digestive apparatus is one of the most complicated and wonderful things in existence. It is easily put out of order. Greasy food, tough food, sloppy food, bad cooking, mental worry, late hours, irregular habits, and many other things which ought not to be had made the American people a nation of dyspeptics.

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